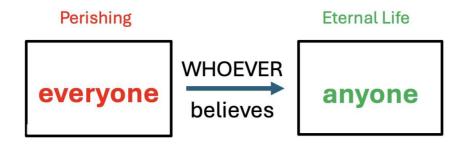
## Rejected Generosity - John 2:23 - 3:21, (Pg 887)



Whoever means EVERYONE; whoever means ANYONE

## 1. Nicodemus is the best example of EVERYONE

Morally upright, religiously devout, teacher of Israel with all the right answers

But as he is, he is nowhere... "you need to be born again."

You need the Holy Spirit to give you a new birth.

## 2. EVERYONE is perishing and in need of a rescue

EVERYONE is facing God's condemnation and is perishing - Number 21

Nicodemus doesn't understand v10, doesn't receive v11, he doesn't believe, v12

He rejects Jesus' generosity

## 3. Why would anyone turn Jesus offer down?

Because they love the darkness and hate the light v19-20. Jesus is the light, he exposes what we're like inside, which people hate.

If you ask Jesus for rescue, you will move from Perishing to Eternal Life.