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But rest for your soul comes from God and only him through his son Jesus Christ.

" For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only son, that whoever believes in him shall not parish but have eternal life. John 3:16 Are you sick, in pain, frustrated, unhappy of the unfairness of life, poor, hungry, held bond by drugs, sex, satanic influence, tired of life, failure, shame, disgrace and discouraged about life, angry with family members, friends, neighbours, and even with GOD. You might not be going through any of these feelings but you know something is missing in your life, you know inside of you that something need to be address in your life.

I urge you to make good use of this opportunity to make a decision that will help you experience a new beginning and rest for your soul.

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