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We await you!



Topic 1

Escape for Your Life

Introduction

Hello, and welcome to the "Rescue" program!

"Rescue" is a worldwide ministry that spreads a message of hope, purpose, and life. For further guidance and information, you may contact us via email and phone with the listed numbers at the end of this message.

On this occasion, evangelist Rosas Calderón Bazán will be reaching you with a message of hope within the comfort of your home, workplace, or wherever you find yourself, defining your purpose, and bringing you back into touch with life. Today's topic will be "Escape for Your Life."

Topic

Today's world is threatened by an epidemic called coronavirus, more specifically COVID-19, a widespread pandemic. On February 26, many news agencies reported that there are 60 countries with 81 thousand people infected and 2,772 deaths, most of them being from China. Jesus said that there would be hunger and pestilences. This is not the only threat to this world. There will be a disregard of events in the end time. But today, the emergency is to escape. However, how will we escape? Many airlines have cancelled all their flights to China which has led to the despair and anguish of many people. Bill Gates said in one of his speeches: "The world needs to prepare for a pandemic in the same seriousness with which it prepares for war," and more than two thousand years ago our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ said the following in the gospel of Luke chapter 21:26: *"Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth: for the powers of heaven shall be shaken."* According to the same gospel of Luke in chapter 21:27,28 Jesus said: *"And then shall they see the Son of man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads; for your redemption draweth nigh."*

We are truly living in the last stages of this world's history, and where can we escape to? I want to give you a piece of news that comes from a real story. There was once a very populous city named Sodom and Gomorrah, where evil reached such an extreme, that God could no longer bear it. Angels went to Lot and brought the news of emergency that Sodom would have to be destroyed. And when the angels had taken them out of the city, they said: Escape for your life! Do not look back, not even at the plain! Escape to the mountains, because if you don't, you will die! Today, dear friends, because of all the evil and immorality, our world is threatened to be destroyed just like Sodom and Gomorrah.

There are threats of pandemics, earthquakes, fires, wars, family problems, and loneliness, leaving us with the question, "Where do we escape to?"

King David, in a desperate situation, both in his country and personal life, exclaimed: *"Whither shall I go from thy spirit? or whither shall I flee from thy presence? If I ascend up into heaven, thou art there: if I make my bed in hell, behold, thou art there. If I take the wings of the morning, and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea; Even there shall thy hand lead me, and*

thy right hand shall hold me. If I say, Surely the darkness shall cover me; even the night shall be light about me. Yea, the darkness hideth not from thee; but the night shineth as the day: the darkness and the light are both alike to thee."

In desperate moments, people seek to escape. But where can they escape to? God is everywhere. Many believe that God has abandoned this planet. But no- God has never left us. He knows you; He knows your problems, your difficulties, your trials and temptations, and invites you in the Gospel of Matthew 11:28: "Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

You and I were lost because, since our forefathers sinned, we have all received the condemnation of death. But we have great news! Christ came to this world, He lived for 33 and a half years, so that His blood may be spilled on Calvary, in order to free you from this condemnation. Because of this, you can now take hold of the promise of eternal life. He is knocking at your heart and mind today, saying, "Come unto me." Come closer to Christ amid the threats of this doomed earth, because He wants to save you. He knows you, knows where you live, and knows what your problem is.

However, a question remains: where is Jesus? Many take refuge in places and wrong things. Perhaps you are experiencing despair. You may have problems with your parents, problems with you children, problems at work, or economic trials. Maybe you feel like everything is collapsing and have therefore taken refuge in sedatives, drugs, and loneliness. I want to tell you that Jesus is waiting for you. I invite you right now, to listen to what the Apostle Paul said in his letter to the Colossians in chapter 3:1: "*If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth. For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God. When Christ, who is our life, shall appear, then shall ye also appear with him in glory.*"

What a great joy it is to know that we can go directly to the same heaven and accept Jesus as our Savior. It is only there that we can escape and hide from any threat of this world. This must be our main objective. Jesus is the only source of security and salvation. You can go to His presence by faith. Jesus Christ doesn't want anyone to be lost, and that is why he made a call through the prophet Isaiah saying the following: "*Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.*"-Is. 55:7.

Yes Friends. When a human accepts Jesus Christ as their personal Savior, a covenant is made between Jesus Christ and the human. This is found in the following declaration: "*Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, except it abide in the vine; no more can ye, except ye abide in me. I am the vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit: for without me ye can do nothing. If a man abide not in me, he is cast forth as a branch, and is withered; and men gather them, and cast them into the fire, and they are burned. If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you. Herein is my Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit; so shall ye be my disciples.*" John. 15:4-8.

