

Is God Unfair?

Romans 9:14-18

(series #64)

Introduction: the doctrine of election taught in verses 6-13
Romans 3:10-11

John 6:44

I. **The Objection to the Doctrine of Election v. 14**

- A. The first and natural question
- B. The strong response - "don't ever let that thought enter your mind."

II. **The Biblical Illustration of Mercy v. 15**

- A. Exodus 32:28 - 3000 Israelites were killed
- B. Exodus 33:19 is the quote

III. **The Deduction v. 16**

- A. Election is not based on human desire
- B. Election is not based on human action

IV. **The example of not receiving mercy v. 17**

V. **The Conclusion v. 18**

- A. Exodus 8:15 - Pharaoh hardened his heart
- B. Exodus 9:12 God hardened Pharaoh's heart
- C. Romans 1:24, 26, 28

VI. **Concluding applications: praise for the mercy of God**