

# The Final Countdown – Rise of Falsehood

## Part 2

“Last week Al was walking along the beach at Lake Mead, because Candy was still out of town, so being a guy and all, he needs to do something, right? So anyway, he’s walking along the beach and he stumbles across this old lamp.

So he picks it up and rubbed it and out pops this genie.

And the genie said, ‘Okay, alright! You released me from the lamp, blah blah blah. This is the fourth time this month and I’m getting a little sick and tired of these wishes so you can forget about three. You only get one wish!’

So Al sat and thought about it for a while and said, ‘I’ve always wanted to go to Hawaii but I’m scared to fly and I get very seasick. Could you build me a bridge to Hawaii so I can drive over there to visit?’

And the genie laughed and said, ‘Are you crazy? That’s impossible. Think of the logistics of that! How would the supports ever reach the bottom of the Pacific? Think of how much concrete...how much steel!! No, I’m sorry, you better think of another wish.’

So Al says, ‘Okay, my wife Candy always says that I don’t care and that I’m insensitive. So, I wish that I could understand women. You know, how they feel inside and what they’re thinking when they give me the silent treatment, know why they’re crying, know what they really want when they say ‘nothing’....you know make them truly happy....stuff like that.’

So the genie asked Al, ‘Uh, do you want that bridge two lanes or four?’”

Now folks, how many of you would agree that some things in life, not even a genie going to fix, you know what I’m saying? Start pouring that concrete, because that’s other thing ain’t going to happen! Yes, I’m walking home, but I have to make a point and that it this. One day folks, did you

know **the whole planet** is going to wish they had a genie to fix their problem and that's going to happen at the rapture of the Church. Because they refused to accept Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior, they will be catapulted into the 7-year Tribulation, and it's not a joke! It's an outpouring of God's wrath on a wicked and rebellious planet. In fact Jesus said in **Matthew 24** it's going to be a "time of greater horror than anything the world has ever seen or will ever see again. And that "unless that time of calamity is shortened, the entire human race will be destroyed."

But praise God, God's not only a God of wrath, He's a God of love as well. And **because He loves you and I**, He's given us many warning signs to show us when the Tribulation was near and Jesus Christ's 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming was rapidly approaching. Therefore, in order to keep you and I from experiencing the ultimate bad day of being left behind, a serious mistake, we're going to continue in our study **The Final Countdown**.

And so far we've already seen how the **#10** sign on **The Final Countdown** was **The Jewish People**. The **#9** sign was **Modern Technology**. The **#8** sign was **Worldwide Upheaval**. And **last time** we saw how the **#7** sign was **The Rise of Falsehood**. And what we saw there was that God lovingly foretold you and I that when we see an **Increase of False Christs** people claiming to be Jesus, and an **Increase of False Myths**,

people seeking truth outside the Bible, uh, you better wake up! This is an indicator from God, **you are living in the last days.**

But that's not all. The **3<sup>rd</sup> End Time Prophecy** concerning **The Rise of Falsehood** is that there would be an **Increase of False Teachings.**

**Matthew 24:3-4,10-11,23-25** “As Jesus was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him privately. “Tell us,” they said, “when will this happen, and what will be the sign of your coming and of the end of the age?” Jesus answered: “Watch out that no one deceives you. At that time many will turn away from the faith and will betray and hate each other, and many false prophets will appear and deceive many people. At that time if anyone says to you, ‘Look, here is the Christ!’ or, ‘There he is!’ do not believe it. For false Christs and false prophets will appear and perform great signs and miracles to deceive even the elect – if that were possible. See, I have told you ahead of time.”

Now folks, according to our text, the **very first thing out of Jesus' mouth** to indicate when we are living in the last days was what? It's going to be a time of **great massive deception**, right? In fact, so much so, He repeatedly warned about it over and over again! And this deception is promoted by false Christs and false prophets with their **false teachings** and it's so powerful that it comes close to even deceiving the elect, right?

Therefore, Jesus warned us, “I've told you ahead of time!” We need be on our guard and see to it that no one deceives us in the Last Days with their **false teachings**, right? And so that's what we're going to do. Over the next several weeks, we're going to take a look at several different false teachings that have appeared on the planet in these Last Days, that are not

only a sign we're living in the Last Days like Jesus said, but they are single-handedly helping to usher in the Antichrist's Kingdom.