Yes friends. The only assurance of salvation is to be in Jesus Christ. And the most wonderful thing of all, is that this relationship of faith in Jesus Christ exists. There will also be a relationship with Jesus Christ in our lives through the work of the Holy Spirit. Because of this relationship, God wants us to begin to prepare in this life, to live a little piece of heaven on this earth, and in this way prepare ourselves to go to heaven. The time of the end has arrived. We are living in the last days of this earth's history and therefore have to take serious decisions. Jesus Said: "*But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.* Matthew 6:33 What holds first place in your life? Is Jesus Christ the motive of everything you do? I ask you at this moment, wherever you may be, to accompany me in a moment of reflection through prayer. Repeat this prayer with me:

Prayer

"Dear Father, I come to you and I thank you for your word. I pray that you may fill us with your Holy Spirit and that we may take the greatest decision today of accepting Jesus as our personal savior. Please let your will be done in our lives. Prepare us, so that You may take us with You to heaven when You come in glory. I pray all this in the name of Jesus, Amen.

Closing

If liked this message, and were blessed by it, then don't hesitate to write to us and send us your comments at the address below. If you want more information, you can also call us at the following numbers. Your friends at the "Rescue" ministry, are pleased to answer all your questions and to help you in any way. Don't miss the next program, on this same channel and at the same time tomorrow. We will be talking about the topic "Don't look back." We await you!

Topic 2

Don't look back

Introduction

Hello and welcome to your rescue program. Rescue is a worldwide ministry that spreads a timely message to rescue hope, purpose, and life. You can contact us for more information at the listed email and phone numbers at the end of this message. On this occasion, evangelist Rosas Calderón Bazán will be reaching you within the comfort of your home, workplace, or wherever you find yourself, with a message of hope to define your purpose and to bring you back into touch with life. We hope that this program will be a blessing for you today. We will hear the topic: Don't look back.

Topic

When an athlete is in a competition, he does not look back. His only looks forward, with his heart and eyes set on the prize. The Jamaican, Usain Bolt, is the fastest runner in history with records in the 100 and 200 meters dash. His secret is to place His look ahead on the finish line and, therefore, he has won many trophies. Dear friends, we make many plans in life. However, sometimes they do not come to fruition as we expected them to, and then the difficulties tempt us to look back. We must however be persistent and move towards the goal. If we look back, then all our advancement will have been in vain. Our life is a competition.

A career begins from our conception, which will continue on throughout our existence. It is a career where the one who is distracted loses the goal and does not fulfill his dreams. The Apostle Paul compared the secular and Christian life to a race. That is why in his letter to the Corinthians in chapter 9 verse 24 he said: *"Know ye not that they which run in a race run all, but one receiveth the prize? So run, that ye may obtain."*

This competition involves effort, and that is why in the first letter of the Corinthians in chapter 9 verses 26 it states: *"Therefore so run, not as uncertainly; so fight I, not as one that beateth the air."* The apostle said I don't run for adventure, or randomly, this means effort...people are eliminated, and Paul said in 1st Corinthians 9:27 *"But I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection: lest that by any means, when I have preached to others, I myself should be a castaway."* (1 Corinthians 9:27) The Apostle was clear when he said that if you get distracted or if you don't put enough effort into the race, then you can lose the competition. Your eyesight should be fixed on the true prize. We all like to be rewarded for what we do and who better than God to gift us a prize of eternal value! Paul clearly knew about this award and wanted to reach it at all costs. In his writings of Philippians chapter 3 verse 14: *"I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."* But, what is this prize?

The book of Revelation presents seven awards for the winner and an eighth that encloses it all. To eat of the tree of life, according to Revelation chapter 2 verse 7, brings vigor and eternal life. Power over death according to Revelation 2:11, is immortality. A new man according to Revelation 2:17, is a new identity. Authority over nations Revelation 2:26; this is lordship and power. Dressed in white as immortality in the book of Life according to Revelation 3:5, this is security. A column in the temple of God according to Revelation 3:12 is a permanent residence among the family of God. Sitting on a throne in Revelation 3:21, this is a restored government. Inheritor of all in Revelation 21:7, is power, fame, and eternal wealth. Jesus is calling and won't grow tired until you hear His

call. He doesn't mind who you are, what conditions you are in, nor how far you think you've come, or how lost you think you are. Christ said the following through Isaiah: "Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is none else."

Many look in the wrong direction thinking that a religion can save them, that culture can save them, that a social position can save them, that morality or good works can save them, or that money can save them; but there is nothing and no one in this world that can save you. That is why Jesus himself ensured the following: "Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved."(Acts 4:12)

As soon as man fell into sin and was condemned to die, Jesus placed himself as a guarantee for man, and when the time came, he stripped himself of His divinity, took on our human nature, and lived 33 years and a half years here on earth. Then he went to the cross and shed His blood to pay for our salvation. Dear friends, Jesus won the prize for each of us and we'll never be able to repay Him for what He obtained. That is why the Apostle Peter, in His first letter, chapter 1 verse 18, said: **"Forasmuch as ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers; But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot"**(1 Peter 1:18-19).

What a wonderful Intervention, that Jesus shed His blood to pay for your salvation and my salvation! We must truly value this great act of love! However; there are many who don't have values in this world. They have sold their soul at a very cheap cost to the enemy for so many small things, for drugs, for sex, for the entertainments of modern technology, or for some other vice that has killed so many young people these days. I want to tell you today that you are worth the blood of Jesus Christ. You are a child of the king and as the true child of the eternal one, don't look back when you are tempted—always look forward. Remember the words of the apostle in Hebrew 10:39, and make them yours: **"But we are not of them who draw back unto perdition; but of them that believe to the saving of the soul."**(Hebrew 10:39) The Lord Jesus said the following, "No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God."

The prize is up in heaven my dear friends. Its eternal life. Colossians 3:1-3 says: *If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth. For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God.* Your perseverance in the Lord will be rewarded. Even though difficulties arise, even though problems lurk in your life, even though there are problems in your home, even though you lack money, even though you have debts, even though your children don't attend church—be persistent, because you are not alone in your fight. God is with you, and your victory is assured with Him.

David, the psalmist, was sure of God's mercy, expressing it in the following way. Psalms 103:4: **"Who redeemeth thy life from destruction; who crowneth thee with lovingkindness and tender mercies."**(Psalm 103:4). In respect to perseverance, Paul told Timothy: *"And if a man also strive for masteries, yet is he not crowned, except he strive lawfully."* If we want to have the prize of eternal life, we should do the following: Fight, stay, congregate constantly, and practice the holiness of obedience. According to Revelation 3:11, there is a risk of losing this great prize and it happens when we look back. Let us always have these apostle's counsels in mind: **Behold, I come quickly: hold that fast which thou hast, that no man take thy crown.** (Revelation 3:11). Revelation 2:5.

Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing. (2 Timothy 4:8)

The path to the prize is full of obstacles and difficulties; however none of it should discourage us. Fear none of those things which thou shalt suffer: behold, the devil shall cast some of you into prison, that ye may be tried; and ye shall have tribulation ten days: be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life.

Athletes abstain from many things to receive an award on this earth. How much more should we pursue the heavenly prize which is eternal life?! We must refrain from anything that involves the risk of losing our incorruptible crown. *And every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a corruptible crown; but we an incorruptible.*

The past is part of your history, but it is not your whole story. Maybe it's been very beautiful, but it won't help you in the future and will not change your present unless you take a decision today. Maybe you've had a very difficult story but have placed it in the hands of the Lord. Dear friends, I invite you to make a commitment with the Lord today; to promise to be persistent, and to never look back, even though difficulties will arise. If you feel faint and want to surrender, then today I tell you, that you are not alone in your struggle. Christ is at your side and will persist with you a little longer. With Christ, your victory is assured.

Prayer

Pray with me: I come to you at this moment, Lord of mercy and Love. I come to you with all those who are listening, thanking you for your word at this moment, and asking you to fill us with your holy spirit and bless all those who have listened to your word. In the name of Jesus, Amen.

Closing

Don't look back, was the message we heard today. If you liked this message and it has been a blessing for your life, then send us your comments, suggestions, and greetings through this email address. If you want more information, you can also call us at this phone number. Your friends from the "Rescue" ministry will be delighted to help you. In the next topic, at this same channel and hour tomorrow, the evangelist Rosas Calderón Bazán will be addressing the topic: "Flee to the mountain" Don't miss it! We await you!

Topic 3

FLEE TO THE MOUNTAIN

Introduction

Hello and welcome to the Rescue program.

“Rescue” is a worldwide ministry that spreads messages of hope with a mission of rescuing hope, purpose, and life. We are happy that you have accompanied us on this occasion of the third presentation of this conference.

