



**When
Will
We
Ever
Learn?**

Luke 21:5-11

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287

284

Peter, Paul and Mary

Where have all the flowers gone?

Long time passing

Where have all the flowers gone?

Long time ago

Where have all the flowers gone?

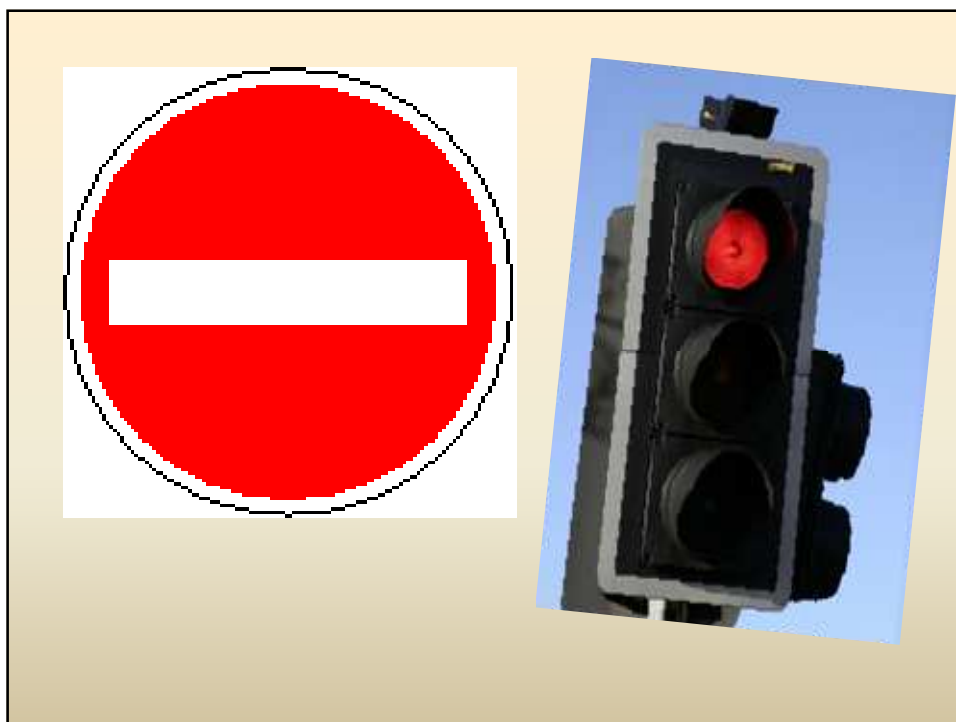
Young girls have picked them every one

When will they ever learn?

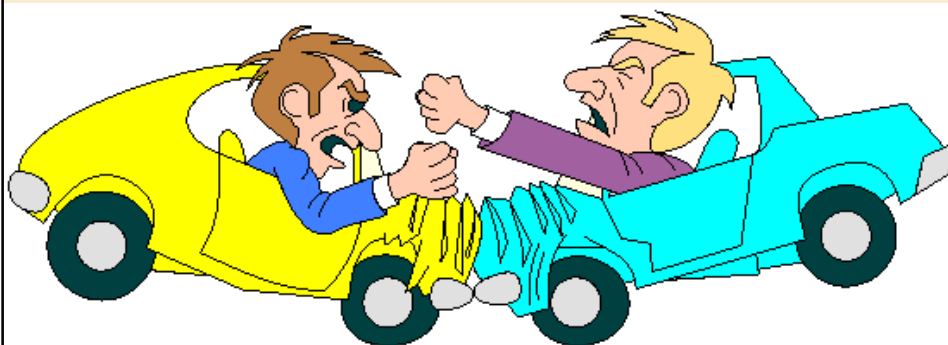
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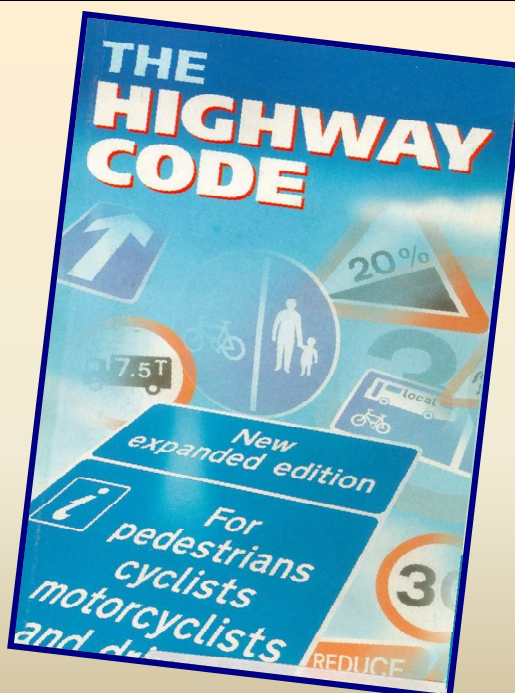


