

The God of Hell

aka...Red Hot evangelism

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This message covers

- What the bible says about hell vs popular culture.

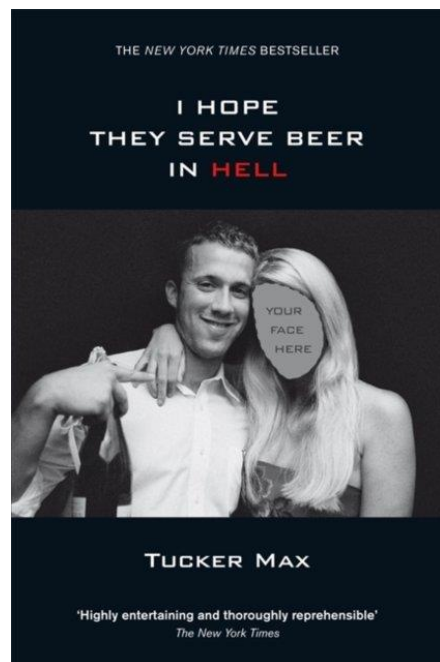
Information notice board

- 1) **About me.** Before I became a devoted Christian, I spent 20 years of my life being a hedonist – one who seeks pleasure for the sake of it, Since God humbled me to turn me into his servant and I got baptized in May 2017. Since then, he has given me a message, to go out and preach the gospel as a preacher and an evangelist. You can read my full testimony [here](#):
- 2) **About these series.** The Lord Jesus gave me a single word “Go” as I was praying for a word for this season and series. This word will define a series of 12 topics he has also given me to tell his church in order to fulfil the “Great Commission”. This lesson is one of those messages.

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Hell in our generation today

For many people, the topic of Hell is not so scary because many people make it light of it, make fun of it, in popular culture. For example, a *New York Times* best-selling book titled: “*I hope they serve beer in hell*”, in the long running animated series, “*South Park*” which I used to love, there are a number of episodes of Satan in Hell with his boyfriend Saddam Hussein, the former leader of Iraq, but Satan is the sensitive one and Saddam the one who is playing him! Tower of Hell is a *Roblox* game where players must reach the top of the tower in 8 minutes. In 2018, it had 8 billion visits.



The problem...

- There a problem with the depiction of hell and it might be causing people to want go to hell!
- There is a problem that our generation might not know how scary hell is from the bible and so they might be about to perish due to ignorance.

By comparison, Jesus wants no one going there and infact I had a really difficult time preparing for this message and it was as if Jesus, who sends me to give this message was weeping through me. At least two times I broke down in tears and wept and wailed for my people who might go to hell.

I am not a superstar preacher or prophet, infact, I am a regular guy, with a day job, as an accountant. but then 4 years ago, I encountered Jesus and it all changed. I got baptised in May 2017 but my Lord was not done with me. I heard him again. I heard the Lord say: "Whom shall I send? Who shall go for us?". In holy fear, I responded, "Here I am Lord, send me!"

It has not been easy to preach to others. For example, the first time I put out an evangelistic message, I wrote letters and send gifts to over 30 people in 3 continents, but despite this effort at great cost to me, I did not get much response. I have also spoken to different people, but many of them refuse to become Christians, to get saved. People have told me:

1. Your God is arrogant/ egotistical. Why praise him?
2. I am good! I don't need a saviour.
3. What's the difference? Isn't he energy?
4. Your God is cruel.
5. Your God hates women.
6. What about homos? It's not a sin but your God requires us to abandon this? I don't want to know him.
7. It's all a sham! He doesn't exist. Only science is real.

These are not far off distant people mind you, these are friends, the boy or girl next door. They are a successful lawyer, a wife, an accountant, a black man, a white woman, a white man, a choir girl, an apostate, your father, your mother. These are people I grew up with. So, I pray and weep and wail because God says hell is real and while he is the God of love, he is also the God of hell and he sends me to reveal to you what the bible says about hell – to separate fact from fiction or popular culture, to tell you to be afraid – perhaps so you can escape!

Is God really fair?

