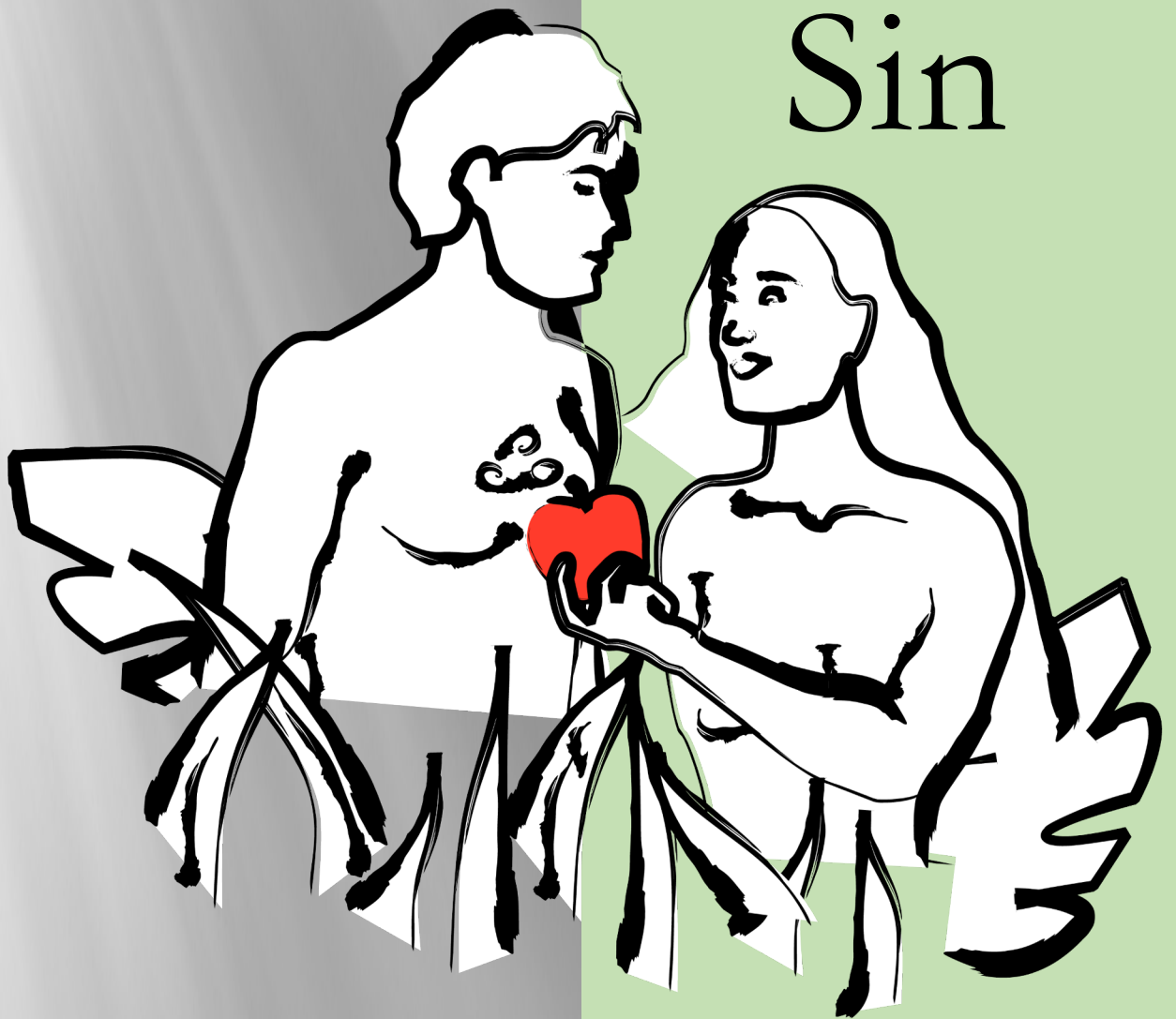


Man & Sin



**Christian Doctrine:
A Study of Biblical Truth**

Anthropology: The Study of Man

I. INTRODUCTION TO MAN

A. Importance of Anthropology

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B. Sudden Creationism

C. Adam as a Historical Person

II. CREATED IN GOD'S IMAGE

A. Man Created Directly by God

- "Make/Made" (Heb. = *asah*)

- "Create" (Heb. = *bara*)

- "Formed" (Heb. = *yatsar*)

1)

2)

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B. Man as Image of God (*Imago Dei*)

1) Implications of Humans Being Made in God's Image

a)

b)

c)

d)

2) How is Man the Image of God?

3 Views...

a)

b)

c)

The following characteristics help to further define man as an image bearer:

- *Ontologically* -
- *Volitionally* -
- *Intellectually* -
- *Emotionally* -
- *Relationally* -
- *Functionally* -

C. Jesus as Image of God

D. The Bible's Storyline and the Image of God

1) *Creation:*

2) *Fall:*

3) *Incarnation:*

4) *Restoration:*

III. THE HUMAN CONSTITUTION

A. 5 Terms used to refer to human persons in Scripture

1) *Body*

2) *Soul*

3) *Spirit*

4) *Heart*

5) *Conscience*

B. Three Views of the Human Constitution

1) *Monism*

2) *Dichotomism*

3) *Trichotomism*

Evaluation of the Three Views

IV. ORIGIN OF THE SOUL

3 Main Views...

A. Preexistence

B. Creationism

C. Traducianism

Evaluation of the Three Views

V. GENDER

A. Gender Created by God

B. Gender and Marriage

C. Gender and Procreation

D. Homosexuality

1) Homosexuality in Genesis

2) Homosexuality and the Mosaic Code

3) Homosexuality and Romans 1

VI. PERSONHOOD

A. Beginning of Personhood

B. End of Human Life

C. Destiny at Death

1) Cessation of Existence

2) Continuation of the Soul Only

3) Annihilationism

4) Soul Sleep

5) Reincarnation

6) Entry into an Intermediate State Awaiting Resurrection

Evaluation of Views

VII. MAN AND SOCIETY

A. Ethnicity and Nations

9 Truths and Principles:

1)

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B. Human Government

1. Biblical Principles of Human Government (Rom. 13:1-7; 1 Pet. 2:13-14)

a)

b)

c)

d)

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g)

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2. Human Government in the unfolding Story of Scripture

C. Human Culture

SUMMARY - Biblical Theology of Man

Hamartiology: The Study of Sin

I. INTRODUCTION TO SIN

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A. Sin Defined

B. Sin's Relationship to Other Doctrines

1. Doctrine of God

2. Doctrine of Man

3. Doctrine of Salvation

4. Doctrine of Christ

5. Doctrine of Angels

6. Doctrine of the Church

7. Doctrine of Eschatology

C. Origin of Sin

1) Satan

2) Adam and Eve

II. CONSEQUENCES OF THE FALL

A. Personal Consequences

B. The Fall's Impact on Relationships

1) God

2) People

3) Creation

C. Three Forms of Death

1) Spiritual

2) Physical

3) Eternal

D. Transmission of Adam's Sin

1. Unexplained Solidarity

2. Bad Example

3. Inherited Sinful Nature

4. Realism

5. Representative Headship

E. Old Self and New Self

F. Total Depravity

a.

b.

c.

III. SIN ISSUES

A. Are Some Sins Worse Than Others?

B. The Unpardonable Sin

C. Sin Leading to Death

D. Are Their Mortal and Venial Sins?

E. Sin and the Christian

F. The Coming Man of Sin

G. God and the Problem of Evil

Understanding Evil and Suffering

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SUMMARY - Biblical Theology of Sin