

Hell, YES – Heaven, NO, “The Choice”  
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Text: Matthew 7:13,14

**Hell**, YES, it really does exist

**Heaven**, NO, not everyone is going

1. The Two Choices

*“Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it” (Matthew 7:13)*

- The Narrow Gate
- The Wide Gate

2. The Two Journeys

- The Narrow Gate – Is a difficult Journey

*“Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way” Matthew 7:14a*

- The Wide Gate – It is a more popular journey

*...”and there are many who go in by it.” Matthew 7:13c*

3. The Two Destinations

- The Narrow Gate – Leads to “LIFE”

*“Because narrow is the gate... the way which leads to life” Matthew 7:14*

*Then Jesus said to them again, “Most assuredly, I say to you, I am the door of the sheep. All who ever came before Me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not hear them. I am the door. If anyone enters by Me, he will be saved, and will go in and out and find pasture.” John 10:7-9*

- The Wide Gate – Leads to Destruction

*“...broad is the way that leads to destruction...” Matthew 7:13*

*“Then one said to Him, “Lord, are there few who are saved?”  
And He said to them, “Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I say to you, will seek to enter and will not be able. When once the Master of the house has risen up and shut the door, and you begin to stand outside and knock at the door, saying, ‘Lord, Lord, open for us,’ and He will answer and say to you, ‘I do not know you...’” Luke 13:23-25*