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Systematic Theology

Soteriology: The Doctrine of Salvation

ELECTION AND PREDESTINATION

I. THE DOCTRINE OF ELECTION: *1 Peter 1:2*

 A. THE MEANING OF ELECTION

 B. THE BIBLICAL USE OF THE WORD “ELECTION"

 C. THE BASIS OF GOD’S ELECTION:

 D. THE MANNER OF GOD’S ELECTION

 1. *2 Th 2:13*

 2. *Romans 9*

Last Week...

3. *John 6:44*

 4. *John 10:26*

 5. *John 12:39*

 6. *John 15:16*

 7. *Acts 13:48*

This Week...

II. THE DOCTRINE OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Man is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ predestined to be saved or lost, but the believer is predestined to receive the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of our Savior’s great Salvation!

 A. *John 1:12* - Note the order: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Christ - then we

 are given \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 B. *Eph 1:5* - Again, it is sonship. It is God’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 C. *Eph 1:11* - Believers receive an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. *1 Pt 1:3-4*

 D. *Romans 8:29-30* - Not predestined to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but

 to be conformed to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of God’s Son. This could

 be called “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” Consider *vs. 28* in the context -

 “His \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_…” Whosoever will, may come to Christ

 and He does the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_! God does not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 things so that He will then \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ them! That takes

 away from His \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_!

 E. Please note that none of these \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ even hint that

 God has predestined who can and who cannot be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 What is seen is that before the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the world,

 God in His divine counsel \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that all who would

 accept Christ as Savior would receive the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of

 salvation. There is so much that He gives us way above just

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from a Christ-less eternity in the lake of fire!

 F. God could have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ many things… for example

 believers in Christ to become \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but He chose

 otherwise (because He is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_).

 G. Herbert Lockyer stated: “Predestination is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 of divine sovereignty in the accomplishment of God’s eternal

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ … predestination concerns the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of

 believers.”

 H. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was predestined to become the king of Israel.

 *1 Chronicles 22:9-10; 29:1*

 He was a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in his father’s court for many years

 before becoming king. However, he enjoyed many \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 of his position, including wealth, title, and great respect. The same

 thing for the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of God. *Rev 1:6*. Believers are

 predestined to many things after being born into God’s family such

 as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, peace, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, justification,

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, direct access to the Lord, even co-suffering

 with Christ.

 I. Those who remain in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, rejecting Christ will then

 be predestined to spend \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in a sinner’s hell.

 *Rev 21:8*. Always be on guard! Don’t let those big theological

 terms throw you! Stick to the simplicity found in the

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Word of God!