

... for all, including unbelievers	... for His own, His chosen ones	
<p>God</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - offers salvation to the world (John 3:16) - invites all the weary and burdened to come to Him (Matt. 11:28-30) - is good and merciful to all (Ps. 145:9) - causes the sun to rise and the rain to fall on the evil and the good - satisfies them with food and gladness (Matt. 5:44-45; Acts 14:16-17) - is kind to the ungrateful and evil (Luke 6:35) - delays wrath and judgment for His own glory (Rom. 9:22-23) - sometimes intervenes and restrains individuals or nations from sinning (Gen. 20:1-7; Exo. 34:23-24) <p>But He sometimes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - gives the unsaved over to their own devices (Ps. 81:11-12; Rom. 1:18-32) - hardens their hearts (Exo. 4:21; Josh. 11:20) <p>And He</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - will not leave the guilty unpunished (Nahum 1:3) 	<p>God the Father, Jesus the Son of God and the Spirit of God love us (Rom. 5:8; Gal. 2:20; Rom. 15:30)</p> <p>God demonstrated His love for us in that Christ:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - died for us while we were helpless, ungodly, sinners - was the propitiation for our sins (Rom. 5:6-8; 1 John 4:9-11) <p>God's love for us is</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - in Christ Jesus our Lord - sovereign and forever (Rom. 8:35-38; 9:13-21) <p>Because of God's great love for us He</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - saved us according to His mercy (Titus 3:4-5) - chose us before the foundation of the world <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - He first loved us (1 John 4:19) - predestined us to adoption as sons - made us alive together with Christ - raised us up with Him - seated us with Him in heavenly places (Eph 1:1-6, 2:4-7) - calls us His children (1 John 3:1-3) - grows us up, brings us to maturity (Heb. 12:4-7) <p>God loves those who</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - keep Jesus' commandments → love Jesus (John 14:21-23) - believe that He came forth from the Father (John 16:26-28) <p>God loves us just as He loves Jesus (John 17:22-23)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Ordo Salutis</u> Order of Salvation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. foreknowledge 2. election 3. predestination 4. calling 5. regeneration 6. faith 7. repentance 8. justification 9. sanctification 10. perseverance 11. glorification
<p>"... let those who love Your salvation say continually, 'The LORD be magnified!'" Psalm 40:16b</p>		