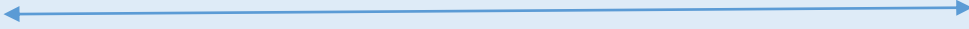
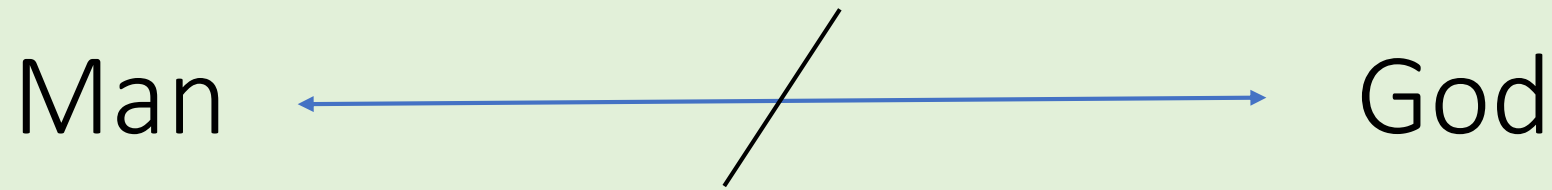


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- Man has been separated from what?

Fellowship than Separation

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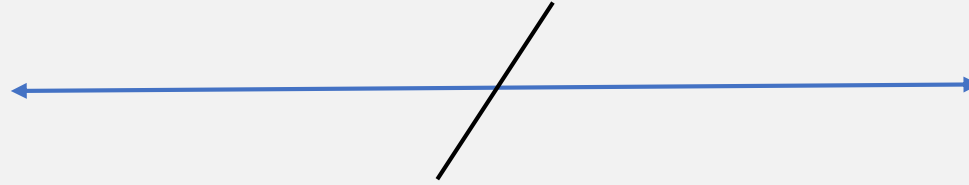


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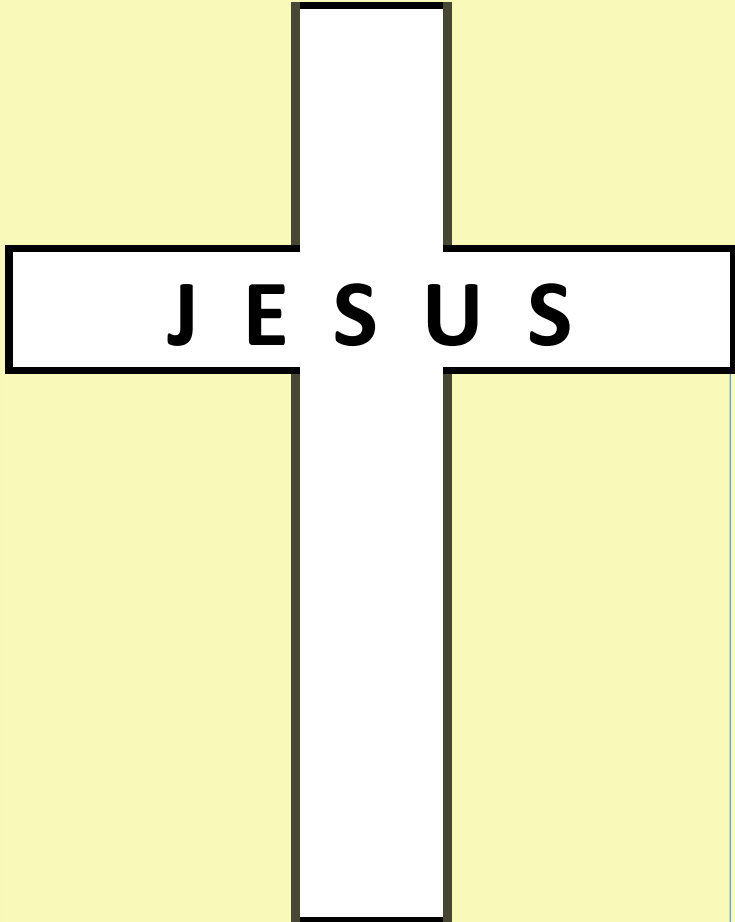
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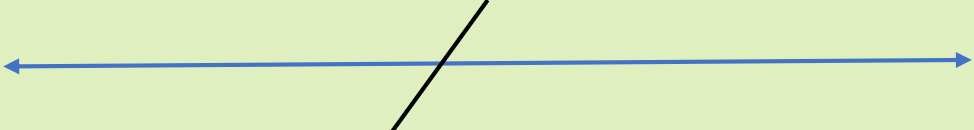
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"Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with him, and he with me."

