

What If?

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FOR WHATEVER REASON YOU DON'T BELIEVE,
I JUST WANT YOU TO IMAGINE "WHAT IF"-
THIS SAME 'GIFT' THAT YOU REFUSE TO RECEIVE,
COULD KEEP YOU FROM FALLING OVER A CLIFF.

NOT JUST OFF THE SIDE OF A MOUNTAIN,
BUT INTO A LAKE OF BRIMSTONE AND FIRE-
WITH NO WAY OUT, AND NO WAY OF MOUNTING
FROM AN ETERNAL ATERNAL PYRE.

WHERE THE PAIN OF THE FLAME WILL NOT CONSUME,
AND THE DARKNESS WAS A CONSTANT TORMENT-
AND THE STENCH OF BURNED FLESH, SULFUR'S FLAME,
WAS JUST A PART OF THE PUNISHMENT.

THE BITTER TEARS AND GNASHING OF TEETH,
ALL OF YOUR PLEASING AND BETAYED PRAYER-
WAS ONLY MET WITH SILENCE- NO RELIEF,
THAT HELL WAS REAL, AND YOU WERE THERE.

TO ADD TO YOUR ANGUISH AND AGONY,
WAS THE KNOWLEDGE THAT YOU HAD A CHOICE-
BUT NOW YOUR ETERNAL TESTIMONY
WOULD BE- THAT YOU'D LISTENED TO THE WRONG VOICE.

WHEN A MILLION 'LIFETIMES' HAD COME AND PAST,
'ETERNITY' WOULD BE ONLY BEGINNING-
AND EACH NEW DAY WOULD BE LIKE THE LAST,
ANOTHER DAY TO PAY FOR SINNING.

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The GREATEST SIN THAT YOU'LL EVER MAKE
WOULD BE DENYING THE NAME OF JESUS -
YOU'RE UNDER A CURSE, MAKE NO MISTAKE,
AND IT'S ONLY GOD'S GRACE THAT FREES US!

I WAS ONCE LIKE YOU, SITTING ON THE FENCE,
THINKING I STILL HAD PLENTY OF TIME -
UNTIL I CONSIDERED THE CONSEQUENCE,
WHICH IS WHY I'VE WRITTEN THIS LITTLE RHYME.

THINK IT'S A GAME IF YOU WANT TO,
BUT BROTHER, YOU CAN TAKE IT FROM ME -
IT WILL COME BACK TO HAVEN'T YOU,
AND YOU'LL REGRET IT FOR ETERNITY.

I'M NOT SAYING ANYTHING YOU HAVEN'T HEARD,
AND YOU KNOW, DEEP DOWN, THAT IT'S TRUE -
THERE'S A REASON YOU'RE HEARING THIS WORD,
THE HOLY SPIRIT IS REACHING OUT TO YOU!

BUT THIS MAY BE YOUR FINAL WARNING.
YOU KNOW HE'S COMING LIKE A THIEF IN THE NIGHT -
NOW'S NOT THE TIME FOR YOU TO BE SCORNING,
WHAT YOU KNOW IN YOUR HEART IS RIGHT.

IS THAT A CHANCE YOU'RE WILLING TO TAKE?
RISK BEING CAST INTO A LAKE OF FIRE -
WITH ETERNITY TO PAY FOR THE GRAVE MISTAKE
OF DOUBTING THE LORD OF THE MESSIAH.

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