



# Pastor's Comments

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### Panic!

The veteran sky diver jumped with his team and skillfully photographed them. Then he reached for his ripcord, **discovering to his horror, he had forgotten to put on his parachute!**

He had over 800 jumps to his credit. Was he so preoccupied with his photographic equipment that he forgot that which was most important in preparation for this jump? The pictures he took looked great. They were shown that night on the evening news. Little had he known that those pictures would record his final moments. **Imagine the panic** that gripped this man as he realized his imminent death, a death that **could have so easily been avoided!**

**Imagine the panic of sinners** when “*cast into the lake of fire*” with the realization that their eternal fate **could have been so easily avoided** by fully believing in Jesus Christ and having their names “*written in the book of life*” (Revelation 20:15). Jesus invites, “**Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light**” (Matthew 11:28-30). Jesus is The Only Way to heaven (see [www.naog.ws/theway.htm](http://www.naog.ws/theway.htm)). He has accomplished everything on the cross that is needed for you to **become a child of God today!** Now, it is up to you to believe in Him and receive Him. “**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**” (John 1:12). Do it **now!** Don't let anything in this world divert you from doing that which is most important in preparation for eternity. “**Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation**” (2 Corinthians 6:2).