2)! How _______ ... Are _____?

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Primary vs. Secondary Issues

Everything about Romans 9-11 is controversial.

(N.T. Wright, *The Letter to the Romans*, New Interpreter's Bible, Volumes I-XII)

⇒ Story #2: Israel & The Golden Calf Exