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The Tragedy of Misplaced Faith

Matthew 7:21-23

An aerial photograph of a tropical beach. The top half of the image shows vibrant turquoise water with visible coral reefs. A narrow strip of white sand beach runs horizontally across the middle. The bottom half of the image is filled with dense, lush green tropical vegetation, including many palm trees.

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Part 21



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1. Just because you believe something to be true, doesn't make it so.

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2. Many people who have a strong faith will someday discover that their faith cannot save them.

**Faith does not have any merit
in itself; it's only as good as the
object in which it is placed.**

*What you believe
really matters!*

Your eternal destination will not be
based on your *RELIGIOUS WORDS*
(vs. 21).

Your eternal destination will not be
based on your *RELIGIOUS WORKS*
(vs. 22).

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3. The ultimate test of our eternal destiny will not be what we think of ourselves or what others may think ... the final test is:

WHAT WILL GOD SAY?

JOHN 1:12

But as many as **received** him, to them gave he power to **become** the sons of God, even to them that **believe** on his name:

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Believe + Receive = Become

If we believe that Jesus died for me and
receive Him as our forgiver and leader,
then we become true children of God.