Today, the evangelist Rosas Calderón Bazán will be sharing a very important topic with us entitled: “Flee to the Mountain.” Today you will see that God has a message for you to define your purpose, give you hope, and put you in contact with life.

TOPIC

A high mountain in Peru called Machu Picchu was chosen as the 7th wonder of the world on July 7, 2007. It was chosen by more than 100 million people worldwide through an open vote online, and thousands of people visit it each year. Many consider it a place of escape from stressful cities, bringing them much peace.

Friends... a mountain with much history is recorded in the Bible, called "Mount Sinai." It was here that Moses received two tablets of stone called the “Ten Commandments”, directly from God. The apostle Paul said the following about these commandments, which were also called the moral codes for the human race: (Romans 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.”*

Thanks to the law, we now know that we are sinners and can see the degraded moral condition of the human race. Because of disobedience to this law, our world is in a state of despair. We find crisis in marriages- divorce has become an ordinary every-day event, there is crisis in politics- corruption has become an every-day event, there is a spiritual crisis, and the world is going after its own personal gods, leaving God, the Creator, out of the equation. They are letting crises abound in all areas. Even though human beings want to solve the problems through their own efforts, they will never succeed, because it is not in the wisdom and human ability to solve anything. But there is a hope... and although looking at Mount Sinai is not the solution, instead... we must look to Mount Calvary. An invitation calls, saying, “Let us go to mount Golgotha and let us bow down before the cross of Christ to find Salvation.”

More than 2000 years ago, on mount Calvary, a cross was lifted to exhibit Him who came to perfectly accomplish the law that was given on Mount Sinai. Those ten commandments (when fulfilled) are the conditions for our salvation. If there is one thing that defines the life of a human, it is what he glories in, that which he exalts above everything else. Every human glories in something: maybe it’s a particular skill, a possession, their ancestry, in the people he knows, in the knowledge he possesses, in the goals he has achieved, and some even take pride in their own wickedness. In light of that reality, we must ask ourselves: what must a Christian glory in? The

apostle Paul answers this question in (Galatians 6:14) *“But God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world is crucified unto me, and I unto the world.”*

It is on the cross that God’s justice is exhibited in man’s favor. There, with open arms, Christ hung. He was nailed to the cross for you and for me, even though we should have been nailed to it to pay for our condemnation of disobeying the Holy law of God. Yet, Christ was hung as man’s substitute.

Whenever we find someone seeking salvation from anything other than the sacrifice of Christ (which He did when he died on that cross for us), then we can be completely sure that we are in front of a person that has not understood the true message of the gospel. In other words... He who does not glory in the cross, is not a Christian. In 1st Corinthians 1:18, Paul said, *“May God not allow me to glory in anything else. “For the preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness; but unto us which are saved it is the power of God.”*

The cross must be the center of your life and ministry. We must feel the infallible love of God—the sacrifice He made on behalf of the people who absolutely don’t deserve it. Few have expressed this thought with such beauty and sensibility as Isaac Watts, in the hymn that He entitled, *“When I survey the wondrous cross”*

*When I survey the wondrous cross
Oh which the Prince of glory died
My richest gain I count but loss
And pour contempt on all my pride.
Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast,
Save in the death of Christ my God
All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to His blood/
See from his dead, his hands,
His feet, Sorrow and love flow mingled down!
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?
Where the whole realm of nature mine,
That were a present far too small,
Love so amazing, so divine,
Demands my soul, my fire, my all.*

Dear friends... Jesus died on the cross. But I want to tell you today, that He is no longer on that cross. It is through the cross, that He opened up the path to the throne of grace. But don’t go to the cross of Calvary today. Jesus is no longer nailed or dead. He is alive and invites us to *“Go to another mountain.”* The mountain which we must escape to is the throne of grace, because it is there that we can find the solution to our problems. The father's mercy will cover our lives. The apostle said: *“Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.”*

Isaiah also gave us a very prudent and valuable counsel: *“Come ye and let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob; and he will teach us of his ways, and we will walk in his paths.”*

Friend... I invite you right now to be on this mountain... not on Mount Sinai or on mount Calvary. Let us go to the mountain of the throne of God, where Jesus can be found saying: *"Therefore, if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new."* (2 Corinthians 5:17)

How wonderful it is to be declared "new creatures" and "children of God" in Jesus! There is forgiveness, justification, and salvation in the presence of God. You will never be able to live without him for a single moment. My dear friend and brother, do not despair. Find refuge in Jesus and everything will be fine... This world is threatened to be destroyed in many way, but the only way to be saved is to be united with Jesus. This can be done in two ways: by studying His Holy Word and by praying.

