

Scripture: *Matthew 11:25–30*

'The Wooing of the Cross' PART 2

The Seven Invitations of Christ

I. To those Seeking

- A. John's Disciples *John 1:39*
- B. The Greeks *John 12:20, Mark 7:25–30*
- C. The Centurion *Matthew 8:7*
- D. The Pharisee *John 3*

II. To Salvation *Matthew 11:28*

Be delivered from the burden of the law *Matthew 23:1–5*

- A. Guilt *James 2:10*
- B. Sin *Hebrews 12:1–2*

III. To Satisfaction *John 7:37, John 4:5–14*

IV. To Sustenance *John 21:12, John 6:35, 48 Isaiah 55:1–7*

V. To Surrender and Service *Mark 10:21, Mark 8:34*

VI. To Rest and Recuperation *Mark 6:31, Hebrews 4:1–11*

VII. To Reward in Heaven *Matthew 25:34, Revelation 4:1, 1 Thessalonians 4:1–2*