Warnings are given for a reason



Rules

- Rules are made to protect
- Rules are for safety
- Rules help preserve life

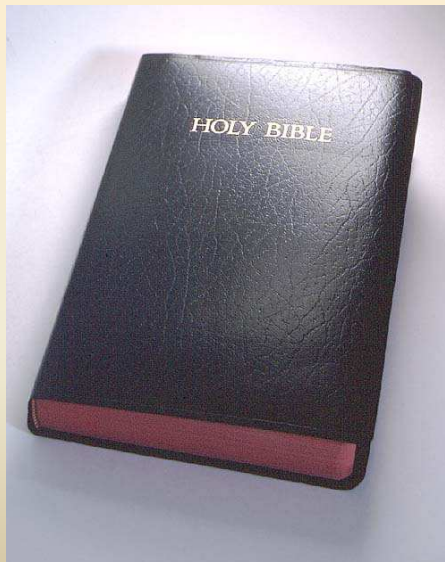


God's Rule Book

2 Timothy 3:15

... from infancy you have known the holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus.

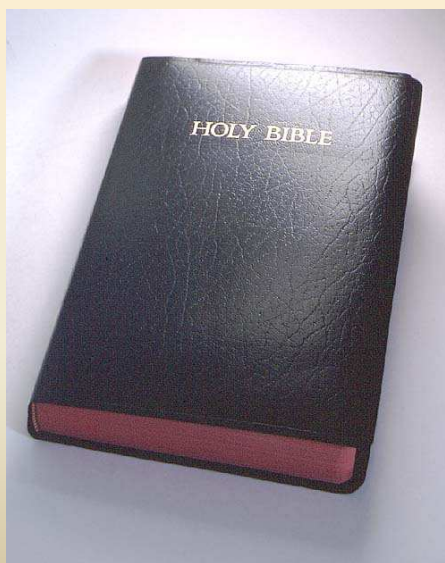
- **Preserves Life**
- **Guides us**

