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Inspiration & Preservation

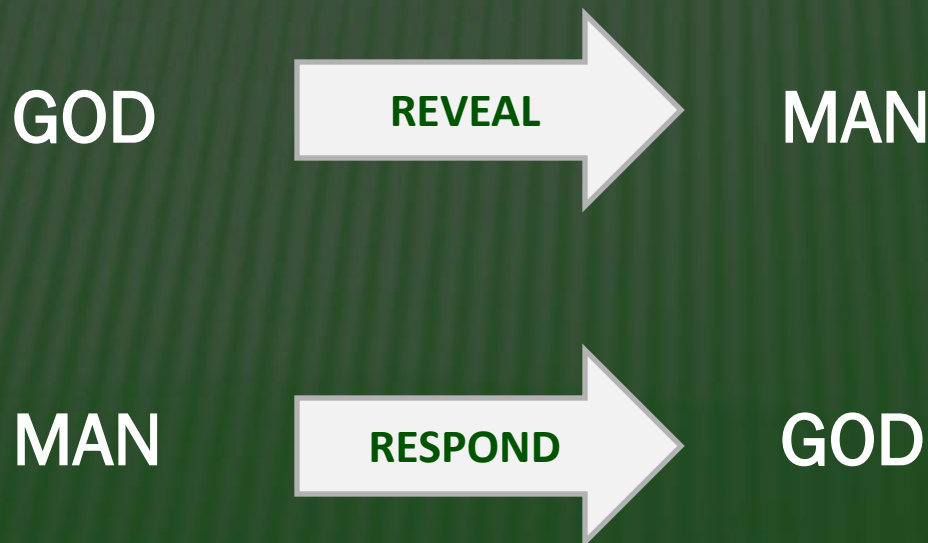


I) PRE-REQUISITES OF PRESERVATION



A) REVELATION

Revelation = “the unveiling of something previously hidden so that it may be seen for what it is; the act of disclosing to others what was before unknown to them; the disclosure or communication of truth to men by God”



A) REVELATION



1) GENERAL (NATURAL) REVELATION

- Accessible to ALL people equally at ALL times
- Bears witness to the PRESENCE and POWER of God
- Objective is to CONDEMN man and show him his NEED for God

2) SPECIAL REVELATION

- Accessible to SPECIFIC people at VARIOUS times and in VARIOUS ways
- Bears witness to the PERSONALITY and PLAN of salvation of God
- Objective is to CONVERT man and bring him NEAR to God

A) REVELATION



1) GENERAL (NATURAL) REVELATION

- Creation (Psa 19:1-4; Rom 1:20)
- Conscience (Rom 1:19; 2:15)

2) SPECIAL REVELATION

- Audible Voice (Gen 2:16-17)
- Visions (Gen 15:1)
- Dreams (Gen 20:3)
- Angels (Gen 19:1)
- Urim (1 Sam 28:6)
- Prophets (Heb 1:1)
- Jesus Christ (John 1:14)- the **crown** of revelation
- Scripture (2 Tim 3:16-17)- the **completion** of revelation



A) REVELATION

Revelation = Divine DISCLOSURE

Scripture = Divine DOCUMENTATION

Inspiration = Divine DIRECTION

Preservation = Divine DEFENSE

Illumination = Divine DISCOVERY