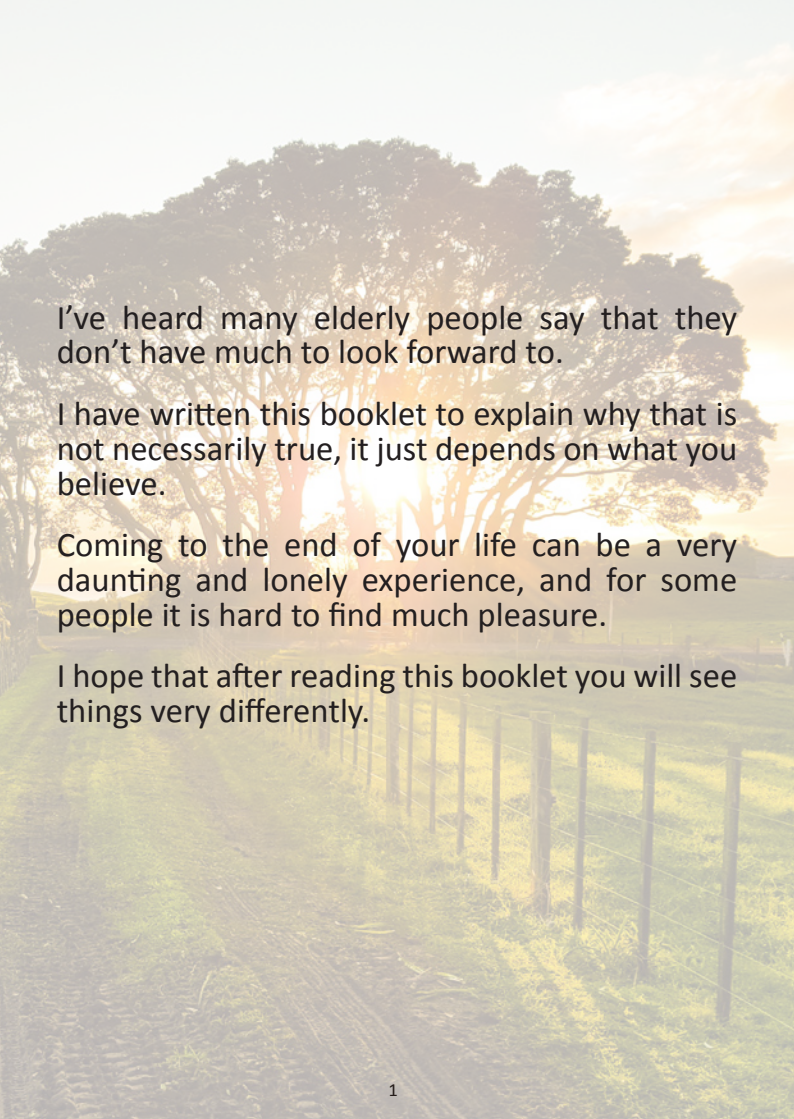




Growing Old

You have so much to look forward to!

A rural landscape at sunset. A large, leafy tree stands in the middle ground, with the sun setting behind it, creating a warm, golden glow. In the foreground, a dirt road with tire tracks runs alongside a wire fence that stretches into the distance. The sky is filled with soft, wispy clouds.

I've heard many elderly people say that they don't have much to look forward to.

I have written this booklet to explain why that is not necessarily true, it just depends on what you believe.

Coming to the end of your life can be a very daunting and lonely experience, and for some people it is hard to find much pleasure.

I hope that after reading this booklet you will see things very differently.

Passing from this life to the next you can have the following to look forward to...

- 1) **Perfect health** – a body that never grows old, you're going to live forever. A body that never gets tired, or needs to sleep, and one where you will never have another ache or pain, imagine that. You will never experience illness or disease again.
- 2) **No death** – you will never have to go through a bereavement and you yourself will never die, therefore there is no sorrow, tears or sadness where you are going.
- 3) **Nothing bad** – Nothing bad will ever happen to you in this place. You will be totally safe and secure, loved and looked after, and there will never be another nasty surprise waiting to happen.
- 4) **Food** – you will be able to eat what you want, as much as you like, and never put on weight. Eating will just be for pleasure.
- 5) **No darkness** – where you are going there will be no night and no darkness.
- 6) **No fighting** – there is no war, no contentions, no arguments, no crime, everyone loves

everybody the same. The love you feel will be incredible, everyone is a friend, you will have no enemies.

- 7) **No money worries** – everything is free, you will never need to buy anything ever again. All your desires will be satisfied. You will never have to work again, and there will be no stress in your life at all.
- 8) **Travel** – You will be able to travel anywhere, without using ‘machines’, you will be able to think and go!
- 9) **Excitement** – You will be constantly excited and amazed, not once will you ever experience boredom again.
- 10) **No more sin** – anything that is sinful will not be present. You cannot sin, will not sin, and you’ll never have the desire to sin again; neither will anyone ever sin against you or hurt you again.

Can you imagine how good it would be to live in this perfect world for eternity?

People have given names to this kind of place, such as ‘paradise’ or ‘utopia’, but the real and proper name for it is **Heaven**.