And the **1<sup>st</sup> false teaching** that's arisen in these Last Days to help usher in the Antichrist's Kingdom is the **False Teaching of Evolution**.

People, I'm here to tell you that evolution not only undermines everything we believe in as Christians from page one forward of the Bible, but as we will see, it's also going to be used in the Last Days to justify the murder of billions of people on the planet, explain away the rapture of the Church from the planet, and get us to think being left behind on the planet, believe it or not, is a good thing...and we'll get to that later. But let's first demonstrate just how much of a lie, a false teaching, evolution really is.

The **1<sup>st</sup> way** we know evolution is a lie, a false teaching, is from the **Evidence of Intelligent Design**. But don't take my word for it. Let's listen to God's.

**Romans 1:18-20** "The wrath of God is being revealed from heaven against all the godlessness and wickedness of men who suppress the truth by their wickedness, since what may be known about God is plain to them, because God has made it plain to them. For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities – His eternal power and divine nature – have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that men are without excuse."

In other words, nobody's going to stand before God and say, "I just didn't have enough evidence you were real." Are you kidding me? There's

tons of evidence in everything He made, His creation, right? And this is the argument of Intelligent Design, which basically states that if you see design in something, then logically, it implies what? A Designer!

For instance, what if I were to tell you my watch here with about 12 moving parts slowly evolved in that field across the street over millions and billions of years from the rain and erosion beating down on the rocks and sticks and mud and I just happened to be walking by and picked it up? What would you say? You'd say the cheese has done slid off Pastor Billy's cracker, right? Of course. **Why?** Because a watch can't design itself! Watches are made by who? Watchmakers, right? Somebody designed it!

**So here's the question.** Why then is it acceptable for an evolutionist to say that not just a watch, **but our whole world and all of life**, did evolve by chance? Who's cheese is sliding off of who's cracker? Hello! And it's one thing to think this, but the Bible says, it's exactly this suppressing of the truth about God's existence, which is what evolution does, is precisely why the **wrath of God** is being revealed from heaven! Therefore, let's take a look at some of the evidence that God has left behind for us so we have no excuse, to not only know about His existence, but no excuse to fall for the lie of evolution.

## **DESIGN OF THE HUMAN BODY**

### OUR INTERNAL ORGANS:

Did you know our kidneys contain approximately 280 miles of tubes and they filter 185 quarts of water a day from our blood?

Did you know the heart pumps 5,000 gallons of blood a day and beats approximately 100,800 times a day or 2 billion 500 million times in an average lifetime?

Did you know our bodies make about 2 to 10 million blood cells every second and if you lined up the red blood cells in one person's body end to end they'd go around the equator 4 times?

### OUR BRAINS:

Did you know that the average brain weighs about 3 pounds and yet contains 12 billion cells, each of which is connected to 10,000 other brain cells making 120 trillion connections! The brain controls hearing, sight, smell, speech, eating, resting, learning and stores so much memory data that by the age of 40, it would take the Empire State building full of computers just to store the same amount of information. (Okay, some less than others!)

### OUR DNA:

Did you know the DNA molecule in our bodies is the most complex molecule in the universe? And its code is so unbelievably complex that if you typed it all out, it would create enough books to fill Grand Canyon 40 times.

In fact, your body has 50 trillion cells with each cell having 46 chromosomes but if you took all of the chromosomes out of your body, they'd only fill up 2 tablespoons! And if you stretched them out and tied them all together, one person's chromosomes would reach from the earth to the moon and back, FIVE MILLION times!

## **DESIGN OF THE ANIMALS**

### THE GIRAFFE:

Charles Darwin believed that the giraffe was just a regular animal that grew a longer neck because it needed to reach the higher branches for food... But the question is, "Could a giraffe evolve a longer neck?" You be the judge.

First of all, the neck of the giraffe is about 6 feet long, which means that just bending over it could explode its brain from the pressure. So how does it stay alive?

Well, it just so happens the giraffe has the most powerful heart in the animal kingdom. It's 2 feet long, weighs 25 lbs. and has walls 3 inches thick. But that's not all. It also comes equipped with 4 safety features to keep its brain from exploding while bending over to take a drink of water.

One, the giraffe has in his jugular veins a series of one-way check valves that immediately close as soon as the head is lowered.

But this puts way too much blood in carotid artery, so what's it do? Well, two, that extra blood is immediately pushed into a special spongy tissue that's located near the brain, which absorbs all the excess blood. But this could cause a rupture in the brain, so what does it do?

Well, three, it produces a fluid in the brain that acts as a counter pressure to prevent the rupture from occurring.

And four, just to make sure there's no other rupture anywhere else along the way, the walls of the giraffe's arteries just happen to be thicker than any other mammal.

Question, "How could this ever evolve like Charles Darwin said? And at what stage of development could the giraffe survive unless all of these features were fully functioning all at the same time?"

## **DESIGN OF THE BIRDS**

### **THE WOODPECKER:**

Did you know that woodpeckers don't just peck on trees to look for food and make homes, but they do so at a rate of 15-16 times a second, which is a rate of fire twice as fast as a machine gun, meaning they're head travels twice the speed of a bullet?

And this means the force of stress on its head is equivalent to 1,000 times the force of gravity or more than 250 times the force an astronaut experiences when taking off in a rocket!

So how does the woodpecker keep from beating its brains out?

Well, it just so happens, the woodpecker's skull is extra-reinforced with bone. And it just so happens the bill is stronger than most birds.

And it just so happens this keeps its head and beak from being smashed to bits at the very first peck. But what about the brain? How does it survive the impact?

Well in most birds, the beak is joined to the cranium, which surrounds the brain. But it just so happens, the beak of the woodpecker is separated by a sponge-like tissue that acts as a shock absorber which scientists say is far better than anything man has ever come up with.

Then just to make sure, the woodpecker also comes with special muscles that pull the brain case away from its beak every time it strikes a blow. And then for even more protection, the woodpecker comes with neck muscles that keeps its head perfectly straight. And this really comes in handy because if its head varied even the slightest, it would rip its brain right off the skull!

And keep in mind, it does this year in, year out, thousands of times everyday!

Then, if that wasn't amazing enough, the woodpecker also comes with a very unique and very long tongue to get its food. But where does the woodpecker put such a long tongue when there's not enough room in its beak?

Well, it just so happens the tongue of the woodpecker is anchored and stored in its right nostril when not in use. But when he does use it, it emerges from the right nostril, splits into two halves, then each half passes underneath the skin over one side coming around the back of the skull and then underneath the beak and then enters a hole in the beak where the two halves come back together again. All that just to stick its tongue out!

Question, "How could this pecking ability and tongue ever evolve? And at what stage of development could the woodpecker survive unless all of these features were fully functioning all at the same time?"

## **DESIGN OF CELLS & BACTERIA**



## THE CELL:

Did you know each tiny cell is a literal factory containing an elaborate network of interlocking assembly lines, each of which are composed of large protein machines bristling with high-tech machinery?

In fact, on the outside of each cell are sensors, gates, pumps and identification markers while the inside is jam-packed with power plants, automated workshops and recycling units.

In fact, they even have miniature monorails that whisk materials from one location to another.

And that's why it's been said that even the most advanced, automated modern factory, with all its computers and robots all coordinated on a precisely timed schedule, is LESS complex than the inner workings of a single cell.

And apparently that's also why the so-called simplest of all cells, the paramecium, is actually more complex than the space shuttle. Which by the way, is the most complex machine man has ever built!

In fact, it's now known that the DNA molecule is 45 trillion times more efficient than the silicon megachip, which by the way, was made by teams of designers."

And people, this is precisely why other researchers have stated that thinking that all this came about by random chance of evolution is about as intelligent as saying, if given enough "time" and "chance" that a Scrabble factory could explode enough times, until the letters eventually landed to perfectly spell out the book "War and Peace." Or that a tornado can whip through a junkyard leaving behind a perfectly formed Boeing 747. And not just you, but you and your entire extended family are more likely to win the

lottery every week for 100 years than it is for a single bacteria to ever form by chance! In other words it's impossible! **It was designed by God!** In fact, even the scientists are admitting it.

**Charles Townes** a Nobel Prize winner for Physics said: "The more we know about the cosmos (the universe) the more they seem inexplicable without some aspect of intelligent design. And for me that inspires faith."

**Alan Sandage** a winner of the Crawford prize in astronomy said: "I find it quite improbable that such order came out of chaos. There has to be some organizing principle. God to me is a mystery but is the explanation for the miracle of existence."

**Werner Arber** a Nobel Prize winner for Medicine said: "Although a biologist, I must confess I do not understand how life came about. The possibility of the existence of a Creator, of God, represents to me a satisfactory solution to this problem."

