

***So what is the answer to it all?***

It is simply this, you need to turn to God and ask for His forgiveness! Then you need to start LIVING for Him and putting Him first in your life.

By doing this, the Lord will lead and guide you through life and you will gain a love and peace that *nothing and no one* can offer you. We all seek after love and peace, but to be honest, very few of us find it, and most people are looking in all the wrong places. You will only ever find true love and peace once you have asked the Lord Jesus Christ to forgive you and save you from your sins.

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The Lord Jesus Christ loved you so much that He took all your sins and died in your place. He went to Hell for you so you don't have to go, but that is ONLY if you trust in Him for your sins forgiven. Have you done this? Have you asked God to forgive you?

For some people, going to church for the first time is a 'big thing'. If you have never been to church before, or if you have stopped going for whatever reason, please come and visit us, you'd be made most welcome. We are not interested in digging up your past, we are interested in you now and would like to

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show you how and why the Bible is so important for all of us today... after all, it is THE ONLY BOOK that God has ever written!

May the Lord Jesus Christ lead and guide you in every decision you make from now on, trust Him because He knows what He is doing!

**'Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. Be not wise in thine own eyes: fear the LORD, and depart from evil.'**

**'For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus.'**

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# Welcome to The Oaks Church in Harvington



**The Oaks Church  
Oaks Community Hall  
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**Sunday 10:30am  
Friday 7:30pm**

We are an independent, non-denominational Bible Believing church, first established in October 2008.

Life is full of many questions, *'where did we come from; where are we going; and what is the point to it all'*? Maybe you have asked these questions or something similar? Well we believe that **only the Bible** can *really* answer life's deepest questions, and we would like to show you why we say that. If you are looking for answers, especially to the *'meaning and purpose to life'*, we would encourage you to come along to our small, yet friendly church. There is no pressure, and after the service you are welcome to stay for a coffee and ask any questions you like and we will try to answer them from the Bible.

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Life IS short, and too many people just drift through it with no real purpose or goal, therefore never finding out why they are here and what's the purpose to it all?

Sadly, our country has turned its back upon the word of God and we no longer teach the Scriptures to our children in school. We are seeing society breaking down and spinning out of control. Politicians don't have the answers to all the problems we see, but the Bible does, if only we would take heed to it.

So we are asking you to give us a chance to explain why we believe that the only hope for this world, our country, **and for you**, is to trust in the Lord Jesus Christ and let Him guide you through life. The Bible teaching at the church is usually done by John Davis who became a Christian on May 4<sup>th</sup> 1989. On that day he asked the Lord Jesus Christ to forgive him of all his sins, and He did! Now John tries to live for Him in everything and teach others

to live their lives for Christ too, and even though each one of us at The Oaks Church fails Jesus Christ often, He continually helps and guides us in all our decisions. We believe it is urgent that you ask the Lord Jesus to forgive you of all your sins and save you, before it's too late.

The Bible says there IS a *literal* Heaven and a *literal* Hell. God doesn't want you to go to Hell, that is one of the reasons why the Lord Jesus Christ came to earth, to take YOUR sins upon Himself and die in your place.

**'The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.'** You either die IN your sins and take them with you to Hell, OR, you die with your sins FORGIVEN by Jesus Christ and go to Heaven – it's YOUR choice!

So what do you do Friday evenings, watch TV? Although the TV is *entertaining*, it desensitises you to reality and conditions you to think like *the world wants you to think*, rather than how you *ought to think!* So why not do something out of the ordinary, and come and visit The Oaks Church in Harvington this Friday evening or Sunday morning? Come and seek the deeper things of life!

This world is going mad and no one seems to have the answers to *anything!* We live in a very volatile and hostile society today, and we are seeing such degradation everywhere we look. *Let me give you an example* from the music industry for instance, it is pouring out music with 'explicit lyrics' and

'sexualising' the young, and children are watching and listening to it! *Don't you think it has an effect on what they do and how they behave?* The Bible says... **'Mine eye affecteth mine heart'** and **'out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh'** so what you see, *and listen to*, affects your behaviour. This is one reason why we are seeing youngsters *acting out* what they have been watching, in my day *teenagers* weren't stabbing each other, doing drugs and sleeping together! We are in such a mess today because we have quit teaching our children the Scriptures, to them there are NO 'absolutes' of what is right and what is wrong! I mean, who says it's WRONG to swear, steal, cheat or sleep together before you're married? If they are watching and listening to these things on the TV and Internet, *they will live them out in their lives*, no matter what psychologists tell us!

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The Bible says that in the last days just before the Lord Jesus Christ returns we shall see an intense increase in **'perilous times'** when **'men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good, traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God;'** these people will be **'ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth'**. Now that describes exactly what is happening TODAY!