

DOCTRINAL NOTES

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DEATH

1. Types
 - a. Spiritual - Separation from God in Time; no fellowship with Him - Rom. 6:23 - Prov. 14:12; I Cor. 15-22; Rom. 5:12; Ezek. 18:20
 - b. Physical - Separation of body from soul and spirit, Phil. 1:21; John 11:25; Rom. 8:38; Job 19:25, 26; Psa. 23:4
 - c. Second - Separation from God in eternity - Heb. 9:27; Rev. 20:11-15
 - d. Positional - Identified with Christ in His death - Rom. 6:1-11; Col. 2:20
 - e. Operational - Faith without works - James 2:26
 - f. Temporal - Out of temporal fellowship - James 1:15; Rom. 3:2, 5, 13
 - g. Sexual - Incapable of procreating - Rom. 4:17, 19; Heb. 11:12
2. Reasons for Christian Death
 - a. Glorify the Lord - John 21:19; Acts 7:51
 - b. Finish work - 2 Tim. 4:7; Rev. 11:7; Luke 23:46
 - c. Discipline - I Cor. 3:17; I John 5:16; I Cor. 11:30
 - d. Human will over divine will - suicide.

DISCIPLINE

1. Discipline is for the believer only - Heb. 5, 6.
2. Is based on love - Heb. 12:6.
3. Never implies loss of salvation.
4. Is punishment for sins of the believer after salvation - immediate vicinity.
5. Is removed by rebound or confession - I Cor. 11:31; I John 1:9.
6. When suffering continues after rebound, the purpose is for blessing.
7. All discipline is confined to time, not in eternity.
8. If you suspect suffering in your life and have rebounded, look for something near at hand.

DYING GRACE - Phil. 1:21; II Cor. 5:8; Rev. 21:4; I Peter 1:4.

ELECTION

1. Christ is elected from eternity past - Isa. 42:1; 2 Tim. 1:9; I Peter 2:6.
2. This election took place in doctrine of eternal decrees - I Pet. 1:2 - on the basis of union with Christ - Eph. 1:4; II Thessa. 2:13.
3. Is present and future possession of all believers - Cor. 3:12
4. Every believer shares Christ's election - Rom. 8:28
5. Election takes place at moment of salvation - I Cor. 1:9, 24, 26-28; 2 Thessa. 2:13.
6. Election is the foundation of the Church - I Thessa. 1:4.
7. Is based on Grace - Gal. 1:6; 5:8.
8. Is basis of facing suffering with blessing - Rom. 8:28.