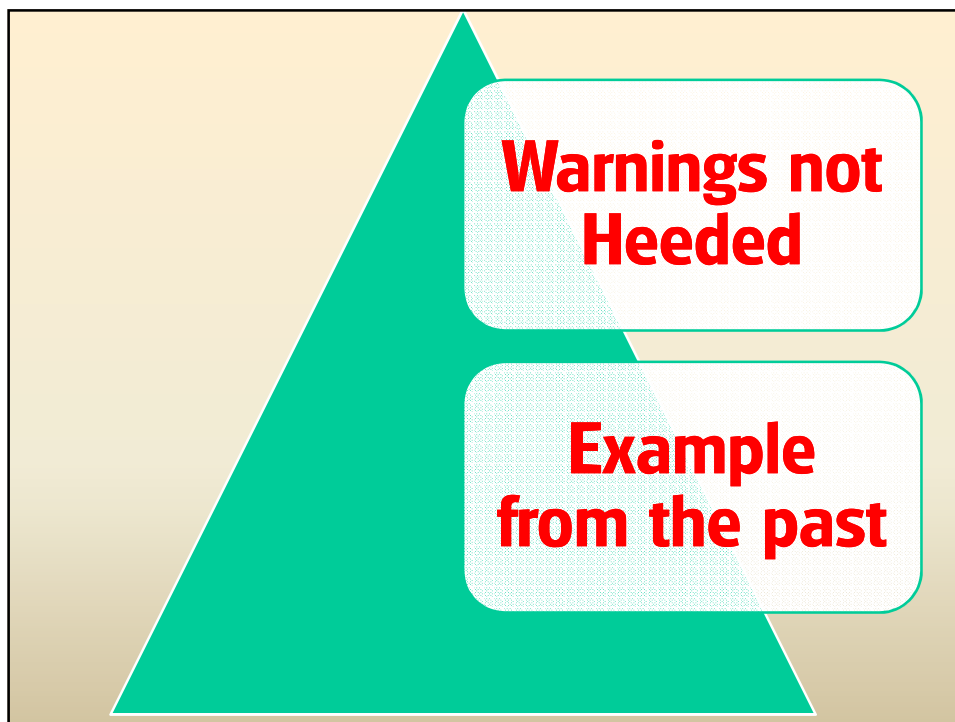


God's Rule Book

God has given warnings

- **For the world**
- **For you**





Warnings not Heeded

Example from the past

1912 – the “unsinkable” Titanic



“Icebergs ahead !”



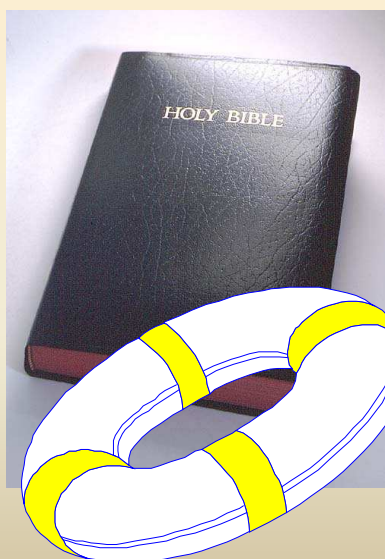
No heed to the warning !!

15 April 1912
1,517 people died





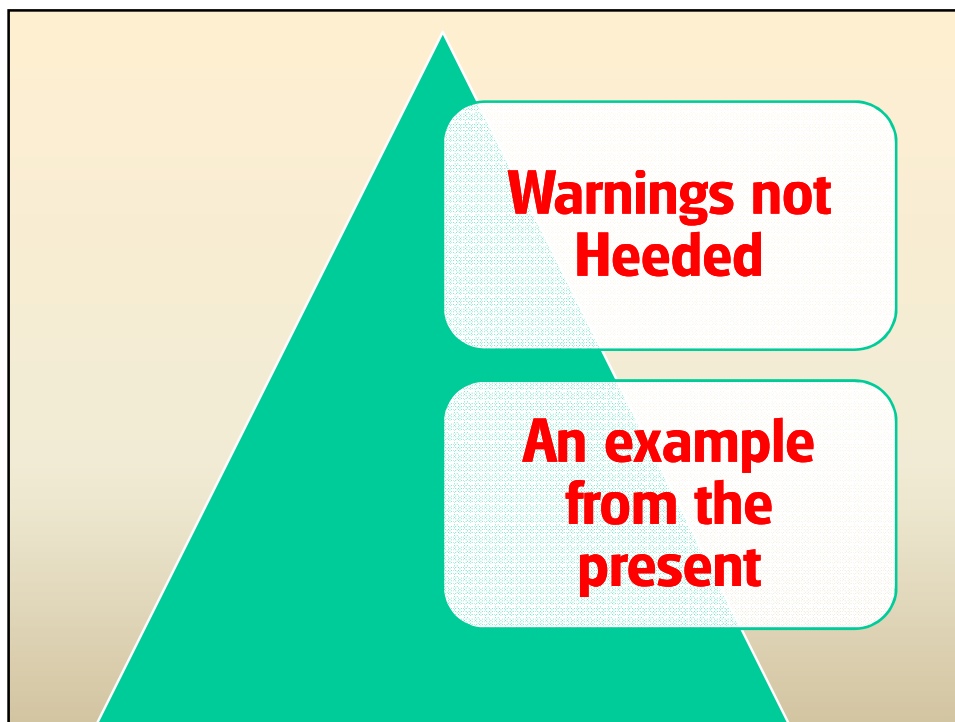
S.O.S. - Save us !!



