Study 0003

Scripture Text: Hosea 6:1-3

"Come, and let us return to the LORD; For He has torn, but He will heal us; He has stricken, but He will bind us up. After two days He will revive us; On the third day He will raise us up, That we may live in His sight. Let us know, Let us pursue the knowledge of the LORD. His going forth is established as the morning; He will come to us like the rain, Like the latter and former rain to the earth." (New King James Version)

"The people say, "Let's return to the LORD! He has hurt us, but he will be sure to heal us; he has wounded us, but he will bandage our wounds, won't he? In two or three days he will revive us, and we will live in his presence. Let us try to know the LORD. He will come to us as surely as the day dawns, as surely as the spring rains fall upon the earth."" (Good News Bible)

We have seen the numerous kinds of invitations in the bible, and who they can come from. The invitation or call in our scripture text is one that we need to take seriously; for it is a call by a man of God to return to God, so that we may receive life, and the blessings that accompany that.

We now want to examine the issue of returning to God. As you do your private/Group study, may the Almighty help you through, in Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

Assignment

In this study, you will be required to answer the questions below, using the scriptures provided, in the space provided.

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Conclusion

1)	There are so many benefits in returning to God, but for some, this is something						
	they just cannot do. Why? (Hosea 5:4)						
2)	Based on the above scripture and our observations therefrom, what must happen if a person is to genuinely return to God?						