**George Greenstein** astronomer said: "Is it possible that suddenly, without intending to, we have stumbled upon scientific proof of the existence of a Supreme Being? As we survey all the evidence, the thought insistently arises that some supernatural agency must be involved."

**Tony Rothman**, physicist said: "When confronted with the order and beauty of the universe and the strange coincidences of nature, it's very tempting to take the leap of faith from science into religion. I am sure many physicists want to. I only wish they would admit it."

In other words, can I translate that for you, "I wish they'd stop lying!"

**Why?** Because any person knows that design in something implies a Designer. And that Designer is God! He's loves us, He given us no excuse to not know about His existence! He's left behind for us plenty of proof in His Creation, but it's being suppressed by a lie in the Last Days called evolution.

And it's not only a sign we're living in the Last Days, but it's one of the reasons why the wrath of God is coming!

But that's not all. The **2<sup>nd</sup> way** we know evolution is a lie, it's a false teaching in the Last Days, is from the **Evidence of a Young Creation**. Boy, have we been lied to when it comes to the age of life folks! And that's because this is the Achilles heel of evolution. They have to have millions and billions of years in order for their lie to work. But the problem is, shocker, it's a lie! And wonder of wonders, is it any surprise the Bible disagrees with them? Here's how long we've been here according to Jesus.

**Mark 10:1-9** "Jesus then left that place and went into the region of Judea and across the Jordan. Again crowds of people came to Him, and as was His custom, He taught them. Some Pharisees came and tested him by asking, "Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?" "What did Moses command you?" He replied. They said, "Moses permitted a man to write a certificate of divorce and send her away." "It was because your hearts were hard that Moses wrote you this law," Jesus replied. "But at the beginning of creation God 'made them male and female. For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and the two will become one flesh. So they are no longer two, but one. Therefore what God has joined together, let man not separate."

Now folks, according to our text, the Bible is clear. When Jesus was answering a question concerning marriage, He went right back to what? The very first account of the very first man and woman, Adam and Eve, right? And they were literal by the way. And notice what He said in the text there about this very first marriage. He said it was the very first marriage because

it was what? It was at the very **beginning of creation**, right? **Therefore, here's the point.** From the lips of Jesus Himself, He declared that the literal account of Genesis was the actual beginning point of time, right? That's from Jesus!

And people, if you start with Adam and Eve, and you add up the dates in the Bible you get an estimated age of about 6,000 years. I know it sounds kind of weird, but that's because we've been lied to! What does evolution teach? Do they teach what Jesus taught, that a literal creation began with a literal Adam and Eve just a few thousand years ago? No! What do they say? They say we came from the "goo" to the "zoo" to "me and you" over millions and billions of years, right?

But the question is, "Is this true! Is it accurate? Is it based on **hard scientific data**? Are you kidding me! It's a lie! And for proof of that, let's take a look at the **supposed dating methods** and you tell me if they don't have some serious problems.

First there is the **Geologic Column**. If you'll recall from school, that's that supposed **column of dirt**, that by the way, only exists in the textbooks, because it appears nowhere on earth in it's complete form. But anyway, it's the supposed eras of evolutionary life forms evolving into other life forms through different periods of time like the so-called Cambrian period, the

Devonian period, the Jurassic period, remember that? And this is one of the methods they use to give them their much-needed millions and billions of years. They say each of these “rock layers” contain “index fossils” and based upon what “rock layer” they’re found in, this is supposed to tell us how old they are. For instance, if it’s found in the Jurassic Layer it’s supposed to be around 200 million years old. But if it’s found in the Cambrian Layer it’s supposed to be 500 million years old.

Okay, and that’s nice if you want to believe that but what scientific data do you have to back that up? How do you know in the first place that those layers are 500 million years old? Was there a date attached to the dirt there? How do you know? Well believe it or not folks, I’m not making this up, they say it’s because of the “index fossils.” But stop and think about it. There’s a problem here. How can you date the “fossils” by the “rocks” and then turn around and say you date the “rocks” by the “fossils.” That’s circular reasoning and believe it or not they even admit it!

**J.E. O’Rourke**, America Journal of Science: “The procession of life was never witnessed, it is inferred. The rocks do date the fossils, but the fossils date the rocks more accurately.”

**Niles Eldredge**, (American Museum of Natural History of New York)  
“And this poses something of a problem. If we date the rocks by their fossils, how can we then turn around and talk about patterns of evolutionary change through time in the fossil record?”

