

Heaven
Week 3
Heaven Is Not the Only Option

God is on a mission to reconcile heaven and earth from the destructive power of sin.

Paradigm Shift #1: The Story

- Heaven and hell show up _____ times paired together in the biblical story.
- Heaven's primary counterpart in Scripture is _____.
- Heaven and earth are: _____ by God, _____ by sin, and destined for _____.
- God is on a mission to _____.

Paradigm Shift #2: The Location

- Jesus' primary word for hell is _____.
- The Valley of Hinnom was located _____ and infamous in the Old Testament for _____.
- The prophets associated *Gehenna* with _____ and _____.
- In human culture, our _____ bear witness to this dramatic narrative structure.

Paradigm Shift #3: The Purpose

- God's purpose is _____.
- God will ultimately _____ the destructive power of unrepentant sin.
- In human culture, we see a similar hope displayed in the way we tell our war histories, with the theme of _____ the _____.
- In the Bible, Jerusalem is not only the capital of Israel, it is the _____ of the _____.

Paradigm Shift #4: The Construction

- If the gospel is a wedding proposal, the four options are:
 - Marry me and _____.
 - Marry me or _____.
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 - Marry me or _____.
- Saying "yes" to the wedding proposal is the easiest thing in the world because _____ and the hardest thing in the world because _____.
- Jesus' question to us is not "Are you _____?" but "Will you _____?"

Key Passages: Colossians 1:19-20; Ephesians 1:7-10; 2 Chronicles 28:1-4; Jeremiah 32:30-35; Isaiah 11:9; Zechariah 2:4-5; Revelation 21.

