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all men, are conceived in sin, and born the children of wrath, indisposed to all saving
good, propense to evil, dead in sins and the slaves of sin; and without the grace of the
regenerating Holy Spirit, they neither are willing nor able to return to God. […] There is
indeed remaining in man, since the fall, some light of nature, by the help of which he
retains certain notions concerning God and natural things […] but so far from being able
by this light of nature to attain the saving knowledge of God, or to turn himself to him.¹

This position actually appears the more liberal of the two suggesting that some remnant of
goodness remains in mankind.

To the remaining articles the Synod of Dort proclaimed a harsh and sometimes
reactionary stance. Our study turns once more to the acronym T.U.L.I.P. Dort confirms, as we
have read, the total depravity of man. This is clearly an element of Reformed thought that is not
reactionary toward Armenian principles. To the contrary it seems to confirm the depravity […]

¹. The Articles of the Synod of Dort, Translated by Rev. Thomas Scott D.D. (Philadelphia:
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