



Sermon Discussion Guide

Understanding God's Sovereignty and Human Responsibility November 9, 2025: Romans 11:33-36

Begin with a prayer, asking God to open your hearts and minds to understand His Word and to guide your discussion.

Share a time when you had to make a difficult choice. How did you feel about the decision-making process?

Scripture Reading: Read Romans 11:33-36 together as a group.

Discussion Questions:

1. Understanding God's Sovereignty:

- What does Romans 11:33-36 tell us about the nature of God?
- How does the concept of God's sovereignty challenge or comfort you?

2. Human Responsibility:

- Discuss the tension between God's sovereignty and human responsibility. How do you see these two concepts working together in your own life?
- How does John 6:44 and Matthew 23:37 illustrate this tension?

3. The Role of Evangelism:

- Why is evangelism important, even if God is sovereign and knows who will be saved?
- How can we be faithful witnesses in our daily lives?

4. Security in Salvation:

- Reflect on Philippians 1:6 and John 10:27-28. What assurance do these verses provide about our salvation?
- How can we discern if someone is truly saved, and what should our response be to those who have walked away from their faith?

5. **Personal Reflection:**

- Have you ever struggled with doubts about your salvation? How can the truths discussed in this sermon provide assurance?
- How does understanding God's love and choice impact your relationship with Him?

6. **Worship and Response:**

- How can we ensure that our study of theology leads to worship and doxology?
- In what ways can you live a life that represents the greatness and majesty of God?

Application:

- Identify one area in your life where you need to trust more in God's sovereignty. Share with the group and pray for each other.

Conclude with prayer, thanking God for His sovereignty and asking for His guidance in living out these truths in your daily lives. Pray for those who may be struggling with their faith or who have walked away, asking God to draw them back to Himself.