

## F.S.M. BIBLE STUDY SHEET

### ◇ What is the covenant of grace? (COG)

- GOD'S promise of eternal life for all people who have faith in Christ
  - > The COG is an arrangement whereby GOD planned to save mankind from the just consequences of his sin (namely) immorality, misery, death, and damnation
- > The COG is salvation:
  - \* by grace alone
  - \* by faith alone
  - \* through Christ alone

### ◇ What are some of the main parts of The COG?

- It is GOD'S covenant in that it is conceived, devised, determined, established, confirmed, and dispensed by GOD Himself (*Gen.9:12*)
- It is universal in its scope (*Gen.9:12 - Gen. 12:3*)
- It is an unconditional covenant
- It is an everlasting covenant
  - > because it is divine in its origin, administration, establishment and confirmation that it can be perpetual

### ◇ What are the details of the COG?

- Jesus would become a man (*John 1:1,18; Heb. 2:9*)
- Jesus would be the mediator of a better covenant (*Heb. 8:6*)
- Jesus would redeem under the Law (*Gal. 4:4*)
- Jesus would fulfill the Law perfectly (*1 Pet. 2:22*) (*2<sup>ND</sup> Cor.5:21*)
- The manifestation of the COG was progressive
  - > in the Garden of Eden after Adam & Eve sinned GOD promised a redeemer (*Gen. 3:15*)
  - > to Abraham the promise to bless the nations (*Gen. 12:2-3*)
  - > the covenant of the Ten Commandments given to the Israelites at Mount Sinai (*Exodus 34:28*)
  - > to believers in the New Covenant (*Jer. 31:31-37*)
  - > the fulfillment in Christ (*1 Cor. 11:25*).

