



**SCREAM!**

J.T.C.

Hey, Charlie, is  
*this* the place?

Yeah... grab  
the gasoline and  
follow me!



How **much** is the owner paying  
you to torch this joint, Charlie?



*There she goes!*

*Move it, Sonny!*

*I'm outa here!*

*I tripped!  
**NOOO!***





*Oh, man! Charlie  
must be dead...  
Nobody could live  
through that!*

*Think it was  
arson?*



*Fred run! The roof's gonna go!*



Get a team onto the 2nd floor...





That was really *close!* They're taking him to the burn ward.

Poor Fred.

2 weeks later

The arsonist wasn't so lucky.

We found his body on the 1st floor.

Following week



Honey, this is Bob Williams.  
He wanted to meet you.

Hi, Fred.  
We've been  
*praying*  
for you.

Thank you. I'm  
doing much better  
now. It's been rough.

But you know I keep having  
flashbacks. The flames, the  
smoke... It was *hell!*

(sniff) Gotta  
go, honey...  
Back soon.

You got a *taste* of hell... but  
it's a lot *worse* than that!



Are you an expert on hell?

No, but  
Jesus is.

What makes **Him** the big authority?

He **should** know all about hell, Fred.  
The Bible tells us that **He created it!**

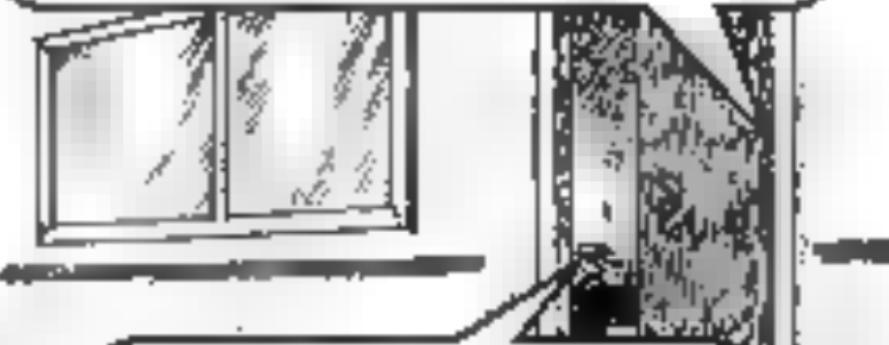


**What??** Do you realize  
what you are saying? Are you  
telling me Jesus is **God**?

"All things were made by him; and  
without him was not any thing made  
that was made."

John 1:3

He is God, Fred \* Jesus describes hell as a very terrible place. He was **constantly** warning us about it



Man, I thought hell was just a swear word

No, it's a very real place, Fred. In fact, Jesus told a **true story** about it. Want to hear it?



It's about a guy who actually saw it!

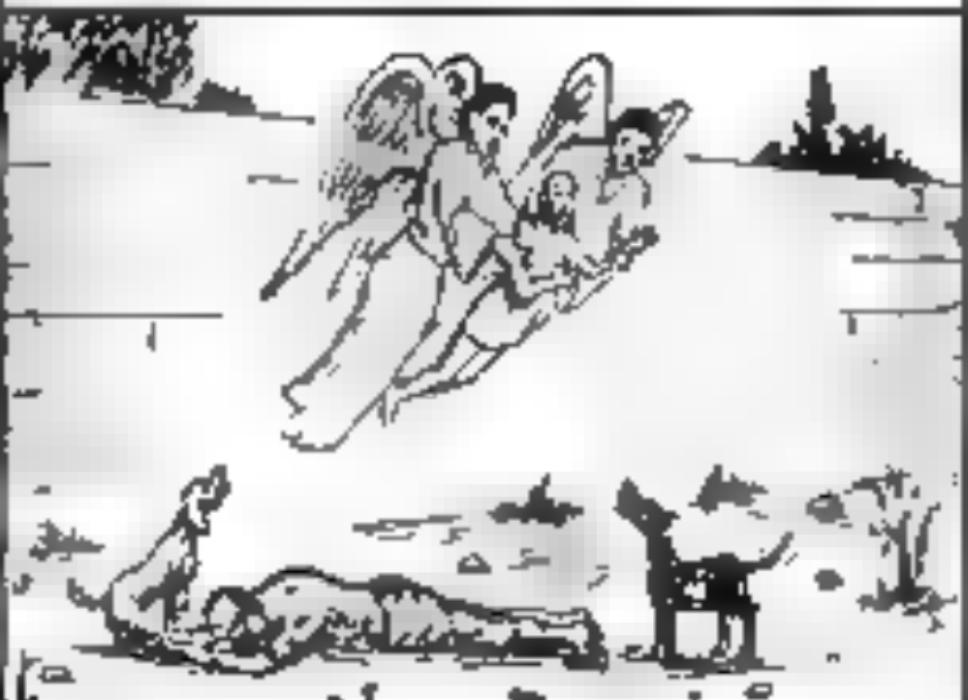
\* In the beginning was the Word (Jesus Christ), and the Word was with God, and the Word was God John 1:1