Before I go into telling you the details of hell, the sad part is many of us have hard hearts, like the people in the bible. For many, even if you saw me perform miracles and signs and wonders, we would not believe in God! In a previous season about the [dangerous sin of unbelief](#), God showed me that, the c. 2.4m plus people who left Egypt in the exodus in the bible experienced at least 175 billion miracles in their 40 year journey to the promised land but despite all this, EVERYONE OF THEM over the age of 20 died in the wilderness and never saw the promised land except two – Joshua and Caleb.

How did I arrive at this 175 billion miracle number? The bible shows those coming out of the exodus witnessed at least 5 daily miraculous encounters with God:

- The physical presence of God through a cloud (by day) (Exodus 13:21);
- The physical presence of God through a column of fire (by night);
- food in the desert – *manna* (Exodus 16);

- Their clothes or sandals never wearing out for 40 years (Deuteronomy 29: 5); and
- Their feet never getting swollen (with exhaustion) for 40 years (Deuteronomy 8: 4).

Each person therefore experienced at least 73,000 miracles over this time period (5 miracles per day x 365 days per year x 40 years) and so the estimated 2.4 million people in total experienced at least 175 billion miracles (175,200,000,000) over this time period. The rationale being that 2 people don't experience a miracle the exact same way.

Think of it, 175 billion miracles, but still they perish. What we therefore don't often see is the extent to which our and others' hearts are rebellious!

Miracles aside, many of us try to claim that a God of love cannot send people to hell. Others of us, think hell doesn't exist but instead it's a place here on earth – given all the suffering we see. We often wonder how a God of justice could be so unfair as to send "others" (for example the ones who have never heard the gospel or non-Christians) to hell and yet we don't understand what he says time and time:

- not one true kernel will be lost (Amos 9: 9)
- You will seek me and find me when you seek with all your heart (Jeremiah 29: 13).
- Behold I stand at the door and knock if anyone hears my voice and let's me in I will come in and eat with him, and he with me (Rev 3: 20).

We are trying to conform God to our image of what is right and wrong instead of knowing him as he is. For example, he says:

"I AM who I AM" (Exodus 3: 14) and in another part says: "I lavish unfailing love to a thousand generations. I forgive iniquity, rebellion, and sin. But I do not excuse the guilty." (Exodus 34: 7).

So, what is the bible truth about hell and what is the God of hell really like?

Biblical facts about God and hell

1. **Hell has many names.** *Sheol, Hades, lake of fire or hell fire.* When Jesus used it, he used the word "Gehenna" and it was described as a place where both soul and body could be destroyed (Matthew 10:28) in "unquenchable fire" (Mark 9:43). Gehenna was a physical location outside the city walls of Jerusalem where they burned garbage and where lepers and outcasts were sent, hence the weeping and gnashing of teeth.¹
2. **Jesus spoke about hell a lot.** In a [previous message I shared on prayer](#), I discussed that of all the things Jesus spoke about, hell was the number 3 issue. He spoke about it 172 times. The #1 and #2 issue being about God and about Heaven. It's therefore an act of love to warn someone about hell. When Jesus spoke about it, here are examples of how he spoke about it:
 1. He described a rich man "in torment" (Luke 16: 23).
 2. He referenced "a furnace of fire, there is wailing and gnashing of teeth" (Matthew 13:42).
 3. He narrated judgment day: "Depart from me you who are cursed into the everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels" (Matthew 25:41).
 4. He called it the "Outer darkness" (Matthew 8: 11).
 5. He described it: "Where the maggots never die and the fire never goes out." (Mark 9: 48),
 6. He warned: "Don't be afraid of those who want to kill your body; they cannot touch your soul. Fear only God, who can destroy both soul and body in hell." (Matthew 10: 28).

The bible shows that Hell was originally created, not for us, but for Satan and his rebels but our enemy now knows that he was defeated by Jesus on the cross and because his time is short, he is roaming like a lion, seeking who to devour, to take as many with him to hell. Hell is not a party scene or a place for Satan the sensitive to be played by Saddam Hussein. It is a place of torment; may you therefore take it pretty seriously.

