

# Discussion Questions on Divine Sovereignty and Salvation

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- 1. Is it God's desire for anyone to be condemned?**  
1 Tim 2.3-4; 2 Pet 3.9
- 2. Are people capable of rejecting or accepting God's plan of salvation in Christ?**  
Acts 13.46; 17.32-34; 28.24
- 3. Does God know beforehand those who will be saved?**  
Acts 13.48; 15.18; Rom 8.29
- 4. Is God bound, as we are, by the limitations of time?**  
Acts 15.18; 1 Pet 1.18-20
- 5. Does God choose those who will be saved?**  
Eph 1.3-4; 2 Thess 2.13; 1 Pet 1.2
- 6. Is God unjust if, in His sovereignty, some people are not saved?**  
Rom 9.14, 20-21
- 7. Can we expect to understand the sovereignty of God with absolute clarity?**  
Rom 11.33-35; 2 Cor 5.7