

Offering the Invitation



Starting the Conversation #3

John 1:35 Again the next day John was standing with two of his disciples,

36 and he looked at Jesus as He walked, and said, “Behold, the Lamb of God!” **37** The two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus.

38 And Jesus turned and saw them

following, and said to them, “What do you seek?” They said to Him, “Rabbi (which translated means Teacher), where are You staying?” **39** He said to them, “Come, and you will see.” So they came and saw where He was staying; and they stayed with

Him that day, for it was about the tenth hour. **40** One of the two who heard John speak and followed Him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother.

41 He found first his own brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which translated

means Christ). **42** He brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, “You are Simon the son of John; you shall be called Cephas” (which is translated Peter). **43** The next day He purposed to go into Galilee, and He found Philip. And Jesus said to

him, “Follow Me.” **44** Now Philip was from Bethsaida, of the city of Andrew and Peter. **45** Philip found Nathanael and said to him, “We have found Him of whom Moses in the Law and also the Prophets wrote—Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph.”

46 Nathanael said to him, “Can any good thing come out of Nazareth?”
Philip said to him, “Come and see.”

Make an invitation.



John 4:10 Jesus answered and said to her, “If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, ‘Give Me a drink,’ you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water.” **11** She said to Him, “Sir, You have nothing to draw with and the well is deep; where then do you get that

living water? **12** You are not greater than our father Jacob, are You, who gave us the well, and drank of it himself and his sons and his cattle?” **13** Jesus answered and said to her, “Everyone who drinks of this water will thirst again; **14** but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him shall never

thirst; but the water that I will give him will become in him a well of water springing up to eternal life.” **15** The woman said to Him,

“Sir, give me this water, so I will not be thirsty nor come all the way here to draw.”

16 He said to her, “Go, call your husband and come here.” **17** The woman answered

and said, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You have correctly said, 'I have no husband'; **18** for you have had five husbands, and the one whom you now have is not your husband; this you have said truly." **19** The woman said to Him, "Sir, I perceive that You are a prophet.

*Move from physical
to spiritual.*



John 4:28 So the woman left her waterpot, and went into the city and said to the men, **29** “Come, see a man who told me all the things that I have done; this is not the Christ, is it?” **30** They went out of the city, and were coming to Him.

John 9:24 So a second time they called the man who had been blind, and said to him, “Give glory to God; we know that this man is a sinner.” **25** He then answered, “Whether He is a sinner, I do not know; one thing I do know, that though I was blind, now I

see.” **26** So they said to him, “What did He do to you? How did He open your eyes?” **27** He answered them, “I told you already and you did not listen; why do you want to hear it again? You do not want to become His disciples too, do you?” **28** They reviled him and

said, “You are His disciple, but we are disciples of Moses. **29** We know that God has spoken to Moses, but as for this man, we do not know where He is from.” **30** The man answered and said to them, “Well, here is an amazing thing, that you do not know where He

is from, and yet He opened my eyes.

31 We know that God does not hear sinners; but if anyone is God-fearing and does His will, He hears him. **32**

Since the beginning of time it has never been heard that anyone opened the eyes of a person born blind. **33** If

this man were not from God, He could do nothing.” **34** They answered him, “You were born entirely in sins, and are you teaching us?” So they put him out.

