

## Encounters - Probing for the " lines"

The Reformed World Life View - the strong position

**God** - both infinite and personal

- Reveals Himself to man
  - General (creator) and Special (Redeemer)
- Holy and Loving - a covenant maker
- One God in Three Persons

**Man** - a creature in God's image for His glory

- fallen in sin and in rebellion - hearts darkened
  - Redeemed by God's Grace in Christ through the Gospel.

### Creation - Fall - Redemption

- These are our fortifications -  
These must be held!

From these strong points, we must take on the rebels.

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"It is the interpretation of our relation to God that dominates every general life system, and for us, this conception is given in Calvinism, thanks to its fundamental interpretation of an immediate fellowship of God with man, and of man with God."

Lectures on Calvinism, Abraham Kuyper, p. 24.