

# You Decide

Matthew 7:13-14

We know that Jesus preached a sermon that demanded a decision because of one little word; that word is: **enter**.

**Jesus said we must decide between:**

## 1. two gates

- wide gate
- narrow gate

*John 10:9 -10 I am the door. If anyone enters by Me, he will be saved, and will go in and out and find pasture. <sup>10</sup> The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.*

## 2. the two ways

- broad way

*Proverbs 14:12 <sup>12</sup> There is a way that seems right to a man, but in the end it leads to death.*

- difficult way

*Matthew 6:24 “No one can serve two masters. Either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and Money.*

## 3. the two destinations

- destruction

*2 Thessalonians 1:7-9 This will happen when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven in blazing fire with his powerful angels. <sup>8</sup> He will punish those who do not know God and do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus. <sup>9</sup> They will be punished with everlasting destruction and shut out from the presence of the Lord and from the majesty of his power.*

- Life

## 4. two groups

- The many
- The few

*Luke 13:23-24 And He went through the cities and villages, teaching, and journeying toward Jerusalem. <sup>23</sup> Then one said to Him, “Lord, are there few who are saved? And He said to them, <sup>24</sup> “Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I say to you, will seek to enter and will not be able.*

Jesus never said **consider** me, **contemplate** me or **admire** me. He did say, **believe** in me and **follow** me. You will or you won't. You must decide.