Top: Head & shoulders



And it came to pass,  
that the beggar died



and was carried by the angels  
into Abraham's bosom

the rich man also died, and  
was buried " Luke 16:22



Where do you think he went?

And in hell he lift up his eyes being  
in torment, and seeth Abraham afar  
off, and saith unto him



Send Lazarus that he may dip his  
finger in water and cool my tongue:  
for I am tormented in this flame.

Luke 16:23-24

But Abraham said, Son, remember  
that thou in thy lifetime receivedst  
the good things



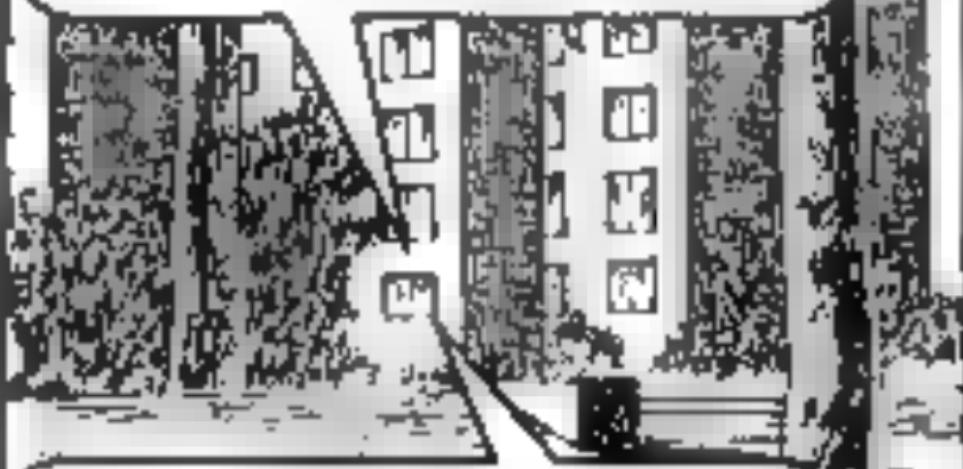
and I likewise Lazarus evil things  
but now he is comforted, and thou  
art tormented. Luke 16:25

Fred, there was a great gulf between them that neither one could cross



And in this story Jesus told us several things about hell.

In hell, people can remember everything. They are thirsty. They can see and hear, they can think and feel pain.



