## If you are a believer in what Calvin TAUGHT

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If you are a believer in what Calvin TAUGHT: TULIP; then you are a Calvinist. You may not CALL yourself that; but that is what you are nevertheless. I do not believe in any of the 5 points of Calvinism: i.e. TULIP; because they are ALL false and based on a logical progression from Bible passages taken out of context. It's not a flower, flowers have round edges, to have 5 points it must be a STAR. A pentagram with its circle logic: jumping from one point to the next without answering for what the Bible actually SAYS against each point. Not ONE of the 5 points are actually IN THE BIBLE! 1. Total Depravity, 2. Unconditional Election, 3. Limited Atonement, 4. Irresistible Grace, 5. Perseverance of the Saints.

1. Total Depravity: Where does the Bible say depravity is more than what it means without the word "total"? How can you MAKE depravity worse than what it is already? If the will of man is incapable of making any right decision then you MUST account for moral lost people. The tree that Adam ate from wasn't just the tree of the knowledge of EVIL: it was the tree of the knowledge of GOOD AND EVIL. It was a TREE of CHOICE. To disobey or to obey: such is the issue with the Mosaic Law; or the law of conscience: most people agree with the law and do NOT the things that are therein. They have a moral conscience. It is NOT the TOTALITY, or DEGREE of deprayity that is the issue: IT IS THE FACT THAT WE BROKE GOD'S LAW by CHOICE. It was an ACT of FREEWILL that broke God's law and therefore all INDIVIDUALS are personally accountable to GOD. God knows that man can not save himself because of the nature of man was IN ADAM, after his image and likeness; and death passed upon all men. The gospel being given as a CHOICE to receive or reject Jesus Christ for payment for PERSONALLY breaking God's Law; where by doing this; God imputes His righteousness to the sinner, and the sinner's sins are imputed to God's Son. The CHOICE is not a work of righteousness, nor is it a work of the LAW. The WILL of man is NOT tainted with the inability to make the right choice. Calvin would have us think that the depraved nature makes us unable to choose the right thing presented to us like the Gospel. This ridiculous unbiblical view makes the word of God of none affect because the Bible presents the Gospel message to the SINNER and begs for a decision: Receive it or Reject it: John 1:11-12, "He came unto his own, and his own received him not. But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name:" One group CHOSE to receive him NOT (rejection) and the other are given the choice TOO receive HIM! The ending of the Bible has this to say: Revelation 22:17, "And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely." The water of life IS Jesus Christ: (John 4:14-26) the whosoever will, is ANYONE that FREELY WILL! Not just an elected FEW that were picked from the beginning of time and predestined to go to heaven! That lie is just elitist pagan fatalism in disguise.

- 2. Unconditional Election: Notice the logical progression to this point. This is dealing with the word predestine. However in the Bible the word used is predestinate used twice in Romans 8:29 and in Romans 8:30. And the word predestinated also used twice in Ephesians 1:5 and in Ephesians 1:11. Notice that in BOTH cases the words are NOT predestine; and also notice that each word is in the context of itself. Next notice that EVERY time the words are used in the Bible they are DEFINED in the passage and NEVER mean predestine to heaven or hell. Calvin adopted the word and took it clean OUT of its Biblical context to teach an out and out LIE! Notice in the first case the word predestinate: is defined in Romans 8:29: because the word is part of a clause: "For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son..." nothing there about predestine to heaven at all; as a matter of fact the word predestine and predestinate are very DIFFERENT words especially in HOW IT IS USED where IT IS FOUND! The conforming to the image of his Son; is ONLY born again people that are IN CHRIST: WE will be changed one day PHYSICALLY into the IMAGE of His SON! This relates to 1 John 3:2, "Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is." This is what we call the rapture: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 and 1 Corinthians 15:51-55. The other word predestinated shows up in Ephesians 1:5, 11; which notice: the same things apply in the context. This time the predestinated is unto adoption of children of SAVED people, not lost people! SEE: predestinated US! Paul is referring to himself as well and he is already IN CHRIST. In Verse 11, "...we have obtained an inheritance, being predestinated..." Notice the WE, is also only saved people, no one here is LOST. What is predestinated is our inheritance! NOT SALVATION itself. Now the proof text for Calvinism: Ephesians 1:4, "According as he hath chosen us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before him in love:" Who read this passage this way: Ephesians 1:4, "According as he hath chosen us before the foundation of the world, that we should one day be holy and without blame and in the future before him in love:" However that is NOT what the verse SAYS! God is precise about His WORDS! Notice Paul uses the US in the passage meaning SAVED people ONLY; and also notice that we are chosen IN HIM (The Lord Jesus Christ)! That is, you have to be IN CHRIST to be THERE at the foundation of the world: you have to be IN CHRIST to be HOLY and WITHOUT BLAME and you have to be IN CHRIST to be THERE BEFORE HIM! Notice also verse 3, "...who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ:" Notice that we have spiritual blessings IN HEAVENLY PLACES! But WAIT: notice that we MUST be IN CHRIST for this to be TRUE! And HOW do you get IN CHRIST? You MUST be BORN AGAIN! Receive Jesus Christ today before it is too late! Put Calvin's 5 points in the trash can! To believe that God picked an elite select few in the beginning of time and rejected all the rest and condemned them to hell before time is not only unscriptural, and repulsive, it leads to the hellish doctrine of limiting the atonement to that elite group and NOT to the others!
- 3. Limited Atonement: This is where Calvin testifies to his heresy of limiting God's grace to his own elite group of prefabricated Christianized paganistic fatalism! The term "limited atonement" is an oxymoron! The words together are totally against each other. Think for a moment and quit just parroting others: to limit the atonement would mean

