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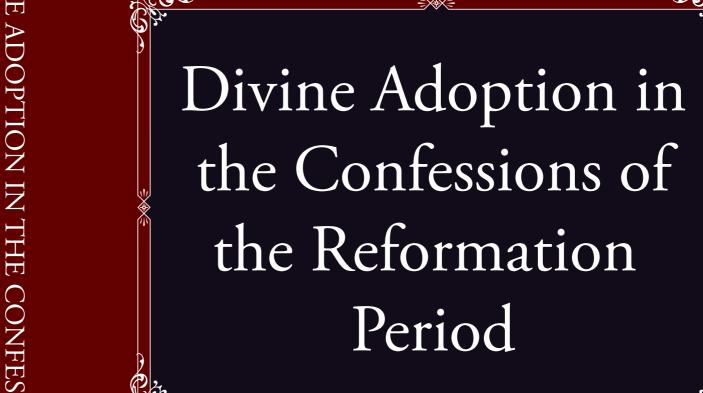
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The Richness of the Familial Aspect of Salvation

This is a study of divine adoption in the confessions of the Reformation Period. The concept of adoption is based on the Pauline *huiothesia* describing the entire plan of salvation by God ranging from predestination to consummation. Because of this broad feature, the concept has the potential to be an underlying theme, presenting a theological framework into which the concept is woven. However, in the past adoption has as a whole unfortunately been neglected or incorrectly treated throughout church history. This work, written as a doctoral dissertation, is to delve into the richness of the gospel, exploring its familial aspect described in the Reformed confessions in the 16th and 17th centuries.



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