3. **It is appointed for man to die once and after that judgment** (Hebrews 9: 27) God will judge us humans for eternity, based on what we do here, while on earth. The righteous will inherit eternal life and the unrighteous will go to everlasting punishment. This is bible truth and many popular myths, cults and beliefs don't tell you this truth. For example:
 - (a) IT IS NOT TRUE that there is nothing after death (atheists);
 - (b) IT IS NOT TRUE that at death all non-believers will be destroyed or cease to exist (annihilation as believed by Jehovah witnesses and SDA)
 - (c) IT IS NOT TRUE that there is purgatory hence a chance to repent after death (Catholic belief)
 - (d) IT IS NOT TRUE that we come back or are reincarnated as something else in another life (Buddhists and other eastern religions)
 - (e) IT IS NOT TRUE that all will get into heaven, whether sinful or not (universalism).

4. **We choose to go to hell because we are like God.** We humans have the gift of free will and in this respect are like God – having control over our destiny. But God doesn't leave us to ourselves. Like a loving parent he instead pleads with us all the time to choose life:

“Today I have given you the choice between life and death, between blessings and curses. Now I call on heaven and earth to witness the choice you make. Oh, that you would choose life, so that you and your descendants might live! Deut 30: 19.

Conclusion

How do you know my message is true and that I speak not on my own authority but in the name of my Lord Jesus who sends me?

1. Signs and wonders will take place as you hear this message: the deaf are hearing, the blind are seeing as my voice goes out in the name of Jesus, Cancer and all sickness is going, mental faculties are restored and the most important miracle of all, lives are being saved!
2. You will also hear a still small voice, this is the Holy Spirit, he will confirm to you that everything I say is true. He will lead you to know that Jesus I preach is the only means by which you will get saved - not Muhammad or Buddha or Krishna.

If you harden your heart and laugh at me, perhaps thinking that “I am smoking something” or “drunk” or have “lost my head”, I take comfort because my brothers the prophets and preachers who went before me were mocked similarly but I don't judge you. There is one who is Holy who will judge you.

He will say to you, “all I wanted all day long was gather you under my wings like a hen her chicks, but you were not willing, you didn't know the day of your visitⁱⁱ.”

My message isn't one of condemnation. It is one of hope, because it is personal to me just as it is to you. There are 9 families on my maternal side. From these families there are at least 50 descendants. These families have names, people known to me. The Lukandwas, 4, the Masabas, 20+, the Wasakes,

my family, 10, the Mayekus, 8+, the Bukenyas 2, the Makyemes, 8+, Muyama is one, the Nangosyahs are 6, the Wabwires are 6. If I don't preach, many of them will perish and go to hell, it is sorrowful!

Call Jesus "soul insurance" if you want, that's not silly is it? We insure against all sorts of things for example, our houses (mortgage cover), our phones (gadget cover), our health (medical cover) and the well-being of our beneficiaries (life insurance). Why wouldn't you insure the most important of all - your soul? That is the most logical thing you can do!

God declares that indeed it's a narrow road to life (of Jesus) but the road to destruction (of Satan) is wide (Matthew 7:13-14), he however gives us a "get out of hell free card". He sent his son Jesus who then sent his Holy Spirit who is a guarantee that those who chose life will not be cast to the outer darkness but will inherit eternal life.

If you however want to get saved so you can escape this evil generation, let us pray together.

Let us pray.

How can I pray for you?

- ***You are a believer but have since fallen away to become a prodigal son/daughter*** God in his love is warning you to flee from sin before something worse happens – turn back to him and find him, while it is still day.
- ***You have never received the gift of Christ***, being eternal life and neither have you received his Holy Spirit who is a guarantee that you will never see hell fire, just like he saved me, the worst of all sinners!

Write to me so I can pray further for you: dwasake@shaweleroad.com

Next steps

- Visit our website which shows the steps it takes to get to know Jesus and be saved from this wicked generation. <https://www.shaweleroad.com/what-must-i-do-to-get-saved>

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Notes

ⁱ [Christian views on Hell - Wikipedia](#)

ⁱⁱ See Luke 13: 34