The rich man worried about his five unsaved brothers. Look what he asked Abraham

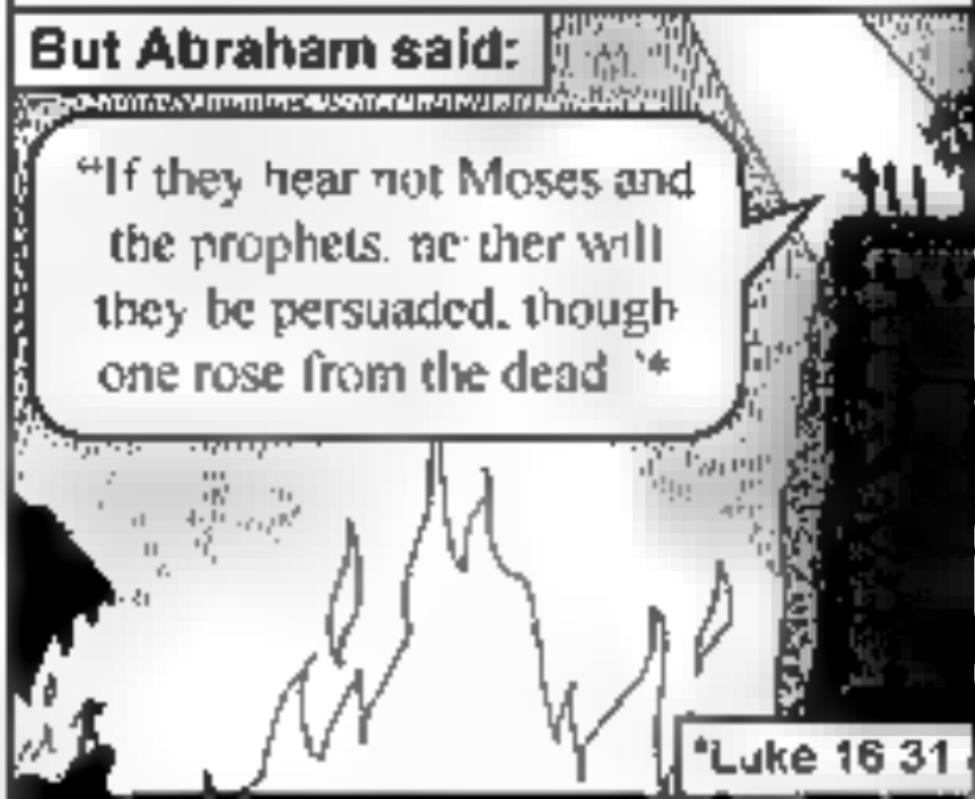
He begged Abraham to send Lazarus back to his father's house.



Please, Father Abraham!

to warn his brothers about hell and how **horrible** it actually is.

The rich man argued that if someone came back from the dead, they would believe!



But Abraham said:

"If they hear not Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded, though one rose from the dead."

Hell is a furnace of fire that never goes out. It's where unsaved people weep and gnash their teeth in pain



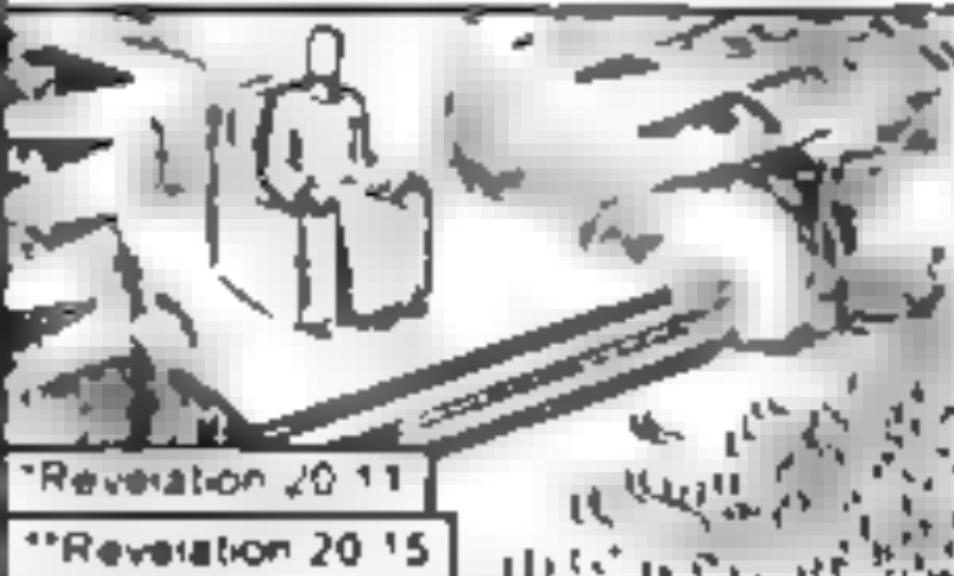
There's screaming and torment. They curse God because all hope is gone!

Do they ever get out?

Once people die without God's forgiveness there is no second chance



At the end Jesus Christ will sit on His Great White Throne \* facing the billions who died in their sins



\*Revelation 20:11

\*\*Revelation 20:15

This is Judgment Day. All who did not believe His Word shall be sent into the horrible Lake of Fire\*\* for eternity

You've scared me to death! That's where I'm going isn't it Bob?



Yes, but listen to this, Fred

God is not a being that any should perish but that all should come to repentance \*

Fred God gave you a way of escape

\*2 Peter 3:9

Jesus knew you were  
going to hell Fred so  
He left heaven for you  
He knew you were guilty  
and totally lost.

