



Sovereign God

Romans 8:28-30

28. And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose. For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren.

29. For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren.

30. And those He predestined. He also called: those He called, He also justified: those He Justified, He also glorified.

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Does Roman 8:28 Mean?

- That as Believers we will not suffer trials and tribulation in life?

*The righteous person may have many troubles,
but the Lord delivers him from them all;*

Psalms 34:19

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Does Roman 8:28 Mean?

- *We are free to live outlives as we see fit?*
- *God will workout our self-serving choices for our good fortune?*

A man's heart plans his way, But the Lord directs his steps.

Proverbs 16:9

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God is Sovereign Over All Things.

For God to be Sovereign, God must be:

- *All knowing: God must know everything because if He didn't it would say that God is imperfect.*
- *Nothing that happens in life is apart from God's purposeful activity.*
- *Nothing exists except in relationship to God.*

For everything comes from him and exists by his power and is intended for his glory. All glory to him forever! Amen.

Romans 11:36 (NLT)

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God is able and has the capability to manage every aspects of our lives and He demonstrates it in the fact that All Things work together for the Good to those who Love God!

The Lord is never caught off guard by what happens in the world or in our lives

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The bible truths we will uncover today are as follows.

1. Spiritual Realm Goodness.

- *The good we seek does not compare to God's Goodness for us in the Spiritual Realm.*

2. Love for God.

- *Have you replaced your love for God, with things?*

3. New Life during trials.

- *During your tribulation can you Elevate.*

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1. Spiritual Realm Goodness

Paul is referring primarily to our Spiritual Good, not necessarily our material or financial good
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The "Good" God may have in mind may involve the next life entirely and not the present.

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"But Abraham replied, 'Son, remember that in your lifetime you received your good things, while Lazarus received bad things, but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony.

Luke 16:25

Spiritual Realm Goodness

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Spiritual Realm Goodness

The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with Him, that we may also be glorified together.

Romans 8:16 -17

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Spiritual Realm Goodness

In every situation, in every circumstance, We must put our trust in God!

There is no greater poverty than the absence of hope.

We have sonship through the Spirit who bears witness with our Spirit that we are children of God and it is by sharing in Christ suffering that we eventually will be able to share in Christ glory as well

There is no greater riches than the true riches of Christ!

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Spiritual Realm Goodness

Moreover, whom He Predestined, those He also called; whom He called, those He also Justified; and whom He justified, those He also Glorified.

Romans 8:30

God uses trials to build Christian character in us, conform us to Christ and prepare us for final glory!

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Spiritual Realm Goodness

And not only that, but we also glory in tribulations, knowing that tribulation produces perseverance; and Perseverance, character; and character, hope.

Romans 5:3-4

God plan of prosperity for us is fully attained when we reside with Him in Paradise.

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2. LOVE GOD!

✓ John 14:15 if you Love me you will keep my Commandments.

What are God's Commandments?

✓ Matthew 22:37-40 "You shall Love the Lord your God with all your Heart, with all your Soul, and with all your Mind. And Love your Neighbor as Yourself."

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LOVE GOD!

*Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters,
whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know
that the testing of your faith produces perseverance.*

James 1:2-3

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- ✓ "Since then, we know what it is to fear the Lord we try to persuade others.

2 Corinthians 5:1

- ✓ Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe All things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age."

Mathew 28:19 - 20

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2 Chronicles 15:3-6

For a long time, Israel was without the true God, but when in their trouble they turned to the Lord God of Israel, and sought Him, He was found by them. And in those times, there was no peace to the one who went out, nor to the one who came in, but great turmoil was on all the inhabitants of the lands. so, nation was destroyed by nation, and city by city, for God troubled them with every Adversity.

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Creation itself is groaning, that the world is suffering, it's going through pains like an expecting mother in labor who wants to deliver her child.

Romans 8:22

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3. New Life during trials

If anyone is in Christ, he is a New Creation; old things have passed away; Behold All Things have become NEW.

2 Corinthians 5:17

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New Life during trials

Be different keep His commandments:

Love the Lord your God with all your HEART, with all your SOUL, and with all your MIND, and put nothing before Him.

Let the time be a transformative one for you.

A time to ELEVATE your Spiritual being.

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New Life during trials

Don't squander this opportunity but allow God to do what he wants to do in you.

*He wants to change you and prepare you for
Glorification.*

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God is Sovereign and He truly does all the work:

*And those He predestined. He also called:
those He called, He also justified: those He
Justified, He also glorified.*



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