

**Welcome to Alabama
Conference of the Deaf**

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Being Uprooted.

Deuteronomy 28:63

From a Bible perspective, being uprooted describes a person, nation, or life that has been removed from stability, blessing, or relationship with God. It is the opposite of being rooted in Him, which brings life and strength.

Here are key Bible truths about being uprooted.

I. They wicked are uprooted because they are not rooted in God.

Psalm 1:3-4

“And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season;...The ungodly are not so: but are like the chaff which the wind driveth away.”

A) A person rooted in God is stable and fruitful. Proverbs 2:21

“For the upright shall dwell in the land,
and the perfect shall remain in it.

B) The ungodly are unstable and easily removed. Proverbs 2:22

“But the wicked shall be cut off from the earth, and the transgressors shall be rooted out of it.”

To be uprooted is a result of separation
from righteousness.

II. Those not planted by God will be uprooted. Matthew 15:13

“But he answered and said, every plant, which my heavenly Father hath not planted, shall be rooted up.”

A) This means anything **not** established by God will not last.

1) This can refer to:

a) False beliefs.

b) False security.

c) False righteousness.

d) Lives not founded on Christ.

III. Lack of root causes falling away in trials. Matthew 13:20-21

“And the one on whom seed was sown on the rocky places, this is the man who hears the word, and immediately receives it with joy; yet he has no firm root in himself,...

...but is only temporary, and when affliction or persecution arises because of the word, immediately he falls away.”

A) Without deep spiritual roots, a person cannot endure hardship.

B) Roots represent:

1) Faith.

2) Relationship with God.

c) Truth in the heart.

TO BE CONTIUNE...

Let's review the morning's session:

I. They wicked are uprooted because they are not rooted in God.

II. Those not planted by God will be uprooted.

III. Lack of root causes falling away in trials.

IV. God uproots, but He also plants.

Jeremiah 1:10

“See, I have this day set thee over the nations and over the kingdoms, to root out, and to pull down, and to destroy, and to throw down, to build, and to plant.”

A) God removes what is not right so He can establish what is right.

B) Uprooting can be:

1) Judgment.

2) Correction.

3) Preparation for restoration.

V. The righteous are deeply rooted
and cannot be easily uprooted.

Jeremiah 17:7-8

“Blessed is the man that trusteth in the
LORD, and whose hope the LORD is.
For he shall be as a tree planted by the
waters, and that spreadeth out her roots...

...by the river, and shall not see when heat cometh, but her leaf shall be green; and shall not be careful in the year of drought, neither shall cease from yielding fruit.”

A) When rooted in God, circumstances cannot destroy you!

VI. Believers are commanded to be rooted in Christ. Colossians 2:6-7

“As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk ye in him: Rooted and built up in him, and stablished in the faith, as ye have been taught, abounding therein with thanksgiving.”

A) Being rooted in Christ gives:

1) Stability.

2) Growth.

3) Strength.

4) Endurance.

Uprooted means:

- a) Removed from spiritual stability.
- b) Not firmly grounded in God.
- c) Vulnerable to falling away.
- d) Separated from lasting life.

Rooted means:

- a) Established in Christ.
- b) Spiritually stable.
- c) Able to endure trials.
- d) Spiritually alive and fruitful.



Deeply Rooted

Jesus Christ the Lord