So He paid a  
horrible price He  
took all the sins of  
humanity and put  
them on His own  
sinless body



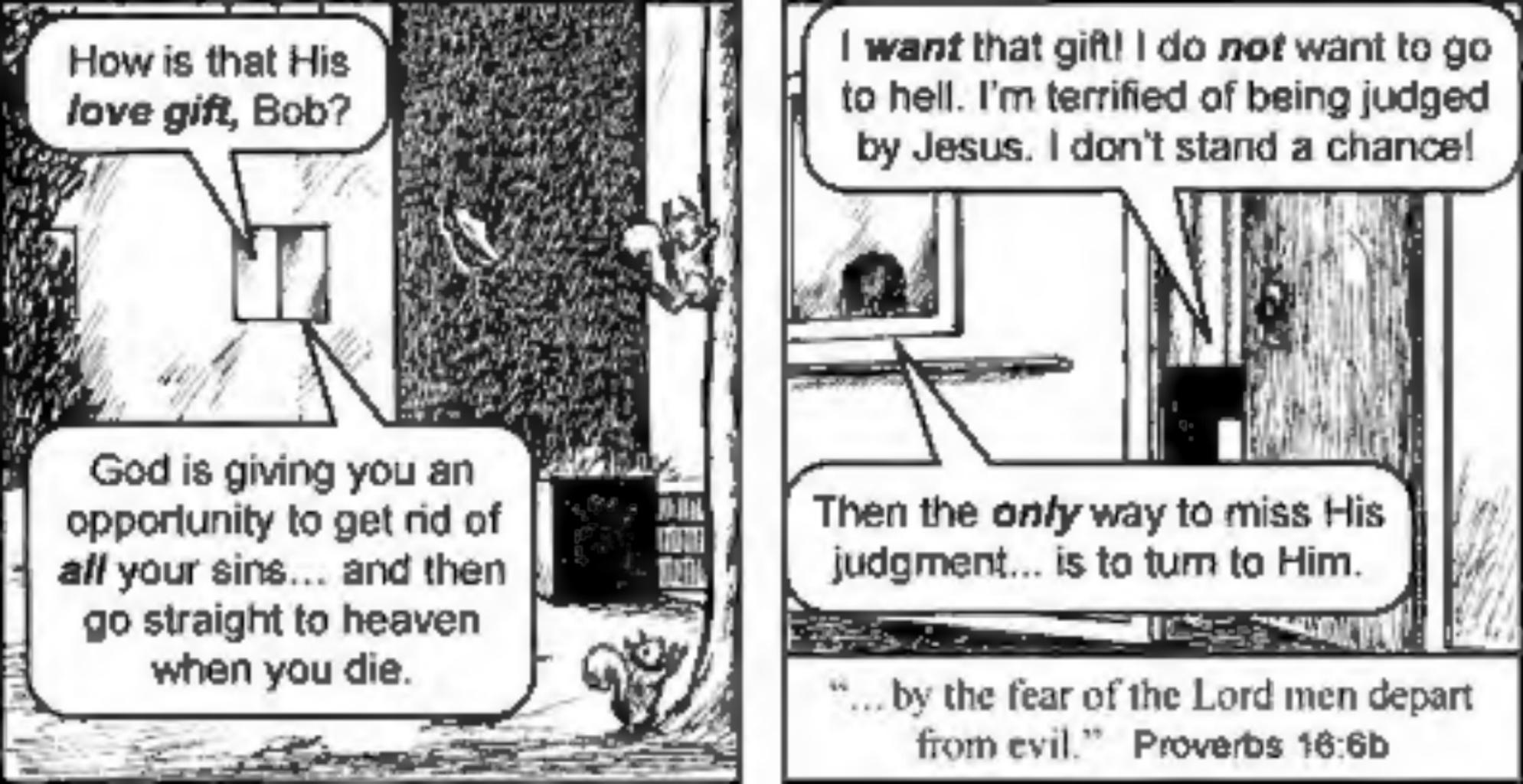
He was tortured and nailed on a  
cross to shed His precious blood to  
wash away your sins



"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"  
John 3.16

He died was buried and rose from  
the dead three days later

This was God's love gift for you, Fred.



How is that His  
*love gift*, Bob?

God is giving you an opportunity to get rid of *all* your sins... and then go straight to heaven when you die.

I want that gift! I do *not* want to go to hell. I'm terrified of being judged by Jesus. I don't stand a chance!

Then the *only* way to miss His judgment... is to turn to Him.

