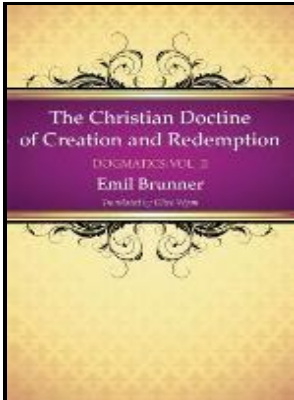


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Inadvertently I spoke of Barth and Brunner.

Chapter VII: Reason and Revelation for Emil Brunner

How does Brunner remove this paradox, or nest of paradoxes? Is it merely because the supernatural, though fully rational, cannot be mapped with the feeble powers we now bring to the undertaking? On the contrary the daily life of the individual Christians, who dedicate their life to God as sacrifice, explicitly receive this title. Then, having retired in disorder along the whole scientific front, they had to retreat again from their inner lines of historical and Biblical criticism. For the psychologist, his behaviour will issue out of nothing; to inquire as to its cause or its motive, its moral character, or its consistency with his other decisions will be asking illegitimate questions.

The Ecclesia of the New Testament and the YMCA / by Emil Brunner

This is not, in human reckoning, an expression of love. He is not saying, of course, that claims and values are to be ignored. Volume III: The Christian Doctrine of the Church, Faith and the Consummation 1962.

Emil Brunner

We have been told, of course, that we do not elect to receive revelation; it elects us as its recipients if we are fortunate. Jesus is not the Christ for the onlooker, the thinker, the scholar, the historically informed, but simply and solely for the believer Our Faith, 66. That there is such contradiction Brunner has reluctantly to admit; and hence unless inquiry is abandoned a choice has to be made.

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When they have done so, we have had theology ignorantly obstructing science, or, more commonly, science and philosophy smashing what they ignorantly take to be idols. How are you going to validate them to those who have not attained the right state and find them hard to believe? As to the separateness of the two spheres, Brunner is most emphatic. The question before us is: Do these two authorities have equal claims upon us, or is there something in the conditions of the choice that gives one of the two greater strength? If the new self is achieved, it is due altogether to an inscrutable descent of grace.

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Are these researchers into human nature now to be told that their studies, legitimate enough for the mass of mankind, are illegitimate for the Christian minority? The YMCA has little importance as an institution of welfare. . Mere moral sanity will forbid it.

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Early arrival was crucial on those days if one planned to find a seat.

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