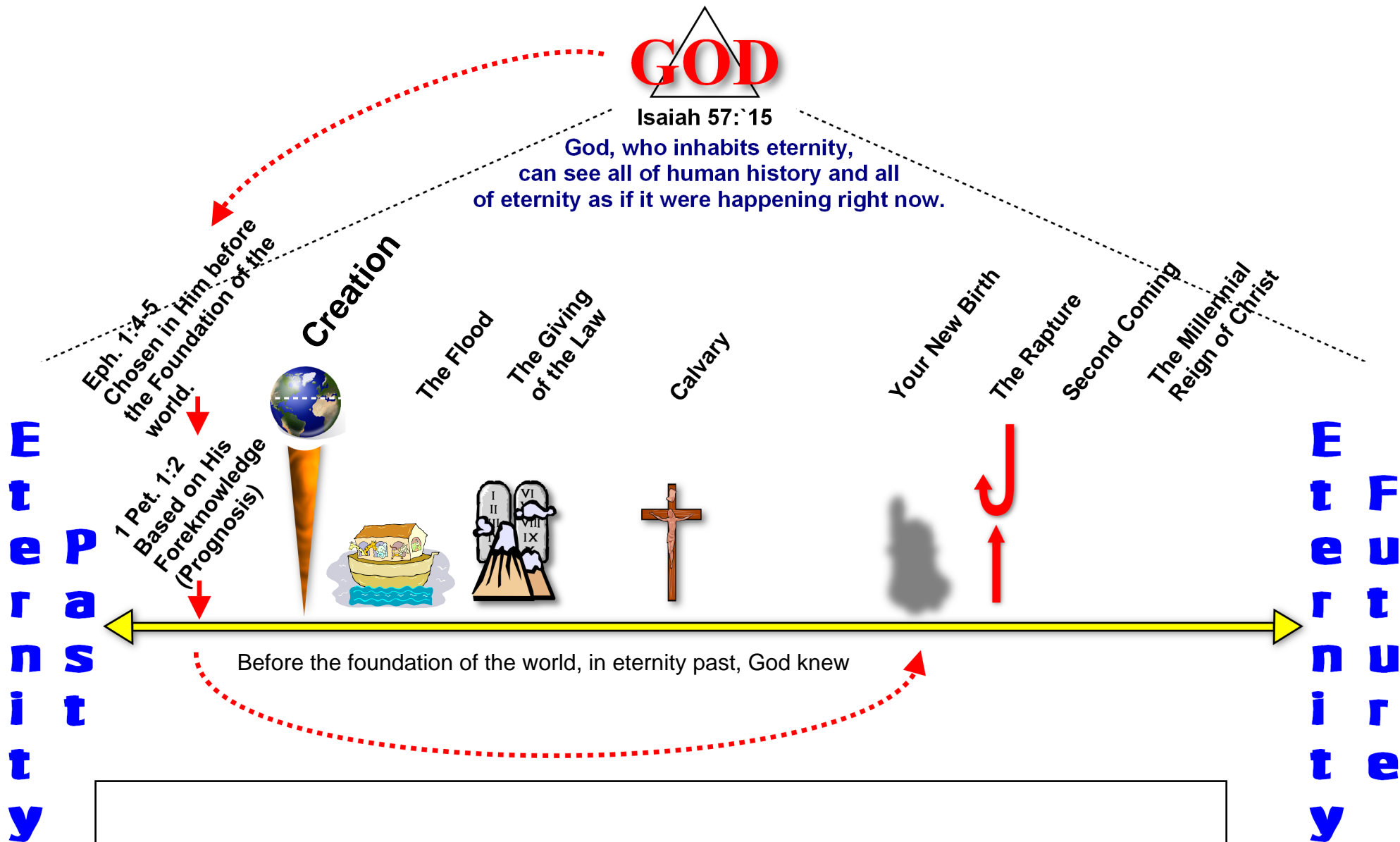


# GOD

Isaiah 57:15

God, who inhabits eternity,  
can see all of human history and all  
of eternity as if it were happening right now.



God is not bound by time or space. He can see everywhere and all times as if it were all here and now. Before the foundation of the world, He *foreknew* who would respond to the offer of salvation (1 Pet. 1:2) and chose them on the basis of their response to the Gospel message. The word foreknow is the Greek word for prognosis. If we accept the common understanding of that word, the relationship between predestination, election, and the Gospel is very clear.