TWO CONTRASTING LIVES, TWO CONTRASTING DESTINIES - Luke 16:19-31

*A Wealthy Man with Many Possessions: 16:19

Job 27:19 The rich man shall lie down, but he shall not be gathered: he openeth his eyes, and he is not.

Prov. 18:11, *The rich man's wealth is his strong city, and as an high wall in his own conceit.*

Mt. 19:23, *Then said Jesus unto his disciples*, *Verily I say unto you, That a rich man shall hardly enter into the kingdom of heaven.*

James 1:11 For the sun is no sooner risen with a burning heat, but it withereth the grass, and the flower thereof falleth, and the grace of the fashion of it perisheth: so also shall the rich man fade away in his ways.

*A Homeless Beggar with Nothing to Show 6:20-21

1 Sam. 2:8 He raiseth up the poor out of the dust, and lifteth up the beggar from the dunghill, to set them among princes, and to make them inherit the throne of glory: for the pillars of the earth are the LORD'S, and he hath set the world upon them.

*The Beggar's End Was Abraham's Bosom - 16:22

Luke 23:43 And Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, To day shalt thou be with me in paradise.

2 Cor. 12:4 How that he was caught up into paradise, and heard unspeakable words, which it is not lawful for a man to utter. {lawful: or, possible}

Rev. 2:7 *He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God.*

*The Rich Man's End Was Hell - 16:23-24

Isa 5:14 Therefore hell hath enlarged herself, and opened her mouth without measure: and their glory, and their multitude, and their pomp, and he that rejoiceth, shall descend into it.

Mt 5:29 *And if thy right eye offend thee, pluck it out, and cast it from thee: for it is profitable for thee that one of thy members should perish, and not that thy whole body should be cast into hell.*

Mt 18:9 And if thine eye offend thee, pluck it out, and cast it from thee: it is better for thee to enter into life with one eye, rather than having two eyes to be cast into hell fire.

2 Pet. 2:4 For if God spared not the angels that sinned, but cast them down to hell, and delivered

them into chains of darkness, to be reserved unto judgment;

*The Rich Realized Too Late That There Was No Remedy for His Situation - 16:24

2 Cor. 6:2 (For he saith, I have heard thee in a time accepted, and in the day of salvation have I succoured thee: behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation.)

*Each Man's Life Is a Testimony to His Love for God 16:25

Eph. 2:8-9 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.

Rom. 3:20 Therefore by the deeds of the law there shall no flesh be justified in his sight: for by the law is the knowledge of sin.

*Once Your Fate Is Settled, There Is No Chance of Salvation - 16:26

Heb 9:27 And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment:

*The Rich Man Wanted His Family Warned Before it Was Too Late for Them - 16:27-28

*God Has Already Made Provision for the Lost to Hear 16:29

*There Are Some Who Will Never Believe - 16:30-31