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~~-75%~~

**LIMITED
TIME OFFER**

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Oooh! A sale!
Stop the car!



A black and white comic strip. In the first panel, a man with a mustache and a striped shirt leans over a woman with short hair who is driving a car. The man is holding a cigarette holder.

They might have something I want!

Melanie, my wallet hasn't healed since your last "I want."

In the second panel, the man is gesturing with his hands while speaking to the woman.

You must admit, I'm saving you money!

Baby, if you save me any more money, I'll go broke!

I love that woman, but
she can't resist a sale.

Mm
hmm...



She falls for all the signs. They jack up the price, then put on a "half off" sticker. They're *all crooks!*

Uh—no
offense.

None
taken.

But the worst of all is "Limited time offer." They say that, so you don't go find a better price!



I know of one offer that's better than the others.

Oh yeah? What offer is that?





One day Jesus will come back and "judge the world in righteousness."^{*}

And He *offers* you a limited time to get ready.

*Psalm 9:8



Now listen ... uh... what's your name?

Call me Joe.

Listen, Joe. We were having a nice conversation here, and you bring up religion!



You sound just like Melanie's preacher!

So tell me: Why would a God of love burn someone for all eternity? How do you explain that?



The fire wasn't made for you.

God had better
plans for you from
the beginning.

What?

Think of Adam
and Eve.

They were the perfect couple, in a
garden created by God.
Adam just had to take care of it.*

A black and white illustration of Adam and Eve. Adam is on the right, wearing a loincloth, and Eve is on the left, wearing a simple cloth. They are both looking towards the viewer with expressions of surprise or concern. The background is a simple, light-colored landscape.

*Genesis 2:15

They could eat from almost any
tree but there was one catch...

"But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil,
thou shalt not eat of it."

for *in the day* that thou eatest
thereof thou shalt surely die."
(Genesis 2:17)



Later, Adam told Eve God's words.

But the Devil used a subtle, sly serpent to suggest that God was holding out on them.



"Ye shall not surely die: For God doth know...

...that in the day ye eat thereof then your eyes shall be opened,...



...and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil."*

Eve, then Adam with her, ate.
And it cost them, big time.

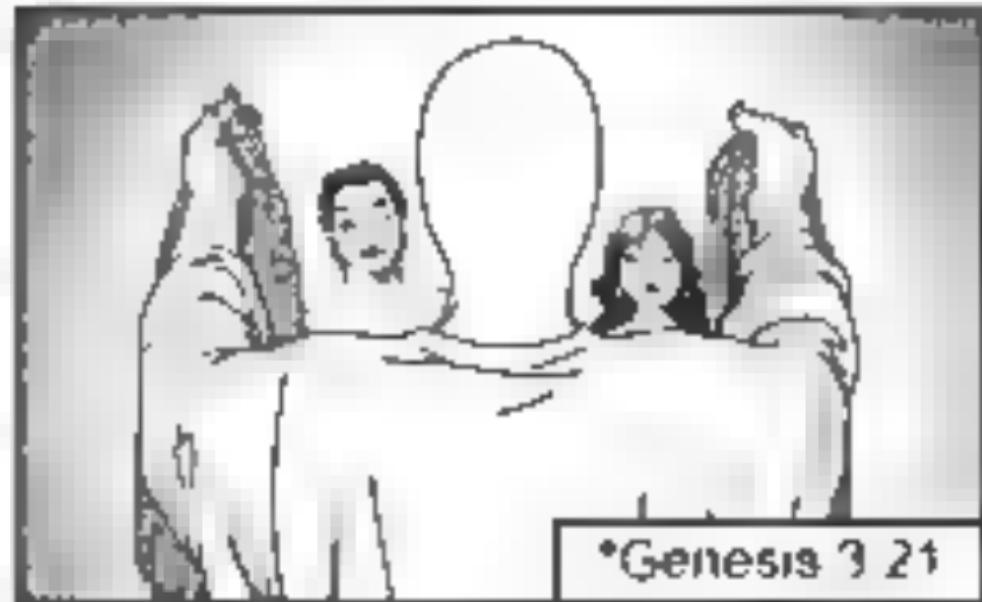
*Genesis 3:4-5

They had broken the only commandment God had given Adam. Now it was time to pay



They deserved to die but the Lord did something amazing

The Lord killed two innocent animals and made "coats of skins, and clothed them ""



*Genesis 3:21

So there were two deaths in that day. The Lord killed those animals instead of them!