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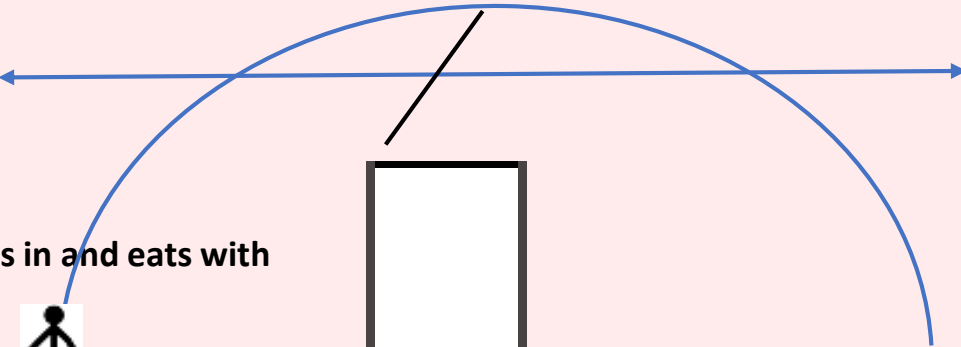
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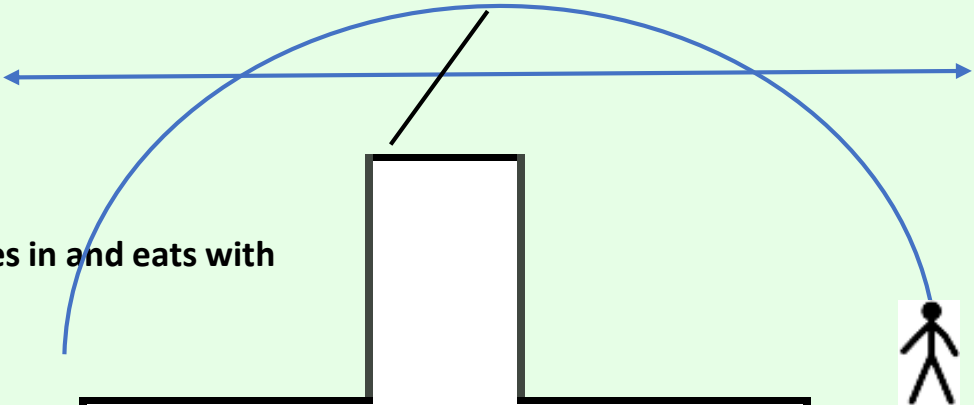
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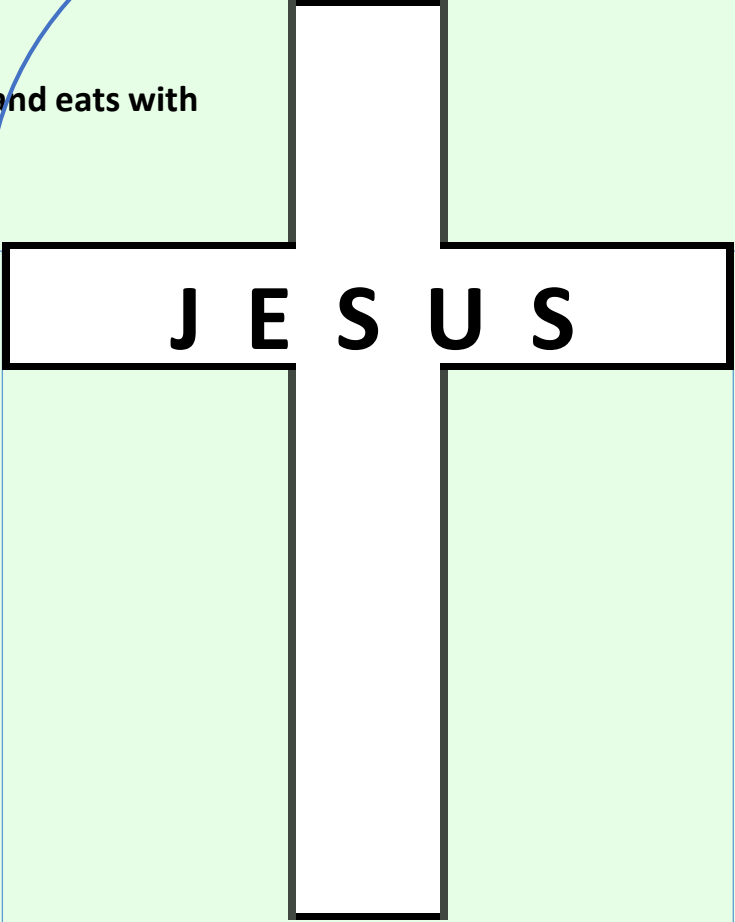
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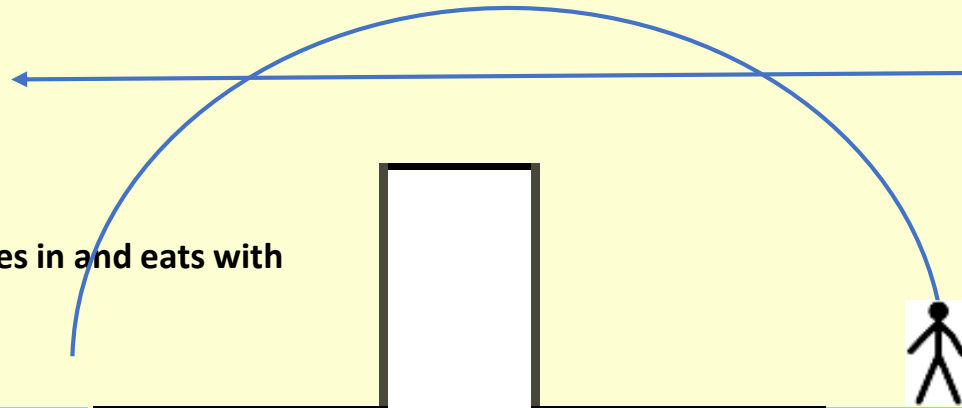
Fellowship with God Restored!

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### Questions?

- Where do you place yourself on this illustration?
- What barriers or questions would be holding you back from opening the door/believing in salvation through Jesus?

**How does one change?** *Speak to God in Prayer*

**Admit sin** (Romans 3:23)

**Believe in Jesus' death for sin**(John 5:24)

**Commit to follow Him** (Luke 9:23)

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**Salvation through Jesus' Death**

Then he said to them all, *“If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow Me.”* **Luke 9:23**