

THE CAUSE OF GOD AND TRUTH

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SOME THINGS FOUND IN THE LAMB'S BOOK OF LIFE

Within the Lamb's Book of Life are written some of the things God did for His elect before the world stood, before time began its relentless race or before an angel ever cried "Holy, Holy, Holy!" Yea, before a single star ever sent out a wave of light or a galaxy swirled God's grace in resplendent riches laded us with the following:

1. Love embraced us before the foundation of the world,(Jn. 17:24, Cf. with 23b; Rom. 29).
2. Grace was given unto us in Christ before the world began, (II Tim. 1:9).
3. We were chosen in Christ before the foundation of the world, (Eph. 1:4).
4. We were ordained to eternal life, (Acts 13:48).
5. We were predestinated to be called, (Ro. 8:30).
6. We were predestinated to be justified, (Ro. 8:30).
7. We were predestinated to be glorified, (Rom. 8:29,30).
8. We were predestinated to adoption, (Eph. 1:5).
9. We were predestinated to an inheritance (Eph. 1:11).
10. The inheritance was predestinated for us, (Eph. 1:11).
11. We were predestinated to be conformed to the image of the Son of God (Rom. 8:29).
12. We were predestinated to be to the praise of His glory, (Eph. 1:11,12).
13. We were chosen in Christ from the beginning of the world, (2 Thess. 2:14).
14. The Lamb was foreordained for us before the foundation of the world, (I Pet. 1:20).
15. The Lamb was slain for us from the foundation of the world, (Rev. 13:8).
16. A kingdom was prepared for us from the foundation of the world, (Mt. 25:34).
17. Eternal life was promised to us before the world began, (Tit. 1:2).
18. God ordained this wisdom, His wisdom, unto our glory before the world began,
(I Cor. 2:7).
19. This work was finished for us from the foundation of the world, (Heb. 4:3).
20. God has always known what He would do for us from eternity, (Acts 15:18).
21. Our names were written in the Lamb's Book of Life from the foundation of the world,
(Rev. 17:8).
22. Positions of honor and rank were prepared for us before the world began, (Mt. 20:23 with
25:34).
23. Things, which were kept secret from the foundation of the world, are now made known,
(Mt. 13:35), which is nothing but the "wonderful works that He hath done", for
us, (Ps. 78:4).
24. This mystery was hid in God from the beginning of the world for us, (Eph. 3:9)
25. While the world deems this to be foolishness, God declares that these things are His
wisdom and according to His eternal purpose for us, (Eph. 3:10b, 11).

26. This is that eternal Covenant which He made for us, (Heb. 13:20). And the token

of this covenant is that emerald rainbow John saw about the throne of God in Heaven, (Rev. 4:3) and this rainbow gives greater comfort to the elect than that other bow did to Noah.

27. By faith we can know that our names are written in this book, (Phil. 4:3).

28. We are to rejoice because our names are written in this book, (Lk. 10:20; He. 12:23).

29. The mercy of the Lord was given unto us is from everlasting, (Ps. 103:17).

30. His love to us is from everlasting, (Jer. 31:3).

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