

THE DOCTRINES OF GRACE

LESSON 6

GOD'S SOVEREIGNTY

Here is a Bible study to get you acquainted with the concept of God's sovereignty in Scripture. God's sovereignty can be defined as His comprehensive rule over creation. Look up the following verses and make some observations about what they teach concerning God's sovereign rule.

- God's sovereignty in general

- 1 Chronicles 29:10-13
- Job 42:1-2
- Psalm 115:3; 135:6
- Isaiah 14:24, 27
- Isaiah 46:9-11
- Isaiah 55:10-11
- Daniel 4:35
- Romans 8:28
- Ephesians 1:11

- God's sovereignty in nature

- Job 37:6-13
- Psalm 104:14
- Psalm 135:6-7
- Psalm 148:8
- Daniel 6:22
- Amos 4:7
- Matthew 5:45
- Matthew 6:26; 10:29

- God's sovereignty in nations

- Joshua 21:44
- Judges 6:1
- Job 12:23
- Psalm 22:28
- Psalm 33:10
- Psalm 47:7
- Daniel 2:21
- Daniel 4:17, 34-35
- Isaiah 40:15
- Acts 17:26

- God's sovereignty in individual lives

- Genesis 45:5; 50:20
- Psalm 33:14-15
- Proverbs 16:9
- Proverbs 21:1
- Daniel 3:17
- Isaiah 64:8
- Jeremiah 1:5
- Nehemiah 4:15
- Romans 9:17-18
- James 4:14-15

- This includes the free acts of men
 - Exodus 12:36
 - Ezra 6:22; 7:6
 - Philippians 2:13

- This includes the sinful acts of men
 - John 19:11
 - Acts 4:27-28

- This includes life and death
 - Deuteronomy 32:39
 - 1 Samuel 2:6
 - Job 14:5
 - Psalm 139:16

- Nothing is too difficult for the Lord

- Genesis 18:14
- Jeremiah 32:17
- Matthew 19:26
- Luke 5:12