

*"All those that are justified, God vouchsafes, in and for His only Son Jesus Christ, to make partakers of the grace of adoption, by which they are taken into the number, and enjoy the liberties and privileges of the children of God . . . "*  
(Westminster Confession of Faith 12.1a)

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**AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON**

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**WHEN DESPERATION CALLS**

**Jeremiah 14:19-15:4**

**I. Doctrine: Being in \_\_\_\_\_ Straits is Not *All* Bad**

- A. --Because it Drives [me] to Serious \_\_\_\_\_,  
(Jn. 6:66-68)
- B. --Because it \_\_\_\_\_ [my] Truest Heart, (Deut. 8:2)

**II. When *it is* \_\_\_\_\_ to Feel Desperate, 14:19-15:4**

- A. When God is Not \_\_\_\_\_ to Hear Prayer,  
14:19-15:1a
- B. When God \_\_\_\_\_ Sinners to their own  
Devices, 15:1b-2
- C. When God Brings the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Covenant to  
Bear, 15:3-4

**III. How to Turn Desperation into \_\_\_\_\_**

- A. Beg God for a \_\_\_\_\_ Spirit, (Num. 14:24)
- B. Believe that God \_\_\_\_\_ Sinners, (Lk. 19:10)

**Key Verse--15:1: "Then the LORD said to me, 'Even if Moses and Samuel stood before Me, My mind would not be favorable toward this people. Cast them out of My sight, and let them go forth.'"**

**NOTES & APPLICATIONS:**

Aim: To find strength in Jesus, even in the midst of great danger