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Yes, to have eternal life, a person must come to Christ. Those who refuse to come to Him will be lost eternally. If the first verse listed, John 6:35, is read carefully, it is clearly obvious that coming to Christ is synonymous with believing on Christ. Those who have believed on Christ have come to Him, and those who have come to Christ are those who have truly believed on Him.

When a person comes to a skilled surgeon, he does so because he knows he has an urgent need, and he believes that the surgeon can help him. When a person comes to the Great Physician, it is because he knows he has a great need. He needs Someone who can take care of his enormous sin problem. He comes to the Great Physician because he believes that He is the only One who can cure him of his heart disease (Jeremiah 17:9).

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