

## Life – Changing Choices

### Introduction

“The Road Not Taken”

1. The concluding verses of the Sermon on the Mount reveal life-changing choices:

Two gates	Two kinds of people
Two ways or roads	Two builders
Two destinations	Two houses
Two trees	Two elements of the storm
2. Biblical examples of choices:
  - Deuteronomy 30: 15 – 20
  - Joshua 24: 14, 15
  - Jeremiah 21:8

### The Choice

#### A. Two Contrasts

1. True religion
2. False religion

It is a contrast between \_\_\_\_\_ righteousness and \_\_\_\_\_  
righteousness, between \_\_\_\_\_ religion and \_\_\_\_\_  
religion, between the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_.

#### B. Two Gates

1. You must first go through the gate.
  - a. You must enter.
  - b. You must enter the narrow gate.  
The gate is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - c. You must enter \_\_\_\_\_.
2. It leads to the narrow way.

C. The Two Ways / Roads

1. Narrow and constricted but it leads to \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Wide and broad but it leads to \_\_\_\_\_.

D. Two Destinations

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

What have you chosen?

