## Avoiding the Worst Disaster Ever: Dying in Your Sin!

Text: John 8:21-30

<u>Main Idea</u>: To avoid dying in your sin and go to heaven, you must realize that you are a sinner & believe the truth about Jesus while there is still time!

Definition: To "die in your sin" means that you die NOT having your sins \_\_\_\_\_\_& *retain* the full consequences of your sin ultimately being shut out of heaven!

- 1. *Believe the truth about* \_\_\_\_\_: To go to heaven, you must realize your true condition before God as a sinner.
  - You must abandon \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 22)
  - You must abandon \_\_\_\_\_ mindedness. (v. 23)
  - You must abandon stubborn & \_\_\_\_\_\_ ignorance. (v. 25)
- 2. *Believe the truth about* \_\_\_\_\_: To go to heaven, you must believe in Jesus as He is revealed in Scripture.
  - Believe that Jesus is the \_\_\_\_\_ God, sent to earth by the Father. (v. 23, 26)
  - Believe that Jesus lived a \_\_\_\_\_\_ life in total dependence on the Father. (v. 28-29)
  - Believe that Jesus was lifted up on the cross to die as the \_\_\_\_\_\_ for your sins. (v. 28a)
  - Believe that Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_\_ from the dead and \_\_\_\_\_\_ into heaven. (v. 21)
- 3. *Believe in Christ NOW, & believe* \_\_\_\_\_: To go to heaven, you must not *wait* because you are running out of time & it will soon be too late!