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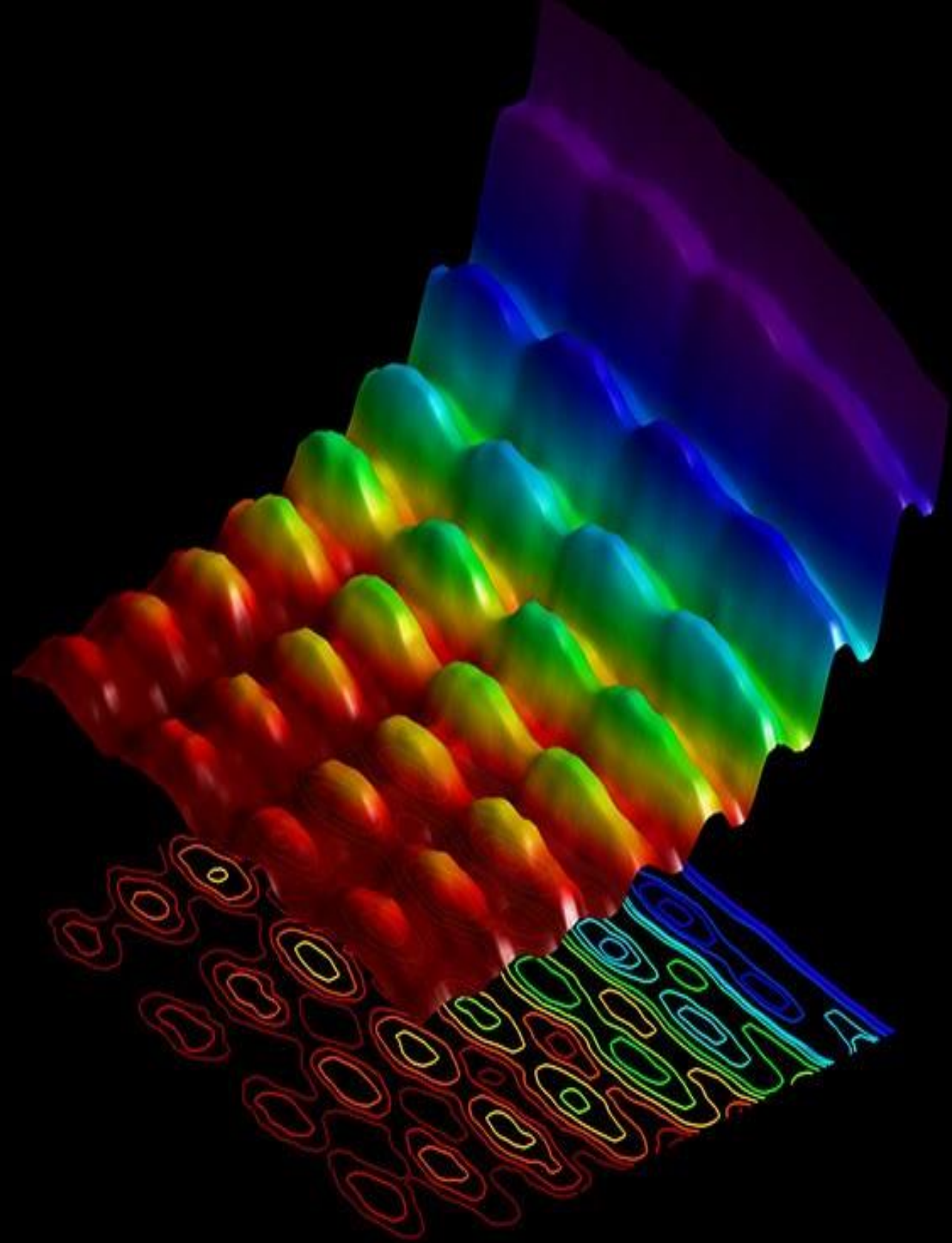
The Doctrines of:

Election

and

Free Will

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Deuteronomy 29:29

The secret things belong to the LORD our God, but the things revealed belong to us and to our children forever, that we may follow all the words of this law.

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CORE VALUE

*Bible-Centered, Generously
Orthodox*

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GOD'S MYSTERIOUS SOVEREIGNTY

Romans 10:1

Brothers and sisters, my heart's desire and prayer to God for the Israelites is that they may be saved.

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Three Essential Truths
about **OUR ROLE** in
Salvation.

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FAITH

not

Works

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Romans 9:30-33

³⁰ What then shall we say? That the Gentiles, who did not pursue righteousness, have obtained it, a righteousness that is by faith; ³¹ but the people of Israel, who pursued the law as the way of righteousness, have not attained their goal.

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Romans 9:30-33

³² Why not? Because they pursued it not by faith but as if it were by works. They stumbled over the stumbling stone. ³³ As it is written “See, I lay in Zion a stone that causes people to stumble and a rock that makes them fall, and the one who believes in him will never be put to shame.”

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**Jesus is either a rock we
found our lives upon or a
rock we stumble over.**

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TRUTH

not

Zeal

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Romans 10:2-3

² For I can testify about them that they are zealous for God, but their zeal is not based on knowledge. ³ Since they did not know the righteousness of God and sought to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness.

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Proverbs 19:2

Zeal without knowledge is not good-- how much more will hasty feet miss the way!

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Sincerity Gospel

“It doesn’t matter what you believe as long as you are sincere.”

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Zeal **FOR** God is only valuable
if it is attached to the right
truths **ABOUT** God.

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Romans 10:6-8

⁶ But the righteousness that is by faith says: “Do not say in your heart, ‘Who will ascend into heaven?’” (that is, to bring Christ down) ⁷ “or ‘Who will descend into the deep?’” (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead).

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Romans 10:6-8

⁸ But what does it say? “The word is near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart,” that is, the message concerning faith that we proclaim.

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**“Judaism is all about how to
elevate man and bring him
closer to God...”**

-Jewish Rabbi

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Two Approaches to God

Approach #1 D-O

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Two Approaches to God

Approach #2

D-O-N-E

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Romans 10:4

Christ is the end of the law so that there may be righteousness for everyone who believes.

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HUMILITY

not

Hardness

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Romans 10:21

But concerning Israel he says, “All day long I have held out my hands to a disobedient and obstinate people.”

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Matthew 23:37

Jerusalem, Jerusalem, you who kill the prophets and stone those sent to you, how often I have longed to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, and you were not willing.

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Romans 10:9

*If you declare with your mouth,
“Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your
heart that God raised him from the
dead, you will be saved.*

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