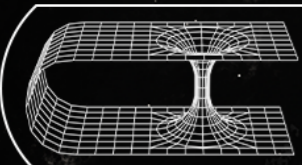


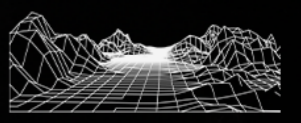
I'VE BEEN WONDERING



NEW SERIES
~~NEXT WEEK.~~

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HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED WHY BAD THINGS HAPPEN IN THE WORLD?
WHY IS PRAYER IMPORTANT?
WHY WOULD AN INFINITE GOD CARE ABOUT
THE FINITE CHALLENGES YOU EXPERIENCE DAY TO DAY.



WONDERING

BREAKING OPEN SIMPLE TRUTHS FOUND IN SCRIPTURE THAT ANSWER COMPLEX QUESTIONS FOUND IN LIFE.

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Message Notes:

Sovereign Will of God (Eph 4:5-6, Rom 8:28, Gen 50:20)

- Within God’s Sovereignty there is the free will of man
- Evil is not from God, but He will work all things for good
- Directly or indirectly, God will fulfill His will

Revealed Will of God (Deuteronomy 30:11-14)

- - Gods will can be found in His Word
- - His will is not contrary to His Word
- - Obedience to God’s Word leads you to the will of God

The Choice is Ours (Deut 30:19-20)

- We choose to be in or out of God’s will
- Our choice is the key to unlocking or locking things in heaven & earth

Give up the Lead (Luke 22:42)

- Jesus gave up His will for God’s will
- When we lay down our will for His will there is life

Questions:

- 1) How did hearing about the Sovereign will of God today help you to be confident in trusting God when bad things happen?
- 2) How were you challenged to read the Bible more after hearing that we can find God’s will in His Word?
- 3) What is the hardest part about laying down **your will** versus **God’s will**?
- 4) In today’s message we heard the thought of dancing with God. How is this a picture of you allowing Him to take the lead in your life?

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Prayer:

Thank you, Father, that because Jesus gave up His will for Yours, I have eternal life. Help me to remember that when I lay down my will for yours that there is life on the other side and when I choose you to obey your Word and trust you, that it is the key to unlocking everything you have prepared for me!

AMEN

What’s Coming

Up: <https://rock.celebration.church/events>

- **JUNE 1:** Pursuit Night
- **JUNE 5:** Small Group Leader’s Orientation
- **JUNE 21-23:** Celebration KiDS Camp
- **JUNE 26:** Baptisms
- **JULY 16:** ARC Serve Saturday
- **JULY 20:** WAVE Student Conference