**J.E. O'Rourke**, Journal of Science: "The intelligent layman had long suspected circular reasoning in the use of rocks to date fossils and fossils to date rocks. The geologist has never bothered to think of a good reply, feeling that the explanations are not worth the trouble as long as the work brings results."

**Dr. Donald Fisher**, state paleontologist for New York, was asked by Luther Sunderland, "How do you date fossils?" His reply: "By the Cambrian rocks in which they were found." And Sunderland then asked him if this was not circular reasoning, and Fisher replied, "Of course, how else are you going to do it?"

And that's supposed to be science? Excuse me? That's how you get your dates for millions and billions of years? What a joke! That's a lie! But you might be thinking, "Well, wait a second. Don't they have other dating methods like carbon dating, and potassium argon, and all those other methods they say prove we've been here for millions and billions of years?" Yeah, that's a good question. Let's take a look at those results, those other so-called dating methods and you tell me if we're dealing with an **exact science** here. This is crazy! Check this out!

- New wood from actively growing trees has been dated at 10,000 years!
- The new lava dome from Mount St. Helens was formed in 1986. In 1997 five specimens were taken from this dome at five different locations and subjected to conventional Potassium-Argon dating. The results indicated ages of less than ½ to almost 3 million years old, all from an 11-year old rock.
- Mortar from an Oxford Castle in England gave an age of 7,270 years. The only problem was the castle was built about 800 years ago.

- Lunar soil collected by Apollo 11 gave ages by different methods from 2.3 billion to 8.2 billion years all from rocks in the same location!
- Shells from living snails were carbon dated as being 27,000 years old.
- A freshly killed seal was carbon dated as having died 1,300 years ago!
- One part of a mammoth carbon dated at 29,500 years and another part at 44,000. Now that's one slow birth! How many of you ladies would like to give birth for 14,500 years?
- One part of a frozen mammoth was 40,000 years, another part was 26,000 years and the wood immediately around the carcass was 9-10,000 years.
- For years the KBS tuff, named for Kay Behrensmeyer, was dated using Potassium Argon at 212-230 Million years. But then a human skull was found in 1972 under the KBS tuff making it look like modern humans were around 212 million years ago instead of 2.9 million years as they teach. If the skull had not been found no one would have suspected the 212 million year dates as being wrong. But immediately seeing the dilemma, 10 different samples were retaken from the KBS tuff and were dated as being .52-2.64 Million years old, way down from 212 million. But even the "new and improved" dates still show a 500% error!

In other words, **nothing**, not one of these goofball dating methods would even be close to being accurate **and they know it**. In fact, they admit it can be tampered with very easily!

**H.C. Dudley:** "Aside from other contamination problems, everything hinges on unchanging decay rates. H.C. Dudley noted five ways they could change. He actually changed the decay rates of 14 different radioisotopes by means of pressure, temperature, electric and magnetic fields, and stress. He also cited research by Westinghouse laboratories which changed the rates simply by placing inactive iron next to radioactive lead."

**L.A. Rancitelli:** “As much as 80 percent of the potassium in a small sample of an iron meteorite can be removed by distilled water in 4.5 hours.”

**Frederick B. Jueneman:** “Just one catastrophe, such as a worldwide flood, would throw all the dating clocks off. Immense contamination of all radioactive sources would occur.”

So basically what they’re saying is that the Flood of Noah would guarantee that not one of their goofball dating methods would even come close to being accurate, right? And gee, that’s starts to explain why they would make insane comments like this.

**J.B. Birdsell** in his book *Human Evolution* said: “In the last two years and absolute date has been obtained for the Ngandong beds, above the Trinil beds and it has the very interesting value of 300,000 years plus or minus 300,000 years.”

Yes, that is interesting, isn’t it? Absolute? Feel free to repeat after me, “Liar! Liar! Pants on fire!!!” And so that leads to the common sense question, “Why? Why would they do this when the evidence points to the contrary **that God is real and the Biblical account of creation is totally accurate?** These people are obviously intelligent, why do they persist?”

Well, believe it or not, it has nothing to do with the facts. It has to do with the flesh; **sin**. And the Bible says this is exactly what would happen in the Last Days.

