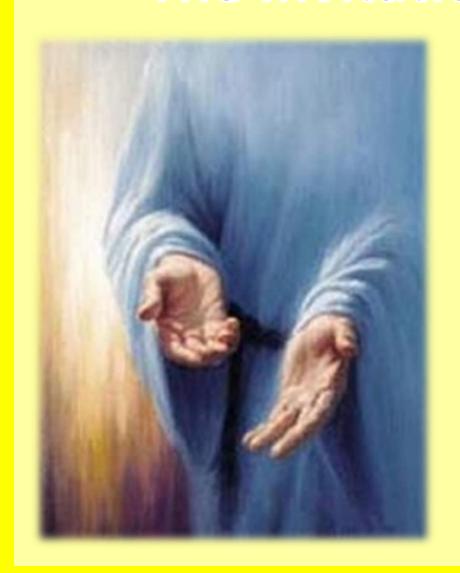
# The Invitation of Christ



Jesus offers man the greatest invitation of all!

Matthew 11:28-30

Colossians 3:1-4

#### The Abundant Life

 Christ came to give us the abundant life



- John 10:10; 1 John 5:12; John 14:15

Once we "put on Christ" we can enjoy the

benefits of the abundant life

- Galatians 3:27

Beauty of Serving
Contentment of Labor
Joy of Hope



## **Freedom from Sin**

- Sin is lawlessness
  - 1 John 3:4
- The reality of sin
  - Romans 3:23
- Divine punishment for all who abide in sin
  - Romans 6:23



- 1 John 3:18-21; Hebrews 9:14





## Freedom from Sin

- Dead to sin, alive in Christ
  - Ephesians 2:1-5



How are we made alive in Christ?



Mark 16:16

Acts 2:38

Acts 22:16

Romans 6:18

Christ's invitation offers us freedom from the burden of sin!

## **Eternal Life**

 He died for us and returned to Heaven to prepare a place



- John 14:1-3

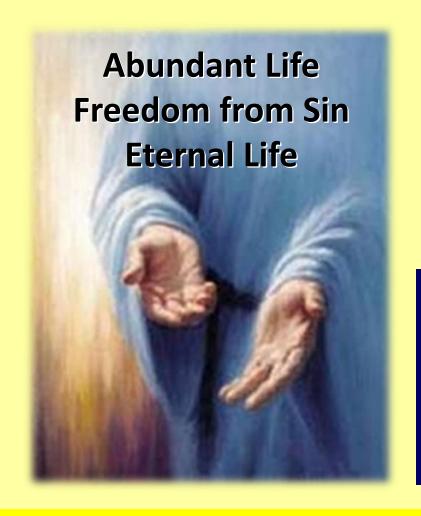
Heaven is a prepared place for a prepared people

- Must remain faithful to enter in
  - Revelation 22:14

"Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

Matthew 11:28

#### The Benefits of Christ's Invitation



HEAVEN
is just an
INVITATION away!

Won't you accept His **invitation**?