If you are listening to the "Rescue Program" right now, then take into mind that we are all over the world, ready to help you take a decision. Dear friend... Escape for your life. Escape as a son of God, and don't let what the world offers dominate your life.

Don't let this world and its delights trap you like it trapped Lot. Escape for your life and if you love your life, then don't let yourself be dominated by future promises. Escape for your life. Escape with your relatives. When God tells you to get out from among them my people (so that you may not be a victim of their plagues) then may your obedience be stronger than delights and sweet comfort. Lot left Sodom as a poor man, for he did not take his goods with him. He left everything behind, including his daughters. What would your reaction to this message have been? Have you ever thought: how soon will we be called to do the same thing? Are you willing to leave everything?? Including your unbelieving relatives?? Are they ready? Will you be faithful to the lord?? How far will your obedience reach??

Friends... If you have taken your decision today, then I invite you to come with me to the throne of grace through a prayer. Let us bow our heads:

Prayer

Eternal father who art in heaven, we come to you at this moment, grateful for your word that has been shared today. We plead to you oh lord, for the forgiveness of our sins, and we thank you infinitely, because in Jesus Christ, your son, we are declared your children. We ask you to please fill us with your Holy Spirit and allow us to be bound to you. All this we pray, in the name of Jesus, Amen.

Closing

Flee to the mountain, was the message presented to us today by our friend and lecturer Rosas Calderón Bazán. If this message has impacted you in any way, and if it's been a blessing for you, then don't hesitate to send us your comments to the email that you already know. But if this has been your first time participating in this program, then write to us at this email or the following phone number. Your friends at the Rescue ministry are eager to happily help you and serve you if you have any comment or question. Don't miss the next and last program of this series on this same channel and time, with the same speaker tomorrow. Be careful not to perish. We're waiting for you!

Topic 4

Be careful, lest you perish

Introduction

Hello! And welcome to the "Rescue" program. We are grateful that you have accompanied us throughout this program until today. Rescue is a world-wide ministry that spreads a message of hope to rescue purpose and life. At this time the evangelist Rosas Calderón Bazán will be sharing an important study with each one of you, entitled "Beware, lest you perish". If this message turns out to be a blessing for you, as we hope it will, then don't hesitate to send us your feedback or comments. You can write to us or call us at the listed email and phone numbers at the end of this message. Welcome!

Topic

One day, in the 1980s, when terrorism was in full swing in Peru, I arrived at a village in the Pachiza jungle. It was noon as I walked through the Plaza of Arms with my canvassing colleague, when a stranger suddenly intercepted us, inviting us to eat lunch. We gladly accepted his invitation because we were hungry. In the restaurant, as my colleague Pedro Alva Cruz talked to this stranger, I went to the kitchen to order a special meal. I was surprised, when the chef started talking to me, and said: "Sir, that man will kill you because he is a terrorist." Escape, so that you may not die!" "But where can we go to" I asked her. She then proceeded to tell me that there was an escape door at the back of the building. So, while the stranger wasn't paying attention, my colleague and I escaped and got in a taxi that was just driving by. This is how God saved our lives.

Dear friends, God does not want anyone to die. In His infinite love and mercy, He wants us all to be saved, so that we may all enjoy eternal life together one day. That is why 2 Peter 3:9 says: *"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."* To perish without God is to lose everything. But God will never abandon His children. He has, on the contrary always provided His company and care to them. It is the human being that often chooses his own ways and thus leaves the presence of God. Solomon said: *"There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death."*

There are true and false religious people....Jesus said: *"Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works? And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity."* Matthew 7:21-23

There are famous preachers whose churches are filled, yet they do not teach the truth; therefore, Jesus Christ said: *"Let them alone: they be blind leaders of the blind. And if the blind lead the blind, both shall fall into the ditch."*—Matthew 23:16

"Although God wants everyone to be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth, not everyone accepts Christ in their lives, and therefore, shall one day perish for having rejected the redemptive

grace." Jesus said, " But he answered and said, Every plant, which my heavenly Father hath not planted, shall be rooted up."

It is our Father's hope that no one perishes. We must therefore thank Him for His patience and continue to obey the command that the Lord left us with, before ascending up to heaven: "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." God doesn't want you to perish. If you are on the wrong path today, then it's time to start over with Jesus. In **Ezekiel 33:11** it says: " Say unto them, As I live, saith the Lord God, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked; but that the wicked turn from his way and live: turn ye, turn ye from your evil ways; for why will ye die, O house of Israel?"

