

THE PRAYER OF A MAN IN HELL Luke 16:19-31

Introduction; this is not a parable.

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I. Send Lazarus to me. - *His concern for Himself*

- A. To cool my tongue, for I am tormented
- B. Reality of Hell's torment. (Mt. 8:29 & Rev. 20:10)
- C. Prayer for relief unanswered
- D. The impassable gulf

II. Send Lazarus to my brethren

A. Concern about his lost brethren

B. Rebuke to unconcern of Christians today.

C. Lost souls in hell are more interested in sending missionaries, apostles, and preachers to testify about the gospel of Christ than most professing Christians today.

D. One risen from the dead (v. 30) has gone to them with a message of deliverance.

E. *Sufficiency of Revealed truth*

*It is admitted by a lost man that
repentance is necessary.*