



The Montreat Archway

8" X 10" Acrylic on Canvas Panel

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The stone entrance archway to Montreat, NC. This archway was built in 1922 and replaced the original wood gate which was built in 1909. A gate fee was collected from all who entered Montreat during church conference season to help pay the cost of facilities and services.

When the town of Montreat separated from the conference center in the late 1960s and was incorporated, the gate was removed, but the arch has remained. The Montreat Board of Directors discontinued the gate fee in 1969.

Jesus said the entrance to life is narrow, too. "For the gate is narrow and the way is hard that leads to life, and those who find it are few" (Matthew 7:14, ESV). Jesus said "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me" (John 14:6, ESV).

Like the gate at Montreat now, the entrance to a fulfilling life is open to all. The entry fee was paid by Jesus on the cross and Jesus is waiting for you to enter through the gateway.

8" X 10" Giclee Prints are available



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