

EXCURSUS: SALVATION ON THE GOOD SHIP LOLLIPOP!

What we all agree on: God ordained the good ship lollipop for salvation. Anyone on the good ship lollipop is saved!

Options:

A. God chose the ship – an empty ship and you choose to get on or not get on the ship!

This is all your choice & only your choice.

This is called: corporate election.

B. God chose what you do on the ship.

God's choice has nothing to do with getting on / off the ship!

Election to everything you do on the ship but nothing to do with entrance to / a berth on the ship!

This is called: election to service

C. God chose you to get on the ship because He foreknew / foresaw you would get on the ship.

This is called: election according to foreknowledge

(All 3 views are compatible with 5 point Arminianism (get on, get off, get back on...) as well as 4-4.5 Arminianism (you can't get off))

D. God chose you to get on the ship!

You don't know if you are chosen.

You won't really know until you get to heaven.

E. Unconditional election+ (the Biblical view from my perspective)

- **God chose you to salvation / get on the ship**
- **God chose all the means to get you on the ship**
- **God chose to keep you on the ship and all the means to keep you on the ship.**
- **God chose what you do on the ship**