**Jesus is the Saviour
of the World**

1 Timothy 1:15

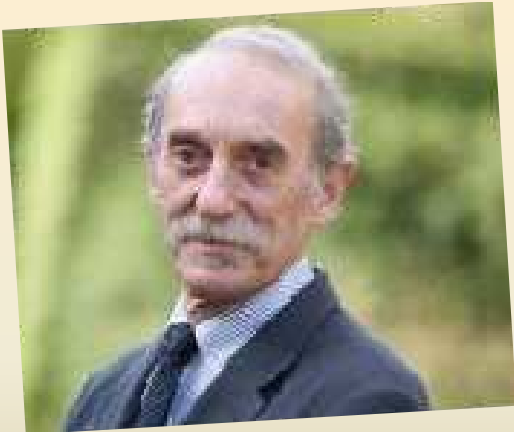
Here is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners



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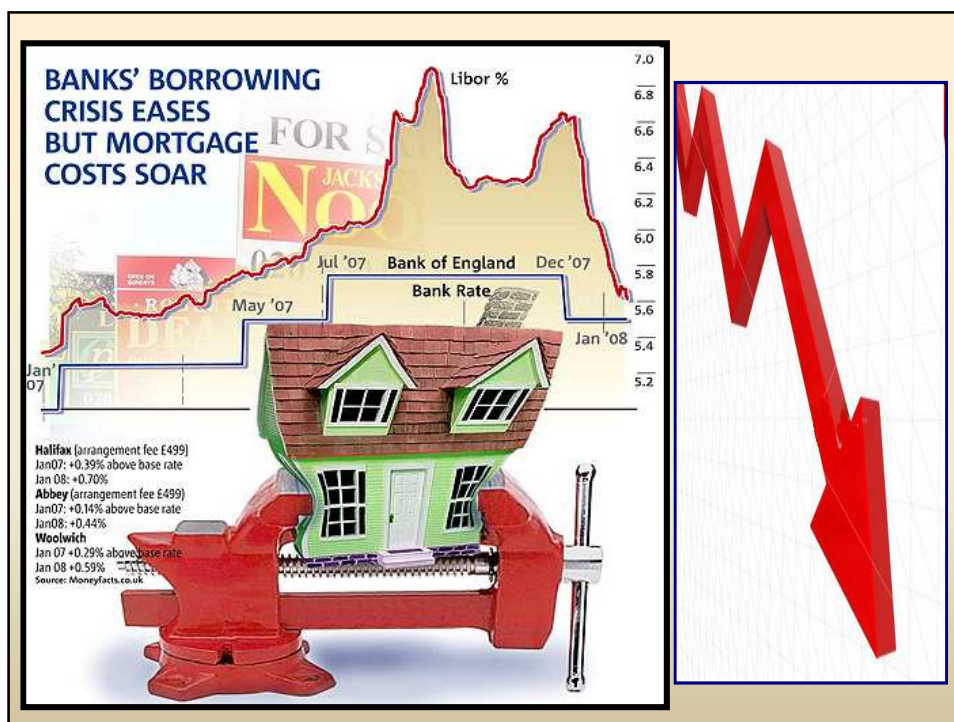
An example from the present

A Prophet?



George Magnus does not look like a prophet

Yet this is the man widely acknowledged to have predicted that the US mortgage crisis would trigger a global recession



The Credit Crunch

- Problems with the repayment of mortgages in the US triggered a tidal wave of concern about lending around the world in August 2007.
- British house prices began falling soon after and haven't stopped since.
- Northern Rock ran into trouble in September 2007 and was finally nationalised in February 2008.

He told us so

They called him
Dr Doom
(**Dr Marc Faber**)



He was the economist who in 2006 predicted in detail a collapse of the housing market and worldwide recession - *and was ridiculed for it.*

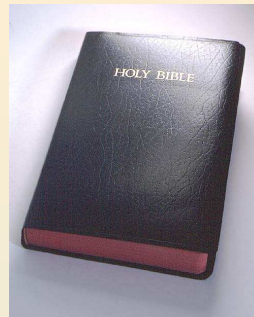
The Credit Crunch

- The financial crisis proper began in September 2008 with the collapse of Lehman Brothers.
- That was followed in early October 2008 by a UK bank bailout, including a merger proposal for Lloyds and HBOS.
- The UK base rate was also slashed from 4.5% to 0.5% between October 2008 and March 2009.

The Bible told us so !