that the atonement was not good enough for certain sins! IF the atonement did not cover ALL SIN for ALL MEN, then it did not cover ALL SIN for ANY MAN! This is just plain nonsense, bent on taking true Christians back to ROME! This paganism struts itself against God and the doctrine of Reconciliation and also purports to over through the doctrine of Propitiation and Imputation. These three doctrines the Calvinist will NOT deal with because they have NO IDEA what they are! IF propitiation is universal then the atonement MUST also be universal and for this to be true then reconciliation MUST by its nature have MORE than ONE side to it! It would have to have THREE sides! The limited thing would have to be Imputation. So the doctrine of reconciliation on God's side in reconciling the world to himself, gave his SON: 1 John 2:2, "And he is the propitiation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world." God is reconciled to man kind through Jesus Christ: that means ALL OF MAN KIND! But this is ONLY God's SIDE of reconciliation! There are two other sides! The side of Jesus Christ: He did all there is to be done to reconcile God to man, and to reconcile man to God! The one side is DONE! The other left is Man's side of reconciliation: Jesus Christ's finished work is all the work needed: all man has to do is BELIEVE GOD'S WORD (THE GOSPEL) by Receiving Jesus Christ as his personal savior and the rest is taken care of! It is NOT a completed transaction until man's side of reconciliation is done! This does NOT teach that everyone will be saved: that is a misrepresentation of what is taught here. This is how past Calvinist tulip five pointer elitist argue: by misrepresentation! It is because they are elitist by nature thinking highly of themselves that God would choose a sinner like them: pft! God chose His SON! If you are IN His SON, you have life, if you have NOT the Son of God, you do NOT have eternal life and you WILL die in your sins! If you really believe the lie that the atonement is partial then you will by your own sin nature have to believe that grace is irresistible; because one lie perpetuates another!

4. Irresistible Grace: Here we have another oxymoron! Grace ceases to be Grace once it is FORCED upon anyone. How can Grace be FORCED on anyone and still be GRACEFUL? The tyrant that forces his ideology on the masses is NOT doing it by Grace! He is doing it by terror, torture, and torment! There is no grace in these. The person that invented these words together did not know grace, did not understand grace, and did not WANT to be Gracious to others! Forced Grace? REALLY: THINK for a CHANGE! Notice GRACE: Romans 3:24-26, "Being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus: Whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood, to declare his righteousness for the remission of sins that are past, through the forbearance of God; To declare, I say, at this time his righteousness: that he might be just, and the justifier of him which believeth in Jesus." Grace is not FORCED it is FREELY GIVEN; and GIVEN to anyone that is IN CHRIST JESUS! Notice that God's propitiation on MAN'S SIDE is through faith in his blood! Notice the wording: "...through the forbearance of God..." THAT is GRACE! But the key element is "...of him which believeth in Jesus." There is no grace outside of that! WHY? Because ALL lost people have the wrath of God ON THEM RIGHT NOW! John 3:36, "He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him." He was NOT chosen before the foundation of anything! He is LOST, without GOD, alone in the world, with NO HOPE!

There is NO ELECT PEOPLE IN YOUR ELITE GROUP THAT ARE LOST! Please show me ONE lost elected person in the Bible. Just ONE! I had one Calvinist even tell me that he was in Christ before he was born as a sinner totally depraved!!! I said wait the passage said you were HOLY, what happened? He didn't have an answer! YOU MUST BE IN CHRIST to be IN THE ELECT. Because Jesus Christ is the ONLY ONE THAT WAS THERE IN THE BEGINNING WITH GOD TO BE ELECTED! HE IS THE MESSIAH THE ANOINTED ONE THE ELECTED ONE: YOU MUST BE IN HIM TO BE IN THE ELECT! The Jewish nation of Israel is said to be the elect of God. But they were chosen IN TIME, not at the beginning of time. There are elect angels, and people pick (elect) certain people: like elect women and in the case of John who was given charge to take care of Mary the mother of Jesus Christ; this would be an elect woman; but was elected IN TIME to give birth to the savior of the world. NO SINNER EXISTED BEFORE TIME TO BE CHOSEN! Notice: Colossians 3:12-14, "Put on therefore, as the elect of God, holy and beloved, bowels of mercies, kindness, humbleness of mind, meekness, longsuffering; Forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, if any man have a quarrel against any: even as Christ forgave you, so also do ye. And above all these things put on charity, which is the bond of perfectness." Notice here that these are the fruits of the Spirit: the elect of God IS Jesus Christ! Put on Christ: Galatians 3:27, "For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ." He is the ELECTED ONE! He gets all the preeminence and all the praise and glory! When you take your cause up of Calvinism you claim the preeminence, praise and glory that is due to Jesus Christ alone! Calvin was a fool. He was a biblical ignorant diluted fool! Not one of his points are biblical. But to believe this you also MUST believe that YOU have to endure to the end to be saved! Because Calvin taught if you fall or backslide then you were never saved to begin with! This is the perseverance of the Saints.