Sin entered the world They lost paradise And everything went down from there



The Lord said ' Your iniquities have separated between you and your God ***'



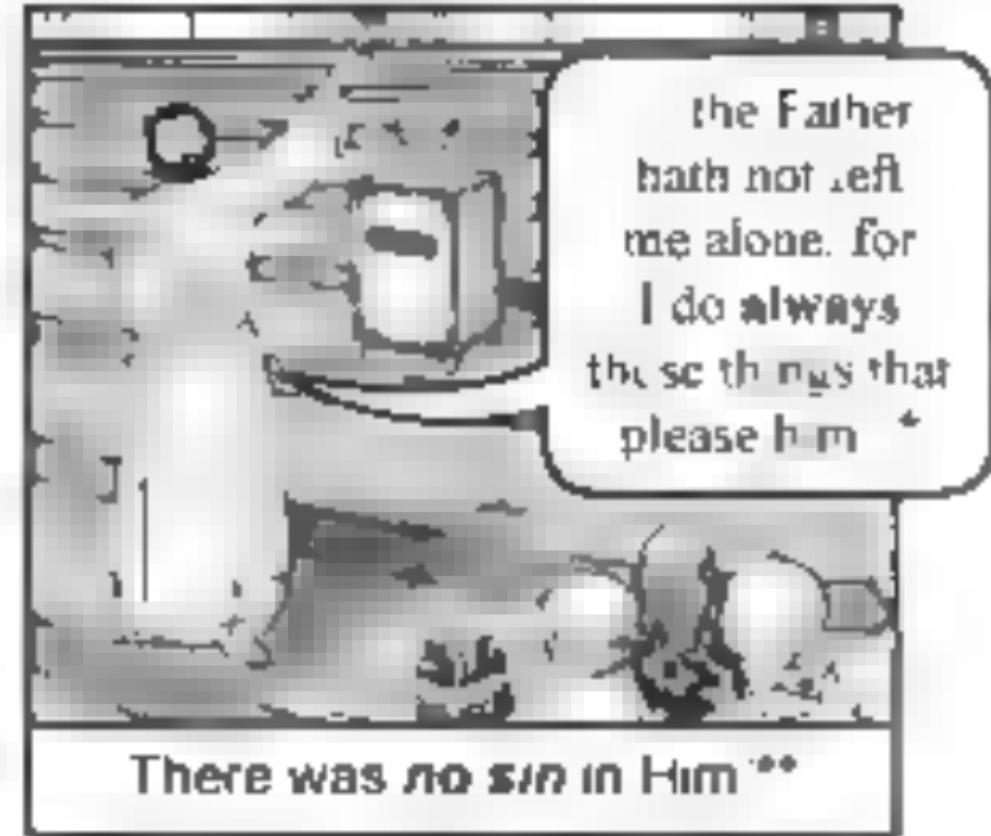
Isaiah 59:2

No animal could do it. And no man could pay for even his own sins much less anyone else's



It needed to be a **sinless** sacrifice

So Jesus came to earth and lived a perfect life



There was **no sin in Him** **

*John 8:29 ** See 1 John 3:5

He died on a cross
as it cursed by God



But Jesus took our curse on Himself,*
and paid the price for all our sin. **

(It was the ultimate act of love)

For God so loved the world that
he gave his one beloved Son that
whoever believes in him should
not perish but have everlasting life.

John 3:16



*Deuteronomy 21:23 Jeremiah 3:13

** John 19:30

What more could Jesus do?

But you say "Religion's for old
people I've still got wild oats to sow"

Those are my wor



You can't avoid God forever
Phil One day the offer will
end every eye shall see
Him.* and it'll be too late

Do you know what
will happen next?

