

## **Foundation Study: Biblical Theology.**

Biblical theology is the study of the mega themes of Scripture. It's a study of the large ideas of the Bible, whereas systematic theology is an up-close examination of the individual doctrines of the Christian faith. Biblical theology is the forest, whereas systematic theology (Foundations 1-10) are the trees.

## Biblical Theology

The big idea of the Bible is **the Supremacy of God**  
*For you, O Lord, are supreme over all the earth. Psalm 97:9 NLT*

Exodus 8:10, 9:14, 15:11, Deut. 4:35, 39, 33:26, Joshua 2:11, I Samuel 2:2, 2 Samuel 7:22, 1 Kings 8:23, 1 Chron. 17:20, Psalm 71:19, 77:13, 86:8, 89:6, Isaiah 45:18, 46: 9, Jeremiah 10:6-7, Micah 7:18

God's supremacy is declared as the <b>great Creator</b>	God's supremacy is demonstrated as the <b>gracious Redeemer</b>			God's supremacy is displayed as the <b>glorious King</b>
Genesis 1-2	Genesis 3 -Revelation 20			Revelation 21-22
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Because He created everything from the beginning. Genesis 1:1</li> <li>2. Because He created everything from nothing. Hebrews 11:3, Psalm 148:5</li> <li>3. Which answers the question of origin. Isaiah 45:12</li> <li>4. Which addresses the issue of ownership and establishes <b>accountability</b>. Genesis 1:27, Psalm 24:1,2</li> <li>5. Which evokes a sense of wonder. Psalm 33:6-9</li> <li>6. Which lays the foundation for redemption. Isaiah 44:24</li> </ol>	Genesis 3:15	Genesis 12- Malachi	Matthew- Revelation 20	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Who elicits great <b>adoration</b>. Revelation 7:9-11</li> <li>2. Who believers will personally experience. Revelation 21:3, 22:4, Job 19:25-27</li> <li>3. Who believers will increasingly and endlessly enjoy. Psalm 17:15</li> <li>4. Who believers long for. Philippians 1:21-23, Hebrews 11:13-16</li> <li>5. Whose mission believers gladly and boldly carry out. Matthew 28:16-20, Acts 20:24, 21:13</li> <li>6. Whose kingship everyone will recognize. Philippians 2:9-11</li> </ol>
	<p>The <b>promise</b> of a Savior for all humanity.</p> <p><i>Then the LORD God said to the serpent...He will strike your head, and you will strike his heel. Genesis 3:15</i></p> <p>God's informs Satan that Christ's resurrection will be a fatal blow (strike your head) to the power of death but only after Satan causes Christ to suffer (strike his heel) at the cross.</p> <p>The death of Christ defeats sin, the resurrection of Christ defeats death.</p>	<p>The <b>preservation</b> of the promised Savior thru the Hebrews.</p> <p><i>The LORD said to Abram...all the families on earth will be blessed through you. Genesis 12:3</i></p> <p>God forms the Hebrew people from Abram and declares that he will safeguard his promise thru them for everyone.</p>	<p>The <b>presentation</b> of the promised Savior for all humanity.</p> <p><i>The woman said, "I know the Messiah is coming—the one who is called Christ. When he comes, he will explain everything to us." Then Jesus told her, "I am the Messiah!" John 4:25-26</i></p> <p>He is presented first time to save. (Luke 19:10) and the second time to judge. Matthew 16:27, Revelation 19:11-21</p>	
Which prompts great <b>affection</b> . Psalm 18:1				
The Old Testament Genesis – Malachi			The New Testament Matthew – Revelation	