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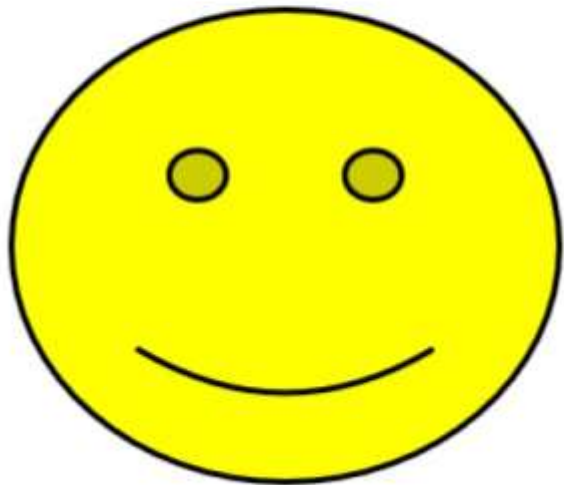
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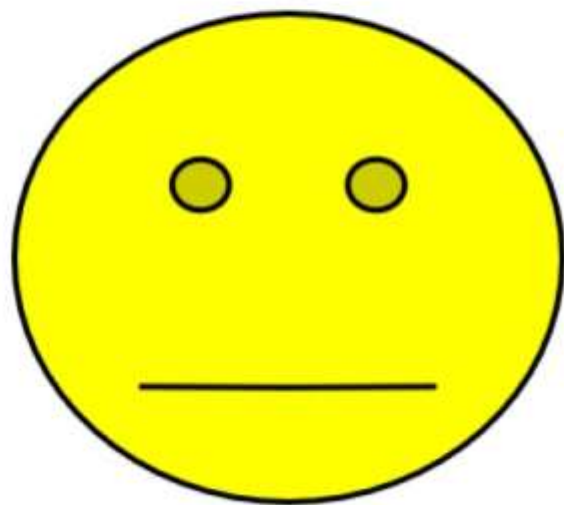
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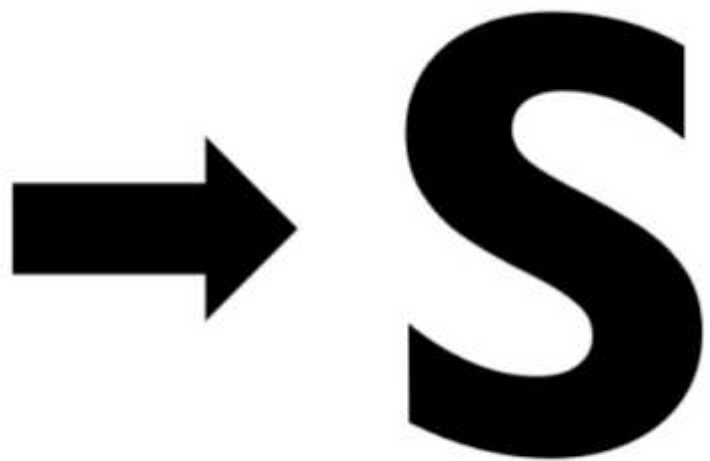


*God and People
are in Fellowship.
(Genesis 3:8)*

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*God Gave Us the
Power to Choose.
(Genesis 1:27, 2:16)*



*People Choose to Sin.
(Genesis 3:6, Romans
3:23)*

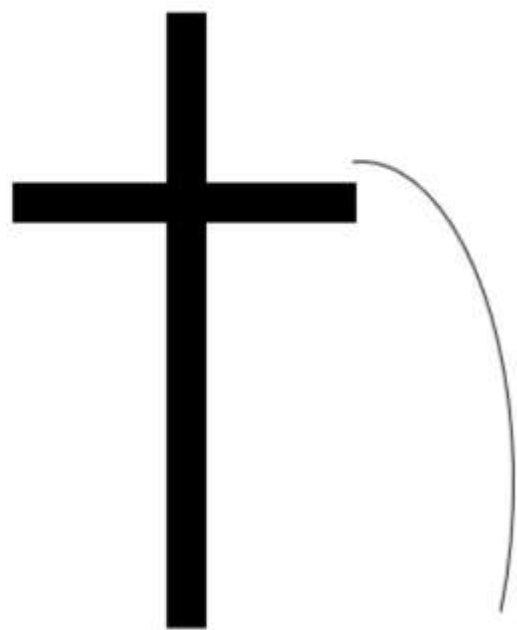


*Sin separates Us from
God. (Isaiah 59:2,
Romans 6:23)*

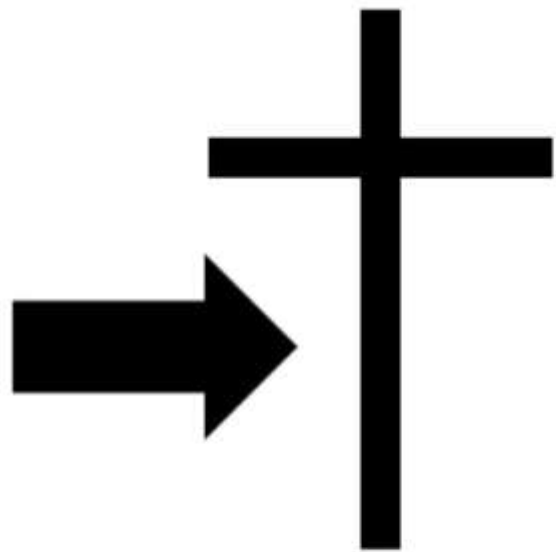
P or F?