"...by the fear of the Lord men depart from evil." Proverbs 16:6b

Turn to Jesus. Trust His sacrifice to pay for your filthy thoughts and life.



Believe the Lord Jesus.  
Receive Him as your Saviour  
and He will dwell in your heart.\*



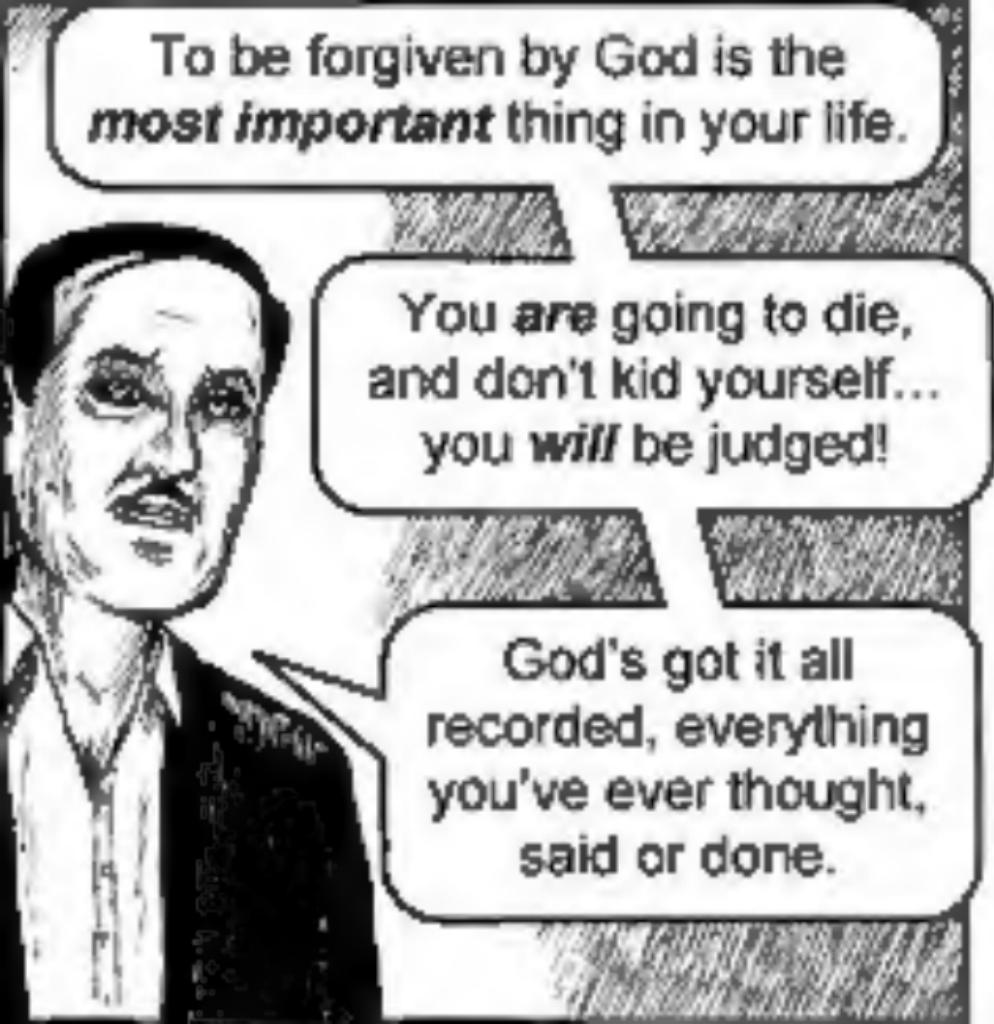
\*See Ephesians 3:17.

I will... Lord Jesus, save me! Be my Saviour, not my judge. I know I have sinned. Forgive me, Lord.



I love You,  
Jesus.  
Thank You!

Fred is now a new creature.  
(Read 2 Corinthians 5:17)



To be forgiven by God is the  
*most important* thing in your life.

You **are** going to die,  
and don't kid yourself...  
you **will** be judged!

God's got it all  
recorded, everything  
you've ever thought,  
said or done.

The only way to wipe that  
record clean is to do what  
Fred did.

You've read the story.  
You can't squirm out of this.  
You've got **no excuse** now!

Heaven or Hell?  
The choice is **YOURS!**

Never Trust a Preacher

# 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](http://www.chick.com).

