Predestination

We are in this world to help each other; that is God's plan. We each study for ourselves and stand alone with God on decisions BUT we can share with one another and help on information and sharing our experiences.

The Predestination thing is based on a misunderstanding of God. God has pre-knowledge but that does not in any way force anyone to be 'born to be lost'. Jesus did everything and gave every opportunity to udas to help him to overcome the greed and selfishness of his heart--like Satan, many times Judas 'almost surrendered but PRIDE forbade him'. When he went out that night he himself had made the final decision.

Basically God has declared there will be 2 classes-- Those that serve Him and those that ultimately and irrevocably refuse to serve Him. The FINAL DESTINY of those 2 classes is predestined.

The group who turn from rebellion and serve God will be saved; the group who persistently refuse and continue in rebellion will be destroyed. BUT and here is the big point! EACH PERSON makes the choice which group he will be in.

No one is forced to be in the lost group and no one is forced to be in the saved group. Our decisions decide the group we end up in. God at no point or in no way ever points to a certain person and says arbitrarily, "OK John Jones! I don't like you and I don't care what you do or how much you plead with me to save you, you are going to HELL!"

Never, Never does our loving Father reject any person, no matter how unpromising, who chooses to cease his rebellion and surrenders to serve Him. Jesus says: John 6:37 ". . .him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out."

Also the Holy Spirit strives to woo every single soul that is ever born on this earth:
John 1:9 "That was the true Light, which lighteth every man that cometh into the world."