

# Ghosts of Christmas Past Skits #3

Sometimes It's too late to learn

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Performers x2

Geoffrey

Martin/Narrator

(Geoffrey is standing, when Martin walks toward him).

Geo. "Martin...Son...Is that really you?...What are you doing here?...Aren't you dead?"

Mar. "Yes I am...still...and you're dreaming."

Geo. "So?...What are you doing here...in my dream?"

Mar. "I wanted to find out, why you never told me about Salvation?"

Geo. "About Salvation?"

Mar. "Yes!...Wasn't it important?"

Geo. "Yes, of course...but I was so busy."

Mar. Mar. "Busy?...Too busy?"

Geo. "Work and things...and mowing the lawn and things."

Mar. "Dad...I needed to be told about it!"

Geo. "I know you did...and I was going to...when I wasn't so busy."

Mar. "So busy?...Why didn't you give me a tract or something?"

Geo. "I wanted to do it personally."

Mar. "You had thirty two years...how much time did you need?...A hundred?"

Geo. "No...and don't yell at me!"

Mar. "Five minutes would have been enough."

Geo. "I know son...I just didn't get around to it."

Mar. "It was Eternity Dad...wasn't that important?"

Geo. "Yes it was Son...the most important thing of all."

Mar. "I don't believe this!...Why didn't you tell me?"

Geo. "I always felt tomorrow would be a better time...I'm sorry."

Mar. "A better time?...And now you're going to spend Eternity without me, your only Son...How do you think I feel?"

Geo. "I'm really sorry Son!"

Mar. "You don't get it do you?...A million sorrys aren't enough...No amount of sorrys will *ever* be enough!"

Geo. "I know...and I'm sorry...If I had the chance again..."

Mar. "Again?...There aren't any second chances here...that was it...and you were too busy!"

Geo. "I don't know what else to say?"

Mar. "I do...Goodbye...Forever." (Turns and walks away).

Geo. "I hope I wake up and find this was all just a dream...A really horrible, horrible, dream...."

End.

Narrator. "Yes it was a dream...and it wasn't. Eternity is forever and forever and forever. How much time does it take to share the Plan of Salvation?...Thirty years? No, not even thirty minutes. We don't share it because we have time to...We share it because we love the person we want to share it with...And we know, the alternative

for them is the worst scenario ever...Time waits for no-one...So we have to make time.”

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