

God's Law of Reproduction

A study of God's natural law gives a better understanding of His spiritual laws. The laws of nature show the greatness of God and the certainty of His holy word (Psalms 19:1-7).

God has enacted and fixed His laws for man's own good. Included in these laws, are the laws of nature. Man receives great benefit when he uses the laws of nature properly: "But we know that the law is good, if a man use it lawfully (1 Tim 1:8)." If man breaks God's immutable natural laws, they can destroy him.

For an example, consider the laws of gravity. Without this law, chaos would reign in the universe. One could not even place an object on a table, for it would have no weight. If God were to repeal this law, we would all go flying off in space. Therefore, this wonderful law, if defied, can bring destruction. If one were to jump off of a twenty-story building, God would not repeal His law to save him.

The farmer understands the operation of God's law when he plants seed. God makes the statement: "Each brought forth after its kind" ten times in Genesis 1. When the farmer plants corn seed, he knows that the seed will produce corn and corn alone.

We must realize that God also has spiritual laws that govern spiritual reproduction and growth. These laws are plainly stated, easily recognized, require obedience, and never change. (Jude 3; Rev. 22:18-19; Luke 8).

Jesus declared in Luke 8:1 that the seed is the word of God. When this seed, the word of God, is planted today in good and honest hearts, it produces Christians, just like those it did in the first century (Acts 11:26; 1 Pet. 4:15). God's word, planted today, will yield Christians. To produce something other than Christians, something other than the true word of God must be planted.

God's spiritual laws are as unchangeable as God's natural laws. The divine law of pardon has been the same throughout the Christian age. To become Christians, all must believe (Mark 16:15-16), repent (Luke 13.3), confess (Rom. 10:9-10), and be baptized unto the remission of sins (Acts 2:38). All who follow these steps will become Christians, in accord with God's divine law of spiritual reproduction.

God will add all who follow this divine law of spiritual reproduction to His heavenly kingdom (John 3:3-5) to His church (Acts 2:47 and to His household (2 Tim. 3:15).