

Foreknowledge & Free Will

A Discussion of Romans 8

Romans 8:29-30

²⁹ For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the first-born among many brethren. ³⁰ And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified.

Jeremiah 1:5

⁵ “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.”

I Peter 1:2

chosen and destined by God the Father and sanctified by the Spirit for obedience to Jesus Christ and for sprinkling with his blood: May grace and peace be multiplied to you.

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- Speaking the Truth in Love – Predestination, Providence, and Prayer

<https://www.ancientfaith.com/podcasts/hopko/predestination>

More Resources

- St John Chrysostom on Grace and Free Will – lecture by David Shaw
- The Scriptural Teaching of Predestination by Fr Lawrence Farley