5. Perseverance of the Saints: Now we come to what some people claim is the doctrine of eternal security! However; Calvin did not believe in eternal security in the way the Bible teaches it. Calvin believed that IF you did not believe in his 5 points you were a heretic and should be burned at the stake just like his teachers believed. Calvin believed that if you fell from one of his points you were not persevering and therefore were never saved to begin with. This is NOT eternal security. I have a few questions: 1. Do we persevere to keep our salvation or does God preserve us with his salvation? 2. When does eternal life END? 3. On what merit did we GET eternal life: was it a free gift? Or did we earn it? 4. If eternal life is in fact ETERNAL given to us without merit as a free gift, then how can we do anything to get rid of it or make it end? Look up the word perseverance in the Bible: You will find it in only ONE place: Ephesians 6:18, "Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;" it is something the SAINTS DO in PRAYING! It has nothing to do with Eternal Security at all! What in the world that is eternal is preserved by God with man doing NOTHING but being used by GOD! Let's just see: looking up the words for preservation: Words found: preserve, preserved, preserver, preservest and preserveth. Now look how these words are used in the Bible: Genesis 45:7; Deuteronomy 6:24; Joshua 24:17; 1 Samuel 30:23; 2 Samuel 8:6; 1 Chronicles 18:6, 13; Nehemiah 9:6; Job 7:20; Job 10:12; Job 29:2; Psalms 16:1; Psalms 31:23; Psalms 32:7; Psalms 36:6; Psalms 40:11: Psalms 41:2: Psalms 61:7: Psalms 64:1: Psalms 86:2: Psalms 116:6: Psalms 121:7:

Psalms 121:8; Psalms 140:1, 4; Psalms 145:20; Psalms 146:9; Proverbs 2:8; Isaiah 31:5; and Isaiah 49:8. Like the word of God that God preserved God also preserves His Saints: Psalms 12:6-7, "The words of the LORD are pure words: as silver tried in a furnace of earth, purified seven times. Thou shalt keep them, O LORD, thou shalt preserve them from this generation for ever." And Psalms 37:28, "For the LORD loveth judgment, and forsaketh not his saints; they are preserved for ever: but the seed of the wicked shall be cut off." And Psalms 97:10, "Ye that love the LORD, hate evil: he preserveth the souls of his saints; he delivereth them out of the hand of the wicked." And 1 Thessalonians 5:23, "And the very God of peace sanctify you wholly; and I pray God your whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ." And 2 Timothy 4:18, "And the Lord shall deliver me from every evil work, and will preserve me unto his heavenly kingdom: to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen." God preserves, it is not a work of men to keep us, but a work of God because after salvation is accomplished we are sealed: John 6:27, "Labour not for the meat which perisheth, but for that meat which endureth unto everlasting life, which the Son of man shall give unto you: for him hath God the Father sealed." And 2 Corinthians 1:22, "Who hath also sealed us, and given the earnest of the Spirit in our hearts." And Ephesians 1:13, "In whom ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye believed, ye were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise," And if that weren't enough: Ephesians 4:30, "And grieve not the holy Spirit of God, whereby ye are sealed unto the day of redemption." SO it is God that preserves the saints and NOT WE OURSELVES that must persevere to anything.

Thus the five pointed pentagram of the elitist pagan fatalism fails in every point; with such an obvious failing you would only miss it if you were also a lying elitist pagan fatalist like Calvin and his Calvinism. His birth name was actually Jean Chauvin, so his ideology is actually Chauvinism! He believed in infant baptism by sprinkling, joining church and state and that the church should run the state, and that baptism and the Lord's Supper were sacraments and not ordinances, and he believed in burning heretics. That is why people want to believe his teachings in the TULIP but not call themselves Calvinist! No guts! They don't want to be linked up to Calvin, and no wonder! The Calvinist must also lean toward the old lie that salvation in the Old Testament is the same as in the New, where as they were looking forward to the cross and we are looking back! This lie is running amuck across the country because there is no one studying the Bible to see if it is true, they just like they way it sounds and parrot what they hear! Happens all the time.

Calvin did not understand the space / time continuum, and did not know what it meant when the Bible says to be IN CHRIST. He got the cart pulling the horse! He was taught the doctrines given to his name by Augustine who was a Roman Catholic. He did not come up with these things by himself, he was an idiot just parroting what he was taught and wrote them all in a book giving him credit for someone else's doctrinal stance in error.