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If you are not saved, then you are like the people of these cities. You have lived a life of sin against God and His holy word for many years. Perhaps you have had a good and a comfortable life, so you think that God no longer cares about your sin. But you are wrong. The judgement of God is coming against all who live lives of sin and that judgement cannot be postponed for eternity.

The Bible tells us plainly that the day is coming when the Lord Jesus will return and that when He comes, He will judge the whole earth according to what they have done. Just because you have a good and a comfortable life at the moment does not mean God has forgotten about your sins. Be warned: destruction is coming unless you repent and turn to God.

**2. Remember that the only way of salvation is to leave your love for this world.**

The angels said to Lot, "Don't look back and don't stop anywhere." The only way Lot could be saved from the destruction that was to come was to run. He could not remain in the city; if he did, he would die like all the other people. Also, he could not go back to his home and collect his favourite possessions. He had to forsake everything and run.

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lost because they love the world and the things of the world. They know that it is a sin to love these things and to pursue them, but they love the world and so they ignore the word of God.

Reader, if you want to be saved from the destruction that is to come when Christ returns, then one thing is certain: you must give up your love for the world. God will not save you if you love your sin; He will only save you if you forsake your sin and if you forsake this world and its pleasures. As long as you love the world and its pleasures, you cannot be saved.

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