

# Stairway to Heaven?

●If the Bible teaches we can explicitly know that we are going to Heaven, then how do get there?

●There are two ways to get to heaven. There is God's plan and man's plan which is also The Moral Plan.

- ⇒ God's plan is the D.O.N.E. Plan.
- ⇒ Man's plan is the D.O. Plan.

## The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Moral Plan.

📖Matthew 19:16

- ⇒ The Moral Plan means attempting to get to Heaven by doing good things.

## The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Moral Plan.

## The \_\_\_\_\_ for the Moral Plan.

📖Matthew 19:17a

- ⇒ The benchmark of goodness: the Perfection of God. **James 2:10**

## The \_\_\_\_\_ Of The Moral Plan.

📖Matthew 19:18-20

- ⇒ His problem is that he thinks external conformity to a set of rules is sufficient to access Heaven.

- ⇒ God is not interested in external conformity to a set of commandments-that's religion.  
He wants your heart-that's relationship.

## The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Moral Plan.

- ⇒ He knows something is still missing.

📖Matthew 19:20b; 1 John 5:13

## The \_\_\_\_\_ in The Moral Plan.

📖Matthew 19:21

- ⇒ Jesus knows our sin.
- ⇒ The fatal flaw of the Moral Plan is that every heart is corrupt. 📖Romans 3:12; Isaiah 53:6

## The Only \_\_\_\_\_ to the Moral Plan.

- ⇒ Jesus. 📖John 14:6

- ⇒ No one has to miss Heaven.  
📖Mark 10:21a; Acts 16:31

## My Next Steps

- I give up my Moral Plan. I will ask Christ to be my Savior.
- I will share the hope of Heaven with someone this week.
- I will learn more about Heaven by joining a Home Team this summer.

**Next Week:**

**Heaven: All in the Mind or a Place I Can Find?**



Please bring this sheet with you to your Home Team this week..

## Getting Started

- What do you think Heaven will look like?
- Watch the video segment with Randy Alcorn

## For Study & Discussion

\* Read **Revelation 21:2-3**. How do you think Heaven compares to our loves on earth?

\* What does this say about where God will ultimately dwell with human kind?

\* Read **Romans 1:20**. According to the Scripture, how is God revealed to us?

\*Read **Matthew 7:13-14**.. What is the default destination for unbelievers when they die?

\*Read **Job 19:25-26**. How are you assured that you can live for eternity with the Lord?

\*Can you share about a person in your life that is on the Moral Plan that you want to be in Heaven with you someday?

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*"Heaven's been called 'a prepared place for prepared people.' Jesus said He's going to prepare a place for us in His Father's house (John 14:1-4). Only those who have embraced Jesus would be happy living with Him for eternity. Think for a moment about the place you'd most like to live...someone living there can't stand the place! For people who haven't been transformed by God, Heaven may not seem too inviting or attractive. Heaven is a holy place, hardly suitable for those disinterested in righteousness. If we don't want God, or don't want Him very near, we can hardly be expected to be very interested in Heaven."*

—Eugene Peterson

## Praise & Prayer List

➔ Vacation Bible School next week!



This Sunday  
**A Place in the Mind or a  
Place I Can Find?**

**SEA COAST CHURCH**



## **Stairway to Heaven?**

Message Notes  
&  
Home Team  
Small Group Questions

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