If There Is No Hell--Then Jesus Is A Liar!
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Note.....
1. When the flesh dies, the spirit man and soul of a person are carried away immediately.
2. There is a real place called Hell.
3. Hell is full of torments (there are many other descriptions of Hell in the Bible) burning fire being one described here.
4. A person feels things in hell--fire is hot--the tongue is thirsty--etc.
5. A soul in torment can speak and think--the rich man is concerned about his family.
6. People in Hell are very aware that they were warned in this lifetime by the scriptures--the Bible tells us how to be saved from Hell.
7. Some would say that this story is a “parable”--and so, not a true story. But every other parable that Jesus told uses real places and events to tell a lesson--Jesus would not “create” a place called hell, just to tell a lesson!--HELL IS REAL!

The Bible says Hell is real. Jesus said Hell is real. We ALL need to be saved from Hell--Jesus made the way...
"Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me."  
(John 14:6)

"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."  
(John 3:16-17).

"And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me."
(2Corinthians 12:9)

When we are alone and needy, we can count on Jesus--not man-- to help us. He will do what it takes to help you! We don't have to be #1 in the world--because God supplies the need! The words above were spoken by Paul, one of the greatest servants of the Lord. “Weakness” does not disqualify anyone from serving God! We are truly ALL called to serve Him with the gifts He has given us!

"These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world."  
(John 16:33)

We must not look to the world for the answers to our problems. We must only trust in Jesus! Right now, pray to Him--ask Him for your healing--surrender your problem to Jesus. He desires to heal you! Yes! It is God's greatest desire to see you made whole! He has overcome the world for you--pray to Jesus now!

“But now being made free from sin, and become servants to God, ye have your fruit unto holiness, and the end everlasting life. For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord  
(Romans 6: 22-23).

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