**WHAT THE BIBLE TEACHES ABOUT GOD**

***Study 26 – The Works of God – His Plan (4); Creation***

Introduction-

**I. *THE DEFINITION OF HIS PLAN***

**II. *THE CHARACTERISTICS OF HIS PLAN***

**III. *SOME IMPORTANT DISTINCTIONS IN HIS PLAN***

 1- Foreordination, Predestination, Election & Foreknowledge

 2- Decree & Desire

 3- Sovereignty & Responsibility

**IV. *THE PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF HIS PLAN***

 1- Encourages Confidence & Trust

 2- Encourages Faithfulness

 3- Encourages Submission

 4- Exalts God to His Rightful Place as All-Wise & Infinite

**V. *GOD’S WORK OF CREATION***

 1- God Created All Things

 a) Psalm 148:2-5

 b) Colossians 1:16-17

 c) Genesis 1-2

 2- God Created in Six Literal Days

 a) Genesis 1-2

 b) Exodus 20:8-11

 3- All Three Members of the Trinity Were Involved

 a) The Father

 b) The Son

 c) The Spirit