

Whosoever Will May Come

2 Corinthians 5:11-21 (NKJV)

1. The _____ power of God

A. Man's ability to choose does not diminish God's _____

1) _____

2) _____

B. God's sovereign power does not diminish man's _____

1) _____

Romans 8:29 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** Moreover whom He predestined, these He also called; whom He called, these He also justified; and whom He justified, these He also glorified.

2) _____

2. The _____ love of God

14 For the love of Christ compels us, because we judge thus: that if One died for all, then all died; **15** and He died for all, that those who live should live no longer for themselves, but for Him who died for them and rose again.

John 3:16 "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

John 3:19 "And this is the condemnation, that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. **20** For everyone practicing evil hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed."

3. The _____ atonement of God

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Romans 12:3 ...God has dealt to each one a measure of faith.

John 1:9 That was the true Light which gives light to every man coming into the world.

John 12:46 “ have come as a light into the world, that whoever believes in Me should not abide in darkness. 47And if anyone hears My words and does not believe, I do not judge him; for I did not come to judge the world but to save the world. 48He who rejects Me, and does not receive My words, has that which judges him—the word that I have spoken will judge him in the last day.”

1 **John 2:2** And He Himself is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the whole world.

4. The _____ invitation of God

18Now all things are of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation, 19that is, that God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, not imputing their trespasses to them, and has committed to us the word of reconciliation.

2 **Peter 3:9** The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance.

Matthew 11:28 “Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.”

5. The _____ commission of God

20Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore you on Christ’s behalf, be reconciled to God.