Everyone has the opportunity to go to Heaven, but the majority of people don't make it, sadly.

Are you going there when you die? How do you know?

What certainty have you that you'll make it?

If you think you're going because you are a 'good' person who does 'good works', you'll never make it. If you think that you can work or earn a place in Heaven, you'll never make it. You need to understand that. **No one has ever *earned* a place in Heaven.**

Heaven is not a dream, it is a literal and physical place that is offered to everyone. Babies who die, automatically go there.

The only people who *don't* go to Heaven are the ones who die *in their sins* therefore taking their sins with them, (as sin cannot enter Heaven), rather than giving them to Jesus Christ, in exchange for His righteousness. **For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.** 2 Corinthians 5v21.

If you have had your sins forgiven by Jesus Christ, *as He is the only one who can forgive sins*, then

you can go to Heaven when you die. It's as simple as that can you believe. Yet, most people aren't listening to the Lord Jesus, and go their own way, and die in their sins, taking them to Hell, where sin belongs.

Have you asked the Lord Jesus Christ to forgive you?

Have you put your faith and trust in Jesus Christ for your sins forgiven?

If you haven't, you are still carrying your own sins with you, you need to get rid of them.

Jesus Christ took *your sins* upon Himself (Isaiah 53) and was judged, punished, and died for you (1 Peter 3v18), so you don't have to go to Hell, He went to Hell in your place. He did this for you because He loved you so much and wants you to repent and get saved. **The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.** 2 Peter 3v9. **For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.** John 3v16. Three days later He arose from the dead and is now in Heaven with His Father waiting for

the remainder of those who belong to Him.

Young or old, we have all sinned (Romans 3v23), and gone our own way (Proverbs 14v12). As a starting point, just take the 'Ten Commandments' and see how many of those you have broken in your life (Exodus 20). We have all sinned, and sinners don't go to Heaven unless they have had their sins forgiven and taken away, something that only Jesus Christ can do. In the Old Testament they used to sacrifice an animal to *cover* their sin, but it never took their sins away, it is only Jesus Christ and through His precious Blood, that you can have your sins totally removed and washed away (Read Hebrews chapters 9 and 10 in a **King James Bible**, as this will explain it to you).

Jesus knew that we wouldn't be able to get to Heaven on our own, so He provided a way for us by taking our sins upon Himself and sacrificing Himself on our behalf, so the judgement and punishment that we deserved, because of our sins, fell upon Him instead, that's how much He loved us.

So the question is this...

'What have you done with Jesus Christ, received Him as your Saviour, or rejected / ignored Him?'

The answer to that question alone will determine your eternal destiny, either Heaven or Hell.

I became a Christian when I was 18 years old. There are many people reading this booklet who still haven't had their sins forgiven and they will be getting on in years... 70, 80, 90+ years old. For them, time is running out. If this includes you, I would urge you to think very seriously and carefully upon what has been written, and call upon the Lord Jesus Christ right now before it's too late. **For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.** Romans 10v13.

As for me, I will call upon God; and the LORD shall save me. Psalm 55v16.

For thou, Lord, art good, and ready to forgive; and plenteous in mercy unto all them that call upon thee. Psalm 86v5.

The LORD is nigh unto all them that call upon him, to all that call upon him in truth. Psalm 145v18.

Sadly, too many people reject God all their lives and when they come to the end of their life, they *still* will not turn to the Lord for salvation. The Bible makes it clear that the only way to have your sins forgiven and go to Heaven is by coming

to the Lord Jesus Christ - **Jesus saith... I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.** John 14v6.

Heaven is real yet so is Hell. I have written this booklet because I want everyone who reads it to get saved and go to Heaven when they die. I want everyone to go to Heaven and experience all the things I mentioned at the start of this booklet, but it's all about choices. You have a choice, accept the Lord or reject Him? **And if it seem evil unto you to serve the LORD, choose you this day whom ye will serve... but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD.** Joshua 24v15. ... **behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation.** 2 Corinthians 6v2.

The best decision I have made in life was to become a Christian. I know that when I die, I shall be carried by angels into God's presence in Heaven, to spend eternity in perfect peace and love with no fear of anything bad ever happening again.

Why not come with me, and millions of others who have become Christians?

I hope and pray you find the Lord before it's too late.

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. Ephesians 2v8+9. It's not about going to church, doing good works in life trying to earn points with God, as some people believe, it's all about what you do with Jesus Christ, receive Him as your Saviour or reject Him.

The whole meaning and purpose to life is to enter into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, thereby having all your sins forgiven. Religion won't save you, it never has and never will, only Jesus Christ can save you. Calling yourself a 'church-goer', Roman Catholic, Anglican, or anything else means nothing, *are you saved*, have you had your sins forgiven by Jesus Christ?

Would you like to know more about Heaven and what it is *really* like? If so, get yourself a **King James Bible** and read Revelation chapters 20, 21 and 22.

The best decision you'll ever make in life is to become a Christian, and this will fix your destiny so that you, like me and so many others, will go to Heaven when you die.

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