The Lord wants everyone to be saved, which is why he makes a very special call during this time of crisis: "For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour; Who will have all men to be saved, and to come unto the knowledge of the truth."

The truth is that Jesus is the only Savior; the truth is that Jesus Christ awaits you in heaven today; the truth is that Jesus Christ is coming soon; the truth is that His word (the Bible) is God's truth—the truth is His holy law. Jesus said the following in regard to His love for humanity: "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. For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved. He that believeth on him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God."

Our merciful God wants everyone to know Christ through repentance, but the question is: What is repentance? Repentance is feeling pain for having offended God and turning away from the sin. If you are on a bad path, then I want to tell you that God wants to save you. If you are on drugs, if you think that no one loves you, or if you feel lonely, then come to the Lord. He loves you and Salvation and forgiveness are found in Him. Jesus is waiting for you. I want to tell you that there is hope and that everything on this earth will soon be over. Jesus came to earth as our Savior, and before he was crucified, He promised that He would prepare a place for us in His Father's house. He will return and will take us to be with Him, so that we may dwell where He abides. Jesus said in His word: " Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also. And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know."

Dear friends, this is our hope: Jesus Christ is coming soon! In **Titus 2:13**, the Apostle Paul declares that this hope is blessed: " Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ."

The events that are before our eyes, are announcing that Christ is coming soon. There are signs in the world, in the sea, on land, and in the environment. Different evil things like the epidemic of the coronavirus, are constantly spreading, affecting and destroying many lives. But soon everything will be over.

Dear friends, God is a patient and loving Father. Don't live the experience of the prodigal son, who had to lose everything, and fall into the deepest hole of sin, to recognize how happy he had been in

his father's house. He said, *"I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee."*

In the same manner, if you feel like you've strayed far from the ways of the Lord, then today is the day for you to recognize your sin and to return to the Father. He is willing to heal your wounds and will receive you in His arms of love—the merciful heart of the father. In the parable of the prodigal son, we can see the merciful heart of the Father. Even though the son left to follow his own ways, when he returned to his father, he was not kicked out.

The father patiently waited every day for his son, who had reached a very low place in life, to return home. "And he arose and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him." Likewise, our heart must throb for those who are lost. The father, upon seeing his son, was moved to mercy and when he saw his son repent, he exclaimed "For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found. And they began to be merry." Yes, my friends, the Father does not want to lose any of his children, and you are a child of God, by right of creation and redemption. He who died on the cross of Calvary demonstrated how much he loves you.

Today, as a guarantee of his love, Christ, in heaven, is waiting for you to come to him right now. If you believe in Him, then He says, "My son, it is you". Dear friend and brother who is listening to me, God does not want you to perish. Just like he saved me from the terrorist who wanted to kill me, he wants to save you from eternal death. It hurts His heart when his children, whom he gave his life for, leave the true path. Yet he is patient, and is waiting for you.

If you find yourself far from God at this moment or stage of your life, then I want you to hear the call and come back to the father. He intercedes for you. Through the Holy Spirit, he knocks at the door of your heart and is willing to forgive you with open arms. If you are willing to accept him as your Savior, then I invite you to unite with me in this prayer:

Prayer

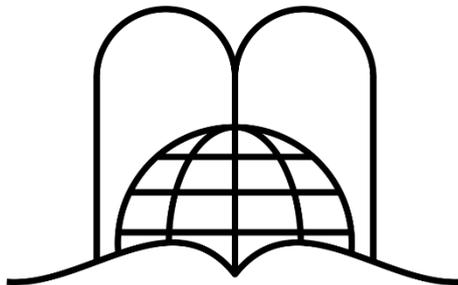
Father, I thank you for the opportunity you gave us to listen to your messages during this series. We ask that your grace and love be with each of us. May it move our hearts. Please receive us at your throne of grace as your children and allow us Lord, to be filled with your Holy Spirit. May we depend on you every day of our lives, and may we give our lives to you. In the name of Jesus, Amen.

Conclusion

Careful, lest you perish, was the message that the evangelist Rosas Calderón Bazán shared with us tonight. If this message was a blessing for your life, if it impacted you, and if it led you to take important decisions, then we invite you to contact the Rescue ministry through our email listed here. You can also give us a call so that we can help you in anything you need, especially if you want to live your life with the Lord. We will soon also be of service in other ways and through other important topics and will contact you about them in due time. Meanwhile, we invite you to remain in contact with the Rescue ministry. May God bless you!!



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