

THREE GREAT INVITATIONS

- Introduction:
1. Within the course of one's life, he will receive, accept, and decline many invitations.
 2. However, no invitations will be more important than the three we want to address today.
 3. And as we examine these invitations, I want you to ask yourself if you have accepted or declined these invitations made to you by Christ.

I. COME UNTO ME

- A. (Matthew 11:28-29).
- B. (Revelation 22:17) This invitation is universal.
- C. (Romans 12:1-2) Prove what is good and acceptable...
- D. (Isaiah 1:18) Come let us reason together...
- E. What you eventually do with Jesus is your decision, but please don't refuse His invitation to investigate Him.

II. COME AFTER ME

- A. (Matthew 16:24-26).
- B. (Isaiah 1:18) Come let us reason together...
- C. (Ephesians 4:1) Walk worthy of the calling...
- D. (I Corinthians 6:19-20) We are no longer our own...
- E. Though the price of discipleship is high, the prize of salvation is worth it.

III. COME, YOU BLESSED OF MY FATHER

- A. (Matthew 25:34).
- B. (John 14:1-3) Jesus is preparing a place for us.
- C. (Revelation 21-22) A description of Heaven is given.

- Conclusion:
1. What will you do with the invitations made by Christ?
 2. I know the last invitation would be accepted by all if it were offered to all.
 3. But the last invitation is not a universal invitation, but is extended only to those who have **come unto** Jesus and **come after** Him.