

John 3:16 - The Numbers of Hope

“Heaven or Hell - It’s Our Choice”

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Introduction:

- A. Life is all about _____, so is the _____.
- B. Our culture tries to make fun of and _____ the significance of heaven and hell.
- C. God wants everyone to go to _____, and doesn’t want anyone to go to _____. (1 Tim. 2:3-4; 2 Pet. 3:9)

I. The Tragedy of Hell

- A. Hell is a subject that few people want to _____ about.
- B. Who had the most to say about hell? _____
- C. Hell is a place of _____. (Lk. 16:24)
- D. Hell is a place of outer _____. (Mt. 8:12; 22:13)
- E. Hell is a place of _____ punishment. (Rev. 14:11; Mk. 9:48; Mt. 25:46)
- F. Is the punishment fair?
 - 1. Look at the number of _____ God has given.
 - 2. Look at the _____ God _____ for our salvation.

II. The Triumph of Heaven

- A. The eternal life that is promised to those who believe will not _____.
- B. Heaven is a _____ place. (Rev. 21:4; 10-11, 19, 21-27; 1 Cor. 2:9)
- C. In heaven we will be with our _____. (1 Thess. 4:17-18; Rev. 21:2-3; 22:4-5)
- D. In heaven we will be _____ our God. (1 Jn. 3:2-3)
- E. Jesus is _____ a _____ for you and for me.
- F. The _____ is _____.

Answer Key: Intro. A. choices, afterlife. B. downplay. I.A. think. I.B. Jesus. I.C. suffering. I.D. darkness. I.E. eternal. I.F.1. warning, signs. I.F.2. price, paid. II.A. disappoint. II.B. perfect. II.C. perfect, God. II.D. like. II.E. preparing, place. II.F. choice, ours.