*Will God Punish or
Forgive?*

*(Ezekiel 18:20,
2 Peter 3:9,
Romans 3:26)*



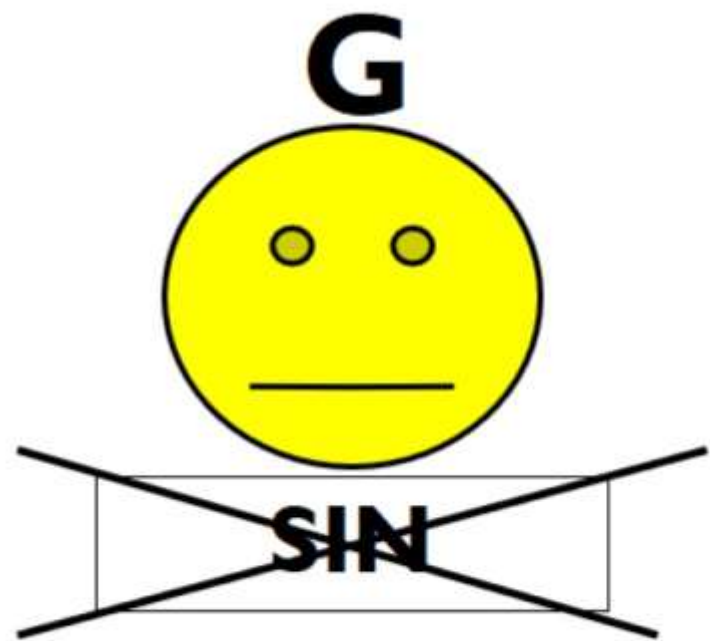
*God sent Jesus to Die
as a Sinner.
(John 3:16, Isaiah 53:5)*



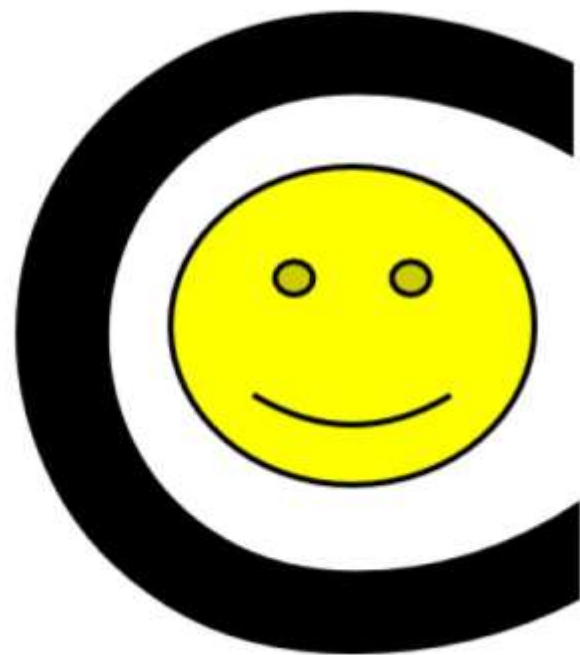
*We Must Choose the
Cross. (John 3:16,
Romans 5:1,
Ephesians 2:8-9)*

F + O

*Faith Plus Obedience
(James 2:24, Romans
10:9, Luke 13:3, Acts
2:38, Acts 22:16)*



God Takes Away Sin and Restores Fellowship (Acts 2:38, 22:16, John 14:32)



*God Puts Us In Christ.
(Galatians 3:27, Acts 2:47,
1 Corinthians 12:13)*



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