**2 Peter 3:3-7** “First of all, you must understand that in the last days scoffers will come, scoffing and following their own evil desires. They will say, Where is this ‘coming’ He promised? Ever since our fathers died, everything goes on as it has since the beginning of creation. But they deliberately forget



that long ago by God's word the heavens existed and the earth was formed out of water and by water. By these waters also the world of that time was deluged and destroyed. By the same word the present heavens and earth are reserved for fire, being kept for the day of judgment and destruction of ungodly men."

What? You mean to tell me that in the last days scoffers would come who would deliberately forget the facts about God's creation just so they could continue on living out their evil desires? Could that really happen? People it's happening before our very eyes and Peter it's a sign we're living in the last days! Our society today is the Last Days society of scoffers and mockers and making fun of Jesus' 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming! But if you don't want believe God's Word that thee men are deliberately suppressing the truth of God's existence just to satisfy their own lusts in the Last Days, then maybe you should listen to their own words. They admit it!

**George Wald** states, "When it comes to the origin of life there are only two possibilities: creation or spontaneous generation. There is no third way. Spontaneous generation was disproved one hundred years ago, but that leads us to only one other conclusion, that of supernatural creation. We cannot accept that on philosophical grounds; therefore, we choose to believe the impossible: that life arose spontaneously by chance."

**Arthur Keith**, author of twenty books defending evolution, wrote, "Evolution is unproved and unproveable. We believe it because the only alternative is special creation, and that is unthinkable."

**Huxley**, said "I suppose the reason we all jumped at the Origin (Darwin's Origin of Species) was because the idea of God interfered with our sexual mores."

Excuse me? The idea of God interferes with your sexual mores. And this whole time we're being told that evolution is based on hardcore facts of science. Are you kidding me? It has nothing to do with science, it has everything to do with sin, exactly like the Bible said would happen in the Last Days! That scoffers would come and actually choose to "deliberate forget" which means will al due respect, "be dumb on purpose" just so they could what? Go on living out their sinful desires. Exactly like the Bible said in the Last Days!

And when you think of how much this evolutionary lie is being crammed down our throats day in and day out all across America, it's not only unbelievable, it's downright un-American. I didn't say that. Our Founding Fathers did in the Declaration of Independence.

"We hold these truths to be self-evident that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their **Creator** with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness."

Hey, can I translate that for you? If you as an evolutionist don't want to believe in a Creator God like our Founding Father's did, and if you want to be dumb on purpose, then maybe its time you go create your own country and leave ours alone!

People, what more does God have to do? He loves us! He doesn't want us to go into the 7-year Tribulation and this is why He's given us these

signs of the **Rise of Falsehood** including the **False Teaching of Evolution** to show us that the Tribulation is near and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming of Jesus Christ is rapidly approaching. And that's why Jesus Himself said:

**Luke 21:28** "When these things begin to take place, stand up and lift up your heads, because your redemption is drawing near."

People of God, like it or not, we are headed for **The Final Countdown**. And so the point is this. If you're a Christian here today it's time to get busy! We've got to get busy laying aside our differences, and start working together saving souls, amen? But if you're here today and you're not a Christian, then I beg you, please, heed the evidence you saw today, admit the facts, you've been lied to, God is real, and you need to reverse your thinking before it's too late, like this guy learned.

**Ephesians 2:1** "As for you, you were dead in your transgressions and sins, in which you used to live when you followed the ways of this world."

I will live my life according to these beliefs:

God does not exist

It's just foolish to think

That there is an all knowing God with a cosmic plan

That an all powerful God brings purpose to the pain and suffering in the world

Is a comforting thought however

It

Is only wishful thinking

People can do as they please without eternal consequences

The idea that

I am deserving of hell

Because of sin

Is a lie meant to make me a slave to those in power

“The more you have, the happier you will be”

Our existence has no grand meaning or purpose

In a world with no God

There is freedom to be who I want to be

But with God

Life is an endless cycle of guilt and shame

Without God

Everything is fine

It is ridiculous to think

I am lost and in need of saving

And that's how I thought...before Christ opened my eyes...changed my heart...and reversed my Thinking.

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**Ephesians 2:4** “Because of His great love for us, God Who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions.”

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To find the way to God, to understand the *truth* of God’s Word, and to received the gift of eternal *life*, begin by repentance and faith through a prayer like this:

“Dear God, I understand that I have broken Your Law and sinned against You. Please forgive my sins. Thank You that Jesus suffered on the cross in my place. I now place my trust in Him as My Savior and Lord. In Jesus’ name I pray. Amen.”

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