### WHEN WE DIFFER / AREN'T SURE!

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"Let's have dinner!"

"I'm a conservative!"

"Haircuts"

**BLM** 

"Calvinism"

What do we **always** ask to avoid problems?

**Romans 11:5** Even so then at this present time also **there is a remnant according to the election of grace.** 

<u>Romans 11:6</u> And <u>if</u> by grace, <u>then</u> is it no more of works: **Otherwise** grace is no more grace. But <u>if</u> it be of works, then is it no more grace: **Otherwise** work is no more work.

**Ephesians 2:8-9** 

For by grace are ye saved through faith;

and that **not** of yourselves: it is the gift of God:

**Not** of works, lest any man should boast.

## 1. There is a "scientific method" found in Scripture!

I would say that the Bible is the ultimate source of the Scientific Method!

# 2. A "scientific method" Writ large in Scripture!

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<u>Deuteronomy 13:12</u> If thou shalt hear say in one of thy cities, which the LORD thy God hath given thee to dwell there, saying,

<u>Deuteronomy 13:13</u> Certain men, the children of Belial, are gone out from among you, and have withdrawn the inhabitants of their city, saying, Let us go and serve other gods, which ye have not known;

<u>Deuteronomy 13:14</u> Then shalt thou inquire, and make search, and ask diligently; and, behold, if it be truth, and the thing certain, that such abomination is wrought among you;

John 7:51 Doth our law judge any man, **before** it hear him, and know what he doeth?

Hearing → Answering	Research → Replies
Opinions → Emotions	Study → True Prejudice

### Actively get the facts!

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#### This is very difficult today:

# Algorithms – give us what we "want" AND what we "might" want

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<u>Numbers 35:30</u> Whoso killeth any person, the murderer shall be put to death by the mouth of witnesses: but one witness shall not testify against any person to cause him to die.

<u>Deuteronomy 17:2 If</u> there be found among you, within any of thy gates which the LORD thy God giveth thee, man or woman, that hath wrought wickedness in the sight of the LORD thy God, in transgressing his covenant, <u>Deuteronomy 17:3</u> And hath gone and served other gods, and worshipped them, either the sun, or moon, or any of the host of heaven, which I have not commanded;

<u>Deuteronomy 17:4</u> And it be <u>told thee</u>, and thou hast heard of it, and <u>inquired diligently</u>, and, behold, **it be true**, and **the thing certain**, that such abomination is wrought in Israel:

<u>Deuteronomy 17:5</u> Then shalt thou bring forth that man or that woman, which have committed that wicked thing, unto thy gates, even that man or that woman, and shalt stone them with stones, till they die. <u>Deuteronomy 17:6</u> At the mouth <u>of two witnesses</u>, or three <u>witnesses</u>, shall he that is worthy of death be put to death; <u>Duf</u> at the mouth of one witness he shall <u>not</u> be put to death.

**Deuteronomy 17:7** The hands of the witnesses shall be first upon him to put him to death, and afterward the hands of all the people. So thou shalt put the evil away from among you.

<u>Deuteronomy 19:15</u> One witness shall <u>not</u> rise up against a man for any iniquity, or for any sin, in any sin that he sinneth: **at** the mouth of two witnesses, or at the mouth of three witnesses, shall the matter be <u>established</u>.

<u>Deuteronomy 19:16</u> <u>If</u> a false witness rise up against any man to testify against him that which is wrong; <u>Deuteronomy 19:17</u> Then both the men, between whom the controversy is, shall stand before the LORD, before the priests and the judges, which shall be in those days; <u>Deuteronomy 19:18</u> And the judges shall make diligent inquisition: and, behold, if the witness be a false witness, and hath testified falsely against his brother; <u>Deuteronomy 19:19</u> Then shall ye do unto him, as he had thought to have done unto his brother: so shalt thou put the evil away from among you.

<u>Matthew 18:15</u> Moreover if thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone: if he shall hear thee, thou hast gained thy brother. <u>Matthew 18:16</u> But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, <u>that</u> in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established. <u>Matthew 18:17</u> And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as an heathen man and a publican.

<u>John 8:17</u> It is also written in your law, **that the testimony of two men is true.** <u>John 8:18</u> I am one that bear witness of myself, and the Father that sent me beareth witness of me.

<u>2 Corinthians 13:1</u> This is the third time I am coming to you. In the mouth of two or three witnesses shall every word be established.

1 Timothy 5:19 Against an elder receive not an accusation, but before two or three witnesses.

<u>Hebrews 10:28</u> He that despised Moses' law died without mercy under two or three witnesses:

MLK Jr. Robert E. Lee George Washington

Thomas Jefferson Abraham Lincoln

# 3. A "scientific method" some refuse to follow.

# 4. A "scientific method" that's difficult to follow!

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# 5. A "scientific method" that makes us wiser OR more foolish!

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