Now it is up to you

My friend, do you hear His voice calling you through these Scriptures? He wants to breathe life into you. This receiving of new life from Jesus Christ is what He called being born again. We see this in the Bible when Jesus tells Nicodemus,

"...Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God... That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit." (John 3:3,6)

My friend, repent! Turn to God from your sin, and embrace the Lord Jesus Christ by faith and be born of God. God promised in Romans 10:9,

"That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved."

When you turn to God, the missing answer will be found, and the empty void will be filled. You will be at one with God. He will be your Father, and you will be His child. You can rejoice with us in this great truth forever. Amen.

"He that hath the Son hath life; and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life." (John 5:12)

If you have decided to trust Jesus Christ as your Saviour after reading this tract, please let us know.



Dear Friend.

In this brave new Ireland many people have a head knowledge about God, but very few people know what it is to have a personal relationship with God. By birth, there is an emptiness inside every one of us, and this emptiness cannot be filled with things such as riches, entertainment, or even religion. It can only be filled by God.

We are concerned about your spiritual welfare, and so we are offering you a booklet. This booklet contains two books from the Bible: the Gospel of St John and the Epistle to the Romans. Both of these books tell, in God's own words, God's requirement for going to Heaven. In fact, the entire purpose of John's Gospel is to show you how you can have eternal life. John 20:31 states,

"But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name."

Many people would like to know more about the Bible, but do not even know where to start. If you would like help in understanding what these books of the Bible teach, or would like to know more about the Bible in general, we offer a free correspondence Bible course that will help you get a basic understanding about who God really is, and what He says in the Bible. You can study at your own pace and would be under no obligations of any kind.

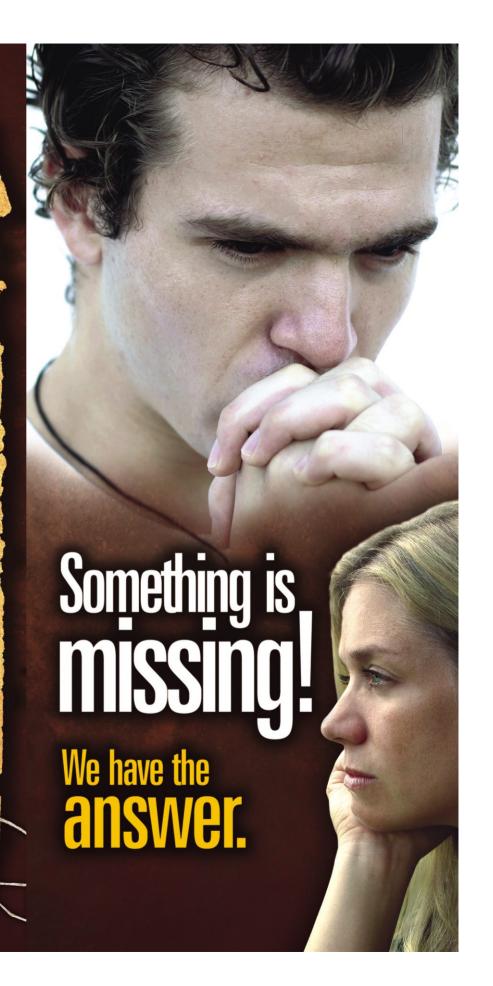
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What is missing?

Do you ever feel that there is something important missing from your life? A vital part of your existence that isn't there, and has never been there? An empty void and longing, deep within the depths of your soul, crying out to be filled?

If you do not know the Lord Jesus Christ on a personal basis, that is the problem. God, the giver and sustainer of life, is missing from your life. The Bible says that without Jesus Christ as your personal Saviour, you are "dead in trespasses and sins." (Ephesians 2:1 b)

How did it happen?

In the Garden of Eden, before man's fall, Adam and Eve were alive, that is, they were "spiritually" alive. They walked in perfection, and oneness with God.

"And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat: But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die." (Genesis 2:16-17)

On that day, when they disobeyed God and ate of the fruit, they died a "spiritual" death. Sin entered in, and they were separated from God. Since then, every one of us has been born into sin.

"Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned" (Romans 5:12)

"Behold, I was shapen in iniquity; and in sin did my mother conceive me." (Psalm 51:5)

"As it is written, There is none righteous, no, not one." (Romans 3:10)

"For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23)

The results of sin are a spiritual death, a physical death, and if you die without Jesus Christ, an eternal death.

This is eternal separation from God in hell fire.



What's been done about it?

Jesus Christ, the God-man, was not a partaker of man's sinful bloodline. He was perfect, sinless, righteous, holy, born of a virgin, and God in the flesh.

"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made." (John 1:1-3)

"And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth." (John 1:14)

He came to seek and to save that which was lost. He offered Himself the perfect, sinless sacrifice unto God, to redeem man from the sin which separates him from God. He came to give life back unto men.

"...I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly." (John 10:10)

"Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that heareth my word, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life. Verily, verily, I say unto you, The hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God: and they that hear shall live."

(John 5:24-25)

Jesus Christ paid the whole price

Salvation (deliverance from the penalty for sin) is an undeserved gift, and it is freely offered to you by God. When Jesus Christ suffered as the perfect, sinless sacrifice, He paid the whole price for your sin.

"For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast." (Ephesians 2:8,9)

God offers the gift of eternal life (salvation), and you receive it by faith. Good works can not pay for your sin. In fact, there is nothing you can do to pay for your sin.

"Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us." (Titus 3:5a)

Salvation is through Jesus Christ alone. There are not many ways to God, as many believe; there is only one way and that is through Jesus Christ.

"Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me."
(John 14:6)