Matthew 24:21

For then there will be **great distress**, unequalled from the beginning of the world until now - and never to be equalled again



2Timothy 3:1

But know this, that in the last days **perilous times** will come:

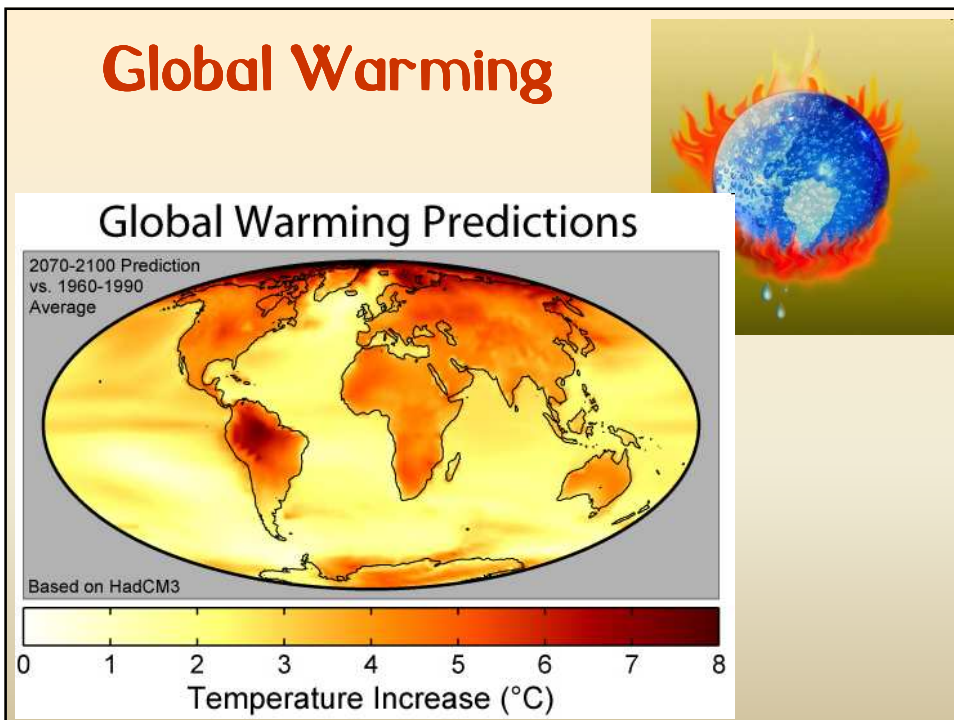
Matthew 6:33

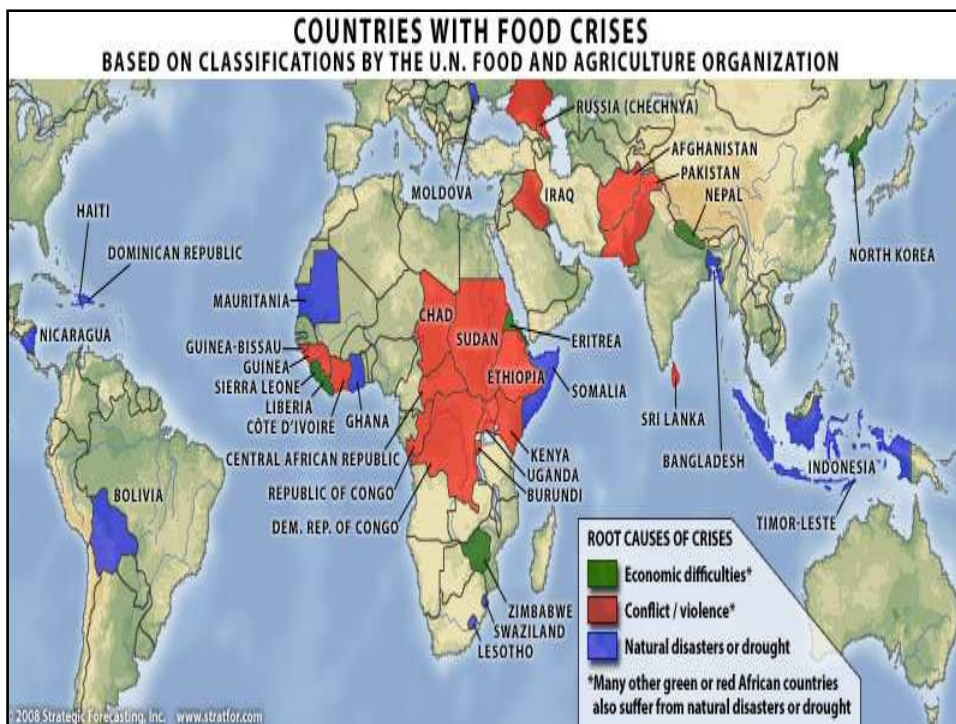
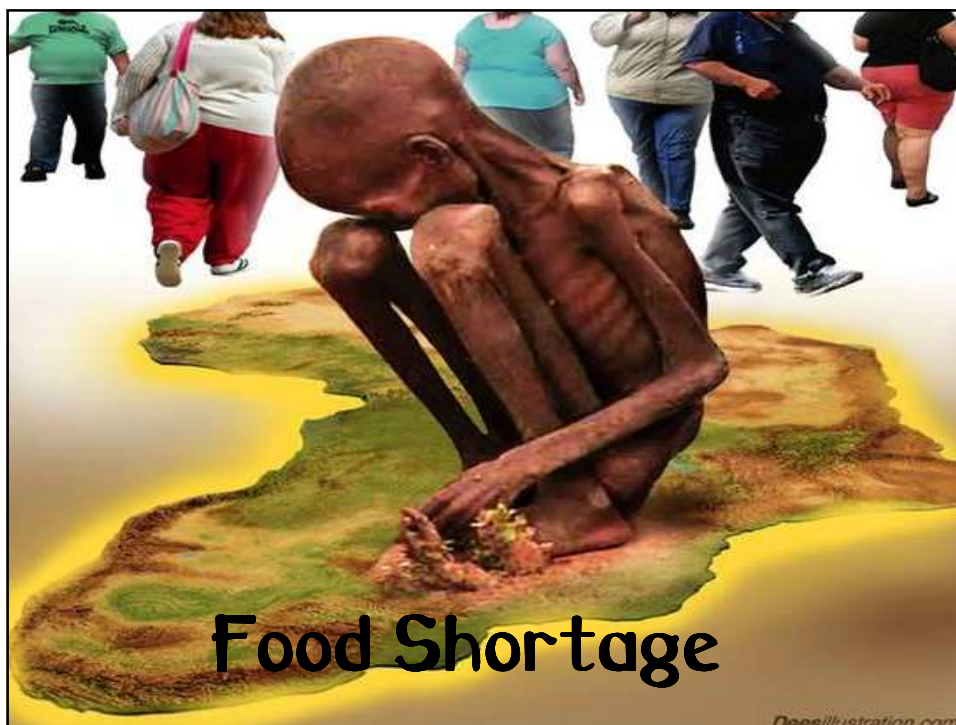
But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you. (NKJV)



Warnings not Heeded

More examples from the present





Jesus warned us !

Luke 21:11

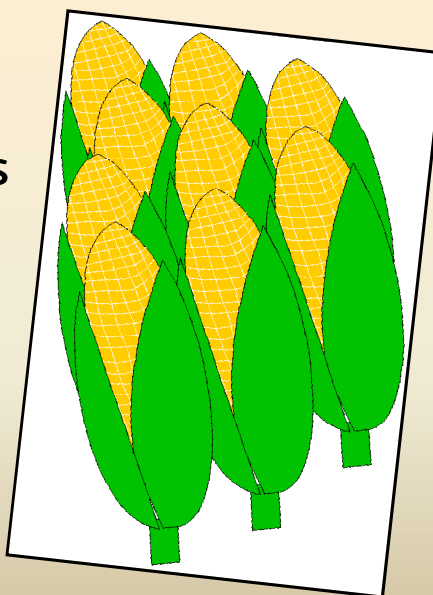
And there will be great earthquakes in various places, and **famines** and pestilences; and there will be fearful sights and great signs from heaven.



And God has the Answer!

Let corn **abound** throughout the land; on the tops of the hills may it **sway**. Let its fruit **flourish** like Lebanon; let it **thrive** like the grass of the field.

Psalm 72:16



Matthew 7:13-14

- 13 Enter through the narrow gate. For wide is the gate and broad is the road that leads to destruction, and many enter through it.
- 14 ***But small is the gate and narrow the road that leads to life, and only a few find it.***





Heed the Warning
Jesus
Christ
is Coming



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