

## THE GREATEST OPPORTUNITY EVER

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*Many 'experts' over the last 100 years or so, have been blind to remarkable opportunities, because they relied on the limits of natural thinking and biases rather than qualified inspiration. See box below...*

**ETERNAL LIFE, the opportunity on offer from God... right now. DEU 30:19** I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you **life** and death, blessing and cursing: therefore **choose life**, that both thou and thy seed may live: *The difference with God... he offers proof. This choice doesn't depend on blind faith or luck.*

**The death of Christ made this possible. ACT 2:37** Now when they heard this, they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, what shall we do? *How can we overcome our human failings and unbelief?* **38** Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. *These simple requirements, open the door to clear scriptural proof and personal assurance. These people all spoke I tongues... God's sign!*

**There is much more than eternal life on offer. LUK 12:31** But rather seek ye the kingdom of God; and all these things shall be added unto you *(the essentials of this life are also offered to us... as a done deal).* **32** Fear not, little flock; for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.

**The majority won't listen or will make counterfeit choices. MAT 25:14** For the kingdom of heaven is as a man travelling into a far country, who called his own servants, and delivered unto them his goods. **15** And unto one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another one; to every man according to his several ability; and straightway took his journey. **16** Then he that had received the five talents went and traded with the same, and made them other five talents. **17** And likewise he that had received two, he also gained other two. **18** But he that had received one went and digged in the earth, and hid his lord's money. *He wasted the opportunity to live forever. &30* And cast ye the unprofitable servant into outer darkness: there shall be **weeping and gnashing of teeth.** *When the full extent of God's salvation is seen, no one at all who ignored it, will ever be able to reclaim their loss.*

**The sad and frightening reality is, that majority of people will reject their only chance of escaping death. PRO 1:25** But ye have set at nought all my counsel, and would none of my reproof: **&28** Then shall they call upon me, but I will not answer; they shall seek me early, but they shall not find me: **29** For that they hated knowledge, and did not choose the fear of the LORD: **30** They would none of my counsel: they despised all my reproof. **31** Therefore shall they eat of the fruit of their own way, and be filled with their own devices. **32** For the turning away of the simple shall slay them, and the prosperity of fools shall destroy them. **33** But whoso hearkeneth unto me shall dwell safely, and shall be quiet from fear of evil. *This advice is very clear.*

**Like us today, Noah gave people their choice to live. HEB 11:7** By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, moved with fear, prepared an ark to the saving of his house; by the which he condemned the world, and became heir of the righteousness which is by faith. *Faith gets immediate results.*

**Ongoing opportunities and the offering of life to others... MAR 16:15** And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. **16** He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned. *We can speak with confidence because the Power of God is available now. Remember, it comes with risk free signs that were prophesied 800 years before they were first offered to the human race. Any great opportunity backed with supernatural evidence is well worth considering.*

\*Charles H. Duell, Office of Patents, 1899 Everything that can be invented has been invented.  
 \*Albert Einstein, 1932 There is not the slightest indication that nuclear energy will ever be obtainable. It would mean that the atom would have to be shattered at will.  
 \*Decca executive, 1962, after turning down the Beatles. We don't like their sound. Groups of guitars are on the way out.  
 \*Popular Mechanics, 1949 Computers may weigh no more than 1.5 tons.  
 \*Ken Olson, president of Digital Equipment Corp. 1977 There is no reason anyone would want a computer in their home.  
 \*Western Union memo, 1876 This 'telephone' has too many shortcomings to be seriously considered as a means of communication.  
 \*David Sarnoff's associates in response to his urging investment in the radio in the 1920's. No imaginable commercial value. Who would pay for a message sent to nobody in particular?  
 \*H.M. Warner, Warner Brothers, 1927. Who wants to hear actors talk?  
 \*Hewlett Packard excuse to Steve Jobs, who founded Apple Computers instead. We don't need you. You haven't got through college yet.  
 \*Thomas J. Watson, chairman of the board of IBM. I think there's a world market for about five computers.  
 \*U.S. Secretary of Navy, December 4, 1941 No matter what happens, the U.S. Navy is not going to be caught napping.  
 \*Hitler, How fortunate for governments that the people they administer don't think.