

Blessedness, Salt, Light, and Government (24)

Mt 22:37-40; 5:43-48; Lv. 19:34; Lk 9:23-24; 1 Cor 13:3-13; Js 2:17-20; Ps 73:24-25

A. Through the Bible: Philip 1:27-30. 6 Principles.

B. The Spiritual Life: Loving God and loving others. 7 Principles.

C. Bible Doctrine: Blessedness, salt, light, and government—the SEP realm (23).

1. History of 4 SEP systems: 1) Capitalism, 2) Christian socialism, 3) Marxism (atheistic/communism), 4) Atheistic Socialism.
2. Economic idealism vs. economic reality: the history of ~~Britain (47%), France (57%), Germany (45%), Sweden (53%), European Union (1951),~~ **Soviet Union (1917-1991), Soviet Bloc,** 2 Germanies, China, Asian Tigers (SK, Singapore, Taiwan), and the United States (32%).
3. Scripture on SEP matters (Jas 4:4-5:6; Acts 2:42-45; Rom 13:1-8; 1 Tim. 2:2-4; 1 Pet 2:9-14; Ex 22:22; Lev. 19:9-10; 23:22; Deut. 15:1, 11; 24:17-21; Isa 1:11-17; 3:14-15; Jer. 7:5-11; 22:13-19; Micah 2:1-2; 3:9-12; Amos 2:6-8; 5:24; 8:4-6; Ezek. 16:49; Revelation).

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