

God's Sovereign Nature

The Word Sovereign is defined - with complete power: having supreme authority or power. Pertaining to God this is an absolute. Let's notice some Biblical truth concerning God's Sovereign nature. The fact that God is our creator shows one unique aspect of His sovereignty that no other posses. **Gen 6:5-7 (KJV) GOD saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. 6 And it repented the LORD that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart. 7 And the LORD said, I will destroy man whom I have created from the face of the earth; both man, and beast, and the creeping thing, and the fowls of the air; for it repenteth me that I have made them. Gen 6:17 (KJV)17 And, behold, I, even I, do bring a flood of waters upon the earth, to destroy all flesh, wherein is the breath of life, from under heaven; and every thing that is in the earth shall die. Genesis 7: 17-24** Who could make such a declaration and carry it out, but one with divine power and supreme authority. In **Genesis 19** concerning the account of Sodom and Gomorrah it was God who pronounced judgment upon the wickedness of these cities and chose to annihilate them after seeing the sin and immorality at such a wicked state. **Gen 19:24-25 (KJV) 24 Then the LORD rained upon Sodom and upon Gomorrah brimstone and fire from the LORD out of heaven; 25 and he overthrew those cities, and all the plain, and all the inhabitants of the cities, and that which grew upon the ground.** Again only one with complete power and supreme authority could pronounce such a judgment and enforce it in such a spectacular manner. We can also notice the Old Testament account concerning the Exodus from Egypt. As Moses led God's people out of Egypt, Pharaoh and his army had a change of heart and followed after attempting to bring them back. As they come to the Red Sea **Exodus Chapter 14 21 And Moses stretched out his hand over the sea; and the LORD caused the sea to go back by a strong east wind all that night, and made the sea dry land, and the waters were divided. 22 And the children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground: and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.** Who could call for the waters of a massive sea to part and they part, but one with supreme authority. God is most certainly all powerful and is with out a doubt the supreme ruler. We should love, honor, obey, fear and reverence our all powerful creator and thank him for his greatest act of sovereignty in sending us His only begotten Son, that we may obtain eternal salvation. **John 3:16**

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