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dedicated to God Who Calls ALL, 29 July 2010 Album: Amazing Lord 'n' Life

"The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, **not willing that any should perish** but that all should come to repentance." -- 2 Peter 3:9 NKJV

1

When I feel overwhelmed by deep fear, God blankets me with His deep love. HOW can I fear when God loves me? WHAT can cause fear when God loves me? WHO can cause fear when God loves me? Psalm 27: 1, God HEARS me!

CHORUS

God predestined all of us for love. [repeat in front of each line below]

Jesus said he brought light for us all: John Chapter 12, verse 46. Jesus said He came to save all: John Chapter 12, verse 47. Jesus said ALL who come shall get rest: Matthew Chapter 11: 28. Jesus said He brought LIFE to save all: John Chapter 5, verse 24. God tells us, ALL who call SHALL be saved: Acts Chapter 2, verse 21. God yearns for ALL ____ to choose LIFE, to repent: 2nd Peter 3, verse 9; God calls ALL ____ to choose LIFE, to repent: Deuteronomy 30: Verse 19 and

20.

God ___ In His Love ___ sent His Son, Jesus,

to this pain-filled world to die upon a cross be-

cause God WANTS you to come live with Him eternally -- John 3:16.

God ___ In His Love ___ sent His Son, Jesus,

To give You the choice ____ To choose Him as Your Lord

so you can live with him Eternally just as He planned for you: Romans 10: verse 9

2

When I feel overwhelmed by sorrow, God blankets me with His deep love. Though I feel despair, God created me for love. Though I feel alone, God PROMISED He's with me. Though I feel unloved, God PROVES _ He loves me! First John 5 --- God's with who-EVER believes!

REPEAT FULL CHORUS

Song Story.

This and similar songs were built from an anger at how people INSULT God's love that He suffered to prove.... Do you believe that God predestines some people to suffer the horrors of hell that Jesus described in Mark 9:43 and Luke 16? Such <u>false</u> <u>understanding</u> of that word "predestination" should anger you! ANGER you.

It is such an INSULT to our loving God -- our God Who sent His only son Jesus to

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(Song Story, continued)

suffer and die excruciatingly JUST so every person can have the opportunity to say aloud, "I'm sorry, please forgive me, You are my Lord who died on the cross for my sins and arose from the dead" -- Romans 10:9's simple guideline to salvation (which includes peace and joy with God on EARTH -- not only in heaven "one day").

You probably know John 3:16. If you think "predestination" means that God has chosen some people for heaven and some for hell, then go back and read John 3. Over and over, God says "WHOSOEVER" believeth.....

The destination choice of heaven or hell has been given to you and me. God's will is for EVERY-one to be saved.

Do a word study on "perish" if you doubt this. You'll be excited to study Second Peter 3:8 and 9.... God is DELAYING judgment to give people more time to choose LIFE -- that is, to choose HIM. This tracks back to Jesus's fantastic parable in Matthew 13:25 which goes through his explanation that the devil is REAL in Matthew 13:39. In verse 29 of of this parable: The harvest is delayed....

And look at the LOGIC: "God so loved the WORLD"... Why would He send people He loved to hell?

No --<u>it's our choice He's given to us</u>. God doesn't force; He waits in love and encourages us to make the right choice. Just because God knows everything in advance does not mean he stole our free will to choose. As God repeatedly said, including in Deuteronomy 30:19 --

"…I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing: <u>therefore choose life.</u>.." (KJV).

Companion songs: "HALF BAKED" "PREDESTINATION PEACE"

<u>Companion scriptures</u>: Isaiah 49: 6 -- God sent Israel as a LIGHT to the Gentiles.... Israel was chosen to SHOW the world how great God is -- NOT to be the only people saved.

This is evidenced in **Isaiah 55:4** -- Israel is to be a witness to the people, and to SHOW nations "the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, for He has glorified you." (verse 5)