

## Question 23 - Did God leave all mankind to perish in the estate of sin and misery?

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### Scriptures - Fill in the Blank

1. "[E]ven as he \_\_\_\_\_ us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be \_\_\_\_\_ and blameless before him. In \_\_\_\_\_ he \_\_\_\_\_ us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the \_\_\_\_\_ of his \_\_\_\_\_" - Eph 1:4-5 ESV

2. "For by \_\_\_\_\_ of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin. But now the \_\_\_\_\_ of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it-- the righteousness of God through \_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction" - Rom 3:20-22 ESV

3. "Is the law then contrary to the promises of God? Certainly not! For if a law had been given that could give \_\_\_\_\_, then righteousness would indeed be by the \_\_\_\_\_. But the Scripture imprisoned everything under \_\_\_\_\_, so that the promise by \_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus Christ might be given to those who believe." - Gal 3:21-22 ESV

### Catechism Answer - Fill in the Blank

**Answer** - God — having out of His mere good pleasure, from all eternity, \_\_\_\_\_ some to everlasting life — did enter into a Covenant of \_\_\_\_\_, to deliver them out of the estate of \_\_\_\_\_ and misery, and to bring them into an estate of \_\_\_\_\_ by a \_\_\_\_\_.

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**Answer - God — having out of His mere good pleasure, from all eternity, elected some to everlasting life — did enter into a Covenant of Grace, to deliver them out of the estate of sin and misery, and to bring them into an estate of salvation by a Redeemer.**