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Someone's Knocking

On Your Door

Please send me more details on finding a personal relationship with God. Please indicate if you would like a Luke's Gospel, a New Testament with Knowing and Doing or a Bible.

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What comes through your door?

Is the adage, if it's not a bill it goes in the bin, your motto?

Or, are you hoping for someone to knock at the door with a big cheque or some other wonderful gift?

–But can a gift ever be free?

There is always something required before we receive a gift. It could be paying for a lottery ticket, or buying insurance.

Sometimes, someone is there that we don't want to see and we would rather not answer the door. Or perhaps it's a long time friend you're so glad to see.

What do you do when someone is at your door?



The free gift

We live in a world with limitations so we never expect to get a really free gift.

We don't get gifts when there is no connection. They don't simply come out of the blue. Or can they?

God made us and is intensely interested in you, and He is not bounded by resources or time and space. He has made a free gift that he wants to give to you. He waits for you to let him in. With His gift He can meet your real needs, and His gift doesn't have any downsides.

He's knocking on the door of your life.



Will you / won't you let Him in?

Got a lock on the door?

We all choose who to let in or who to talk to at the door, and we all make choices in life, some of them good and others not. Some choices are deliberate, some in spite of the evidence and some without any thought.

For each choice there are results. You don't want to miss the end of the TV programme but what if the person at the door is about to give you something you really want! Your life is like that too. God says...

For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 6:23

However, the things that we do, stop us from answering the door of our lives to God.

This is the verdict: Light has come into the world, but people loved darkness instead of light because their deeds were evil.

John 3:19

The handle is on the inside.



A really free gift

You might think it just doesn't happen, but that is because we live in a world with strings attached. God has limitless resources. Here is what the Bible says...

But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we be saved from God's wrath through him!

For if, while we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life!

Romans 5:8–10



Can you think of a gift with a higher cost for the giver?

Can you think of a better gift than this?

A knock at your door

This leaflet is a way of God knocking on your door!

He says...

Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with that person, and they with me.

Revelation 3:20

God's gift is eternal life. Is that a gift worth accepting?

For if, by the trespass of the one man, death reigned through that one man, how much more will those who receive God's abundant provision of grace and of the gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man, Jesus Christ!

Romans 5:17

Don't knock it until you've tried it!



Knocking on Heaven's door



The scenario is often raised that if you were to die and arrive at the gate of heaven, why would you be let in?

Would God say...

Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven. Then I will tell them plainly, 'I never knew you. Away from me, you evildoers!'

Matthew 7:21,23

Or would He say...

Come and share your master's happiness!

Matthew 25:23

Thankfully today He is at your door and not you at His.