

“The Rich Man and Lazarus: A Look at Life After Death”
Luke 16:19-31
(Part #3)

Introduction:

Possible Reasons for the Eternality of Hell:

- #1 – Eternal Hell is the Just Punishment for Sin Against an _____
- #2 – Our _____ is Worse than We Realize
- #3 – The Lost Do Not _____ - Nor Will They Ever _____ (Rev. 22:11)

Parable Summary:

Jesus Tells the Money Loving Pharisees an Account of a Selfish Rich Man Who Died and Went to the Place of Inescapable Torment and Judgment Because He Refused to Listen to and Heed the Warnings from God’s Word.

Parable Lesson:

Those That Do NOT Heed the Warnings from God’s Word About Judgment and Hell Will Certainly Wind Up There - Where They Will Find No Rest and No Escape.

Review:

- I. Death (19-22)
 - A) Two Contrasting Lives (19-21)
 - #1) The Rich Man’s Radiant Life (19)
 - #2) The Poor Man’s Miserable Life (20-21)
 - B) Two Contrasting Deaths (22)
 - #1) The Poor Man’s Radiant Death (22a)
 - #2) The Rich Man’s Miserable Death (22b)

II. Judgment (23-26)

A) The Poor Man’s Afterlife (23-26)

Location Considerations Between Abraham’s Bosom and The Place of Torment in Hades:

- #1 – The Two Places Were in close proximity to _____ (24)
- #2 – None could cross over from one place to the other because there was a _____ separating them (26)

Observations Regarding Abraham's Bosom/Paradise:

#1 – Abraham's Bosom was a place of _____ (26)

#2 – Abraham's Bosom was a place of _____ and _____ (25)

B) The Rich Man's Afterlife (23-26)

(1) The Nature of This Place of Torment (23-26)

"Gehenna" is often the Greek word translated "Hell" in the New Testament. What word is used in Luke 16:23?

(2) The Description of This Place of Torment (and Hell) (23-26)

#1 – It is a place of _____ (23a)

➤ Explain:

#2 – It is a place of _____ (23, 28) (Hell – Rev. 14:9-11)

➤ Explain:

#3 – Hades and Hell are both places of _____ and _____ (24-25)

➤ Explain:

#4 – It is a place where the Lost are _____ for unrepentant sin (24; cf. Rev. 22:11)

➤ Explain:

#5 – It is a place of _____ (24) (Hell Fire: Isaiah 33:14; 66:24; Matt. 3:12; 5:22; 13:40,42,50; 18:8,9; 25:41; Mark 9:43-48; Luke 3:17; Jude 7; Rev. 14:10; 19:20; 20:10,14,15; 21:8)

➤ Explain:

#6 – It is a place where you want to _____ torment (23-28)

➤ Explain:

#7 – It is a place where there is No _____ and No _____ (24-26)

➤ Explain:

#8 – Hell is an _____ place (Matt. 25:46; Rev. 14:11)

➤ Explain:

#9 – It is a place of Just _____ (25; cf. Rom. 6:23)

➤ Explain: