

## Doctrine of God Lesson 7

### Does God Change? - The Immutability of God

#### I. God Does Not Change

*Malachi 3:6* “For I the Lord do not change; therefore you, O children of Jacob, are not consumed.”

*Hebrews 13:8* “Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.”

*James 1:17* “Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change.”

#### II. God is Eternal

*Psalms 90:2* “Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.”

*Psalms 102:25-27* “Of old you laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the work of your hands. They will perish, but you will remain; they will all wear out like a garment. You will change them like a robe, and they will pass away, but you are the same, and your years have no end.”

*Isaiah 40:28* “Have you not known? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable.”

*Rev. 22:13* “I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.”

#### III. God Does Not Change His Mind

*Numbers 23:19* “God is not man, that he should lie, or a son of man, that he should change his mind. Has he said, and will he not do it? Or has he spoken, and will he not fulfill it?”

*Isaiah 40:8* “The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever.”

*1 Sam. 15*

V.11 ““I regret that I have made Saul king, for he has turned back from following me and has not performed my commandments.”

- God regrets

V.29 “And also the Glory of Israel will not lie or have regret, for he is not a man, that he should have regret.”

- God doesn't regret

#### IV. God's Emotional State Does Not Change or Affect Him