*See Revelation 17

Don't tell me They'll weigh all my
good deeds and bad deeds Then
if my bad deeds weigh more

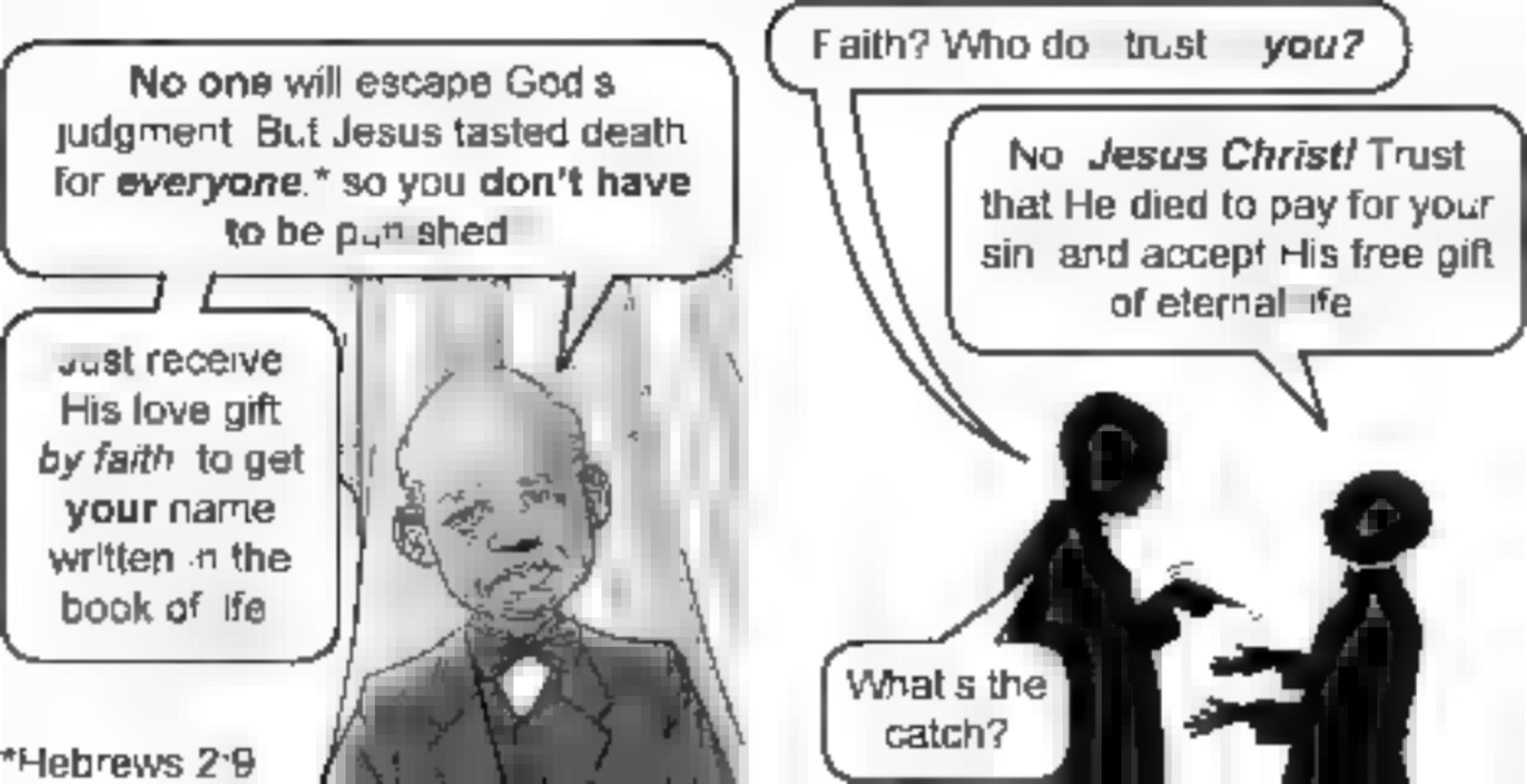


I'll go to hell
Right?

Wrong, and you know it



"And whosoever was not found
written in the book of life
was cast into the lake of fire"
Revelation 20:15



No one will escape God's judgment. But Jesus tasted death for everyone.* so you don't have to be punished.

Just receive His love gift by faith to get your name written in the book of life

Faith? Who do you trust?

No Jesus Christ! Trust that He died to pay for your sin and accept His free gift of eternal life

What's the catch?

You must admit to God that you are a sinner who needs forgiveness, and that you can't make it to heaven on your own terms



Wait—that's too easy!

Phil anyone can be forgiven, if they admit their sinfulness and trust Jesus to save them

The fire was for the devil and his angels.* You only go there if you refuse His gift!



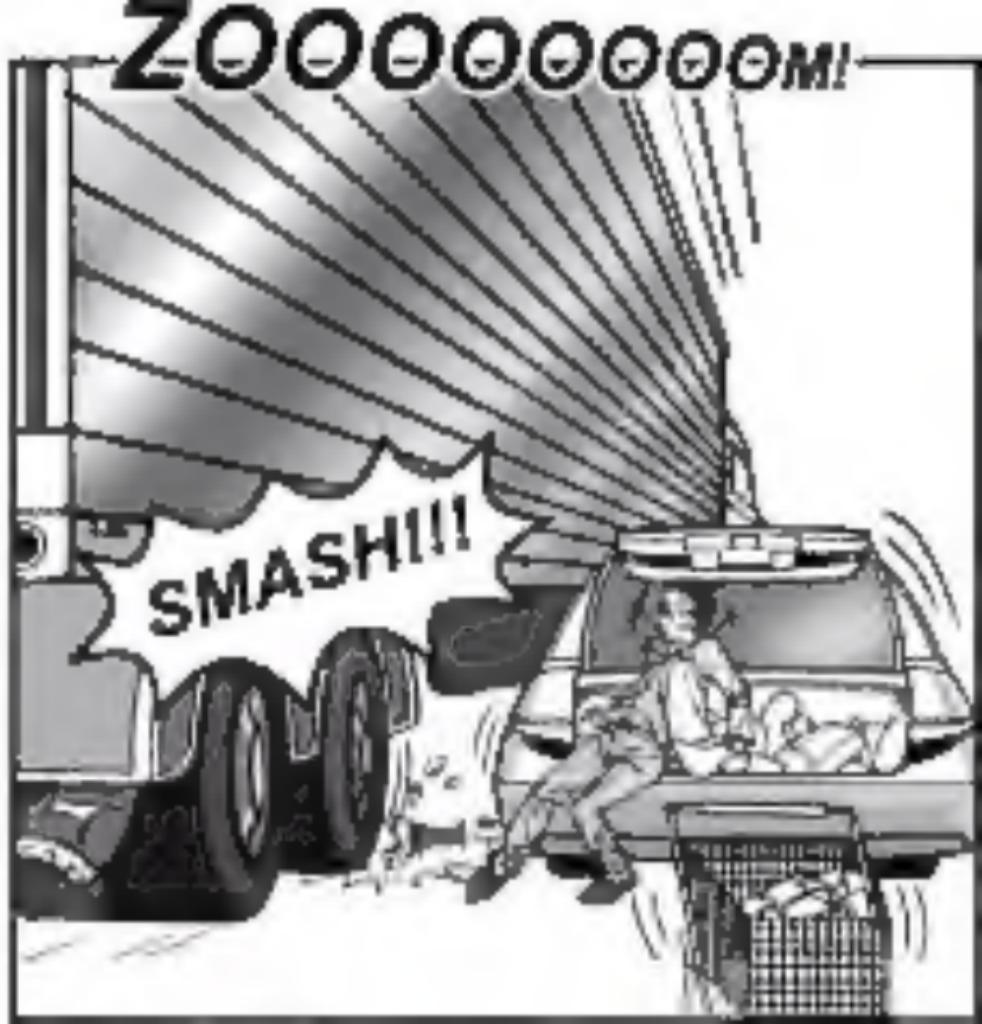
*Matthew 25:41

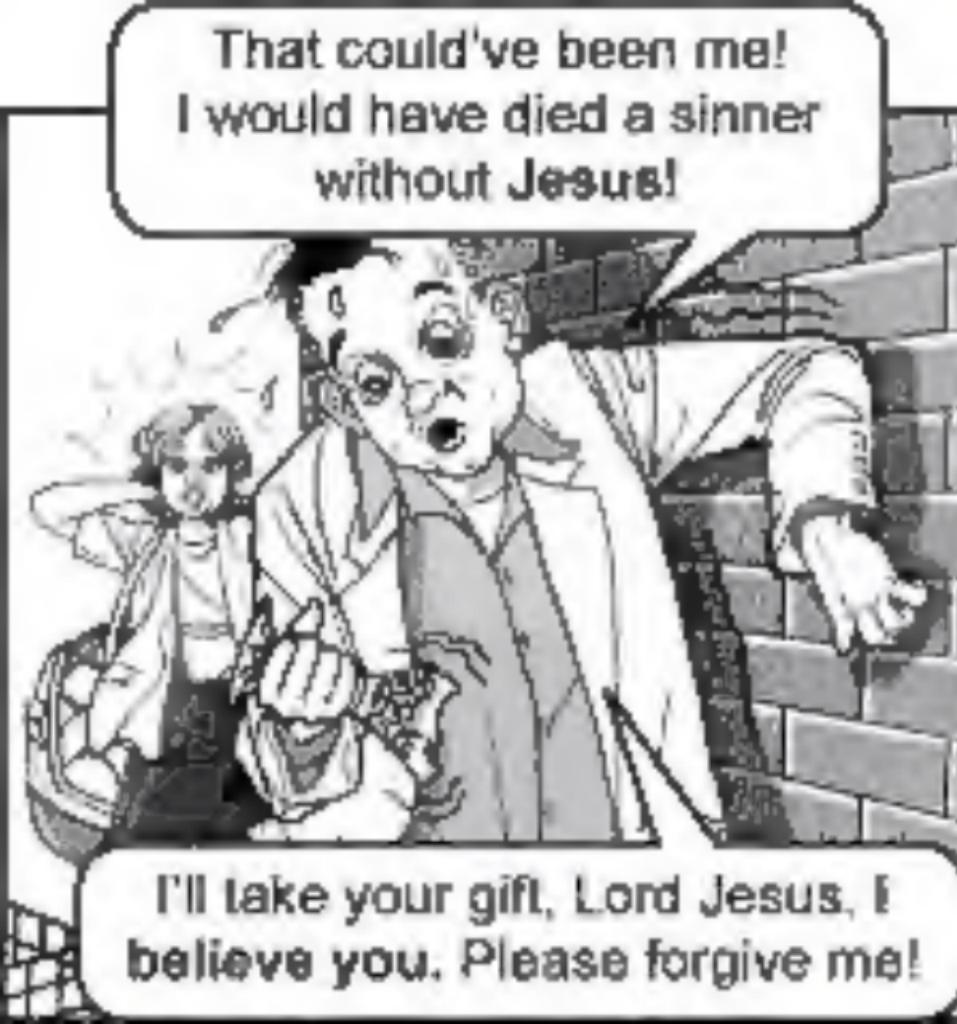


I'm ready!

I've got to go. Nice
uh... talking with you.

Remember, this is a limited
time offer. You never know
when your time is up





That could've been me!
I would have died a sinner
without Jesus!

Honey, I'll be right back! I've
got to tell Joe thank you!



I'll take your gift, Lord Jesus. I
believe you. Please forgive me!

Who?

I'm sorry, sir. It's just us.
There is no "Joe" here.*



"...Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ,
and thou shalt be saved..." Acts 16:31

Do you admit that you
are a sinner? YES NO

Do you believe Jesus died
to pay for your sins? YES NO

Did you ask Him to forgive you YES NO
and come into your heart?

If you did, remember this date.

Date _____

Your Name _____

THE BIBLE SAYS THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO HEAVEN!

Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life; no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." John 14:6

NOBODY ELSE CAN SAVE YOU. TRUST JESUS TODAY!

"That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." Rom. 10:9

1. Admit you are a sinner. See Romans 3:10
2. Be willing to turn from sin (repent). See Acts 17:30
3. Believe that Jesus Christ died for you, was buried and rose from the dead. See Rom. 10:9-10
4. Through prayer, invite Jesus into your heart to become your personal Saviour. See Rom. 10:13

WHAT TO PRAY

Dear God, I am a sinner and need forgiveness. I believe that Jesus Christ shed His precious blood and died for my sin. I am willing to turn from sin. I now invite Christ to come into my heart as my personal Saviour.

If you trusted Jesus as your Saviour, you have just begun a wonderful new life with Him. Now:

1. Read your Bible (KJV) every day to get to know Jesus Christ better.
2. Talk to God in prayer every day.
3. Be baptized, worship, fellowship, and serve with other Christians in a church where Christ is preached and the Bible is the final authority.
4. Tell others about Jesus Christ.

Here's help to grow as a new Christian! Read *The Next Step*, available at www.chick.com.

