Luke 13:22-30

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Then one said to Him, "Lord, are thee few who are saved?" and He said to them, Strive to enter through the (), for many, I say to you, will seek to enter and will not be able. (Luke 13:23-24)

Today, many religious people believe they can go to heaven without being born again. However, Jesus said, 'many will seek to enter and will not be able.' "not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven....and then I will declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from Me, you who practice lawlessness!' (Matthew 7:21-23)

Even though one prophesies in God's name and do many wonders, if he/she is not born again according to God's will, he/she cannot go to heaven.

"and this is the will of Him who sent Me, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in Him may have everlasting life; and I will raise him up at the last day" (John 6:40). Many who try to enter the kingdom of heaven with their own work are actually deceived by false prophets and heading toward eternal destruction.

"There is a way that seems right to a man, but its end is the way of death" (Proverbs 16:25).

However, if someone seeks God's grace in truth and seeks His kingdom, then God will guide him and reveal Himself to him.

"Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and to him who knocks it will be opened" (Matthew 7:7).

As a matter of fact, it is very difficult to find born again Christians around us. Therefore, the world excludes and persecutes true Christians because they are different.

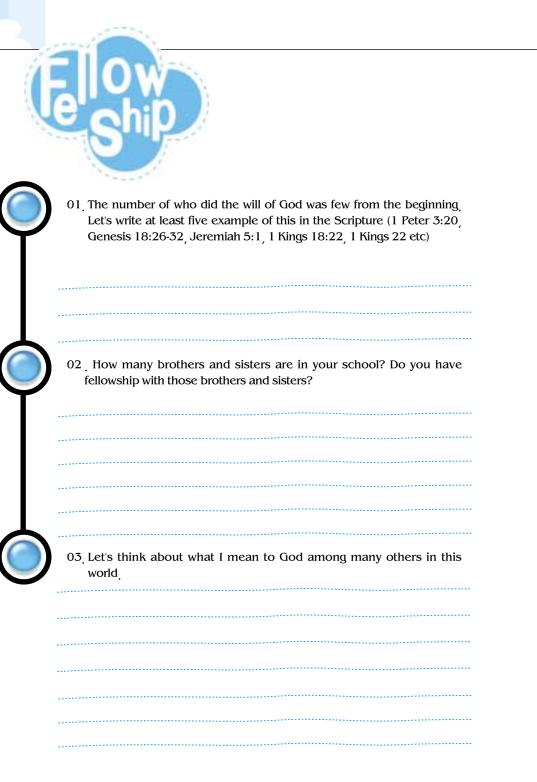
"...Yet because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you." (John 15:19)

This world who killed Jesus on the cross will by no means like His disciples (Matthew 10:25). Nevertheless, just because we are few in number, we should not fear.

"Do not fear, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom." (Luke 12:32)

"You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden." (Matthew 5:14)







04. It is written, 'I shall be glorious in the eyes of the LORD.' However, if there is a time when you underestimate or abase yourself, let's share it with others.



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