

For the sake of Jacob My servant,
And Israel My chosen one, I
have also called you by your name;
I have given you a title of honor
Though you have not known Me.
I am the Lord, and there is no other;
Besides Me there is no God. I
will gird you, though you have not known Me;"

Galatians 1:15-16 -- ". . . He who had set me apart, even from my
mother's womb, and called me through His grace, was pleased to
reveal His Son in me, that I might preach Him among the Gentiles,

- f. God's government over the outward successes and failures in human
beings' lives

Psalms 75:4-7 -- "I said to the boastful, 'Do not boast,'
And to the wicked, 'Do not lift up the horn;
Do not lift up your horn on high,
Do not speak with insolent pride.'
For not from the east, nor from the west,
Nor from the desert comes exaltation;
But God is the Judge;
He puts down one, and exalts another.

Luke 1:51-55 -- "He has done mighty deeds with His arm;
He has scattered those who were proud
In the thoughts of their heart.
He has brought down rulers from their thrones,
And has exalted those who were humble.
He has filled the hungry with good things;
And has sent away the rich empty handed.
He has given help to Israel His servant,
In remembrance of His mercy,
As He spoke to our fathers,
To Abraham and his offspring forever."

- g. God's government over things considered matters of chance

Proverbs 16:33 -- "The lot is cast into the lap,
But its every decision is from the Lord."

- h. God's government in the protection of the righteous

Psalms 4:8 -- "In peace I will both lie down and sleep,
For Thou alone, O Lord, dost make me to dwell in safety."

Psalms 5:12 -- "For it is Thou who dost bless the righteous man, O Lord,
Thou dost surround him with favor as with a shield."

Psalms 63:8 -- "My soul clings to Thee;
Thy right hand upholds me."