

## Barth's Theological Positions

The following lists of affirmations and denials are not exhaustive, but only representative.

### Barth Affirmed:

- The Trinity
- The necessity of sin in God's creation
- The Fall of man and original sin
- The sinfulness of all mankind
- God's condemnation of sin
- The true deity and the true humanity of Christ
- The Incarnation
- The Virgin Birth
- The substitutionary atonement
- The resurrection of Christ
- The ascension of Christ
- The forgiveness of sins
- Justification by grace through faith alone

### Barth Denied:

- The possibility of objective revelation
- The Bible as a revelation of God and of truth
- The inerrancy of Scripture
- The Bible as final authority
- General revelation
- The historicity of Adam
- The historicity of the Fall
- The historicity of miracles
- The sinlessness of Christ
- The historical character of Christ's resurrection
- Life after this life
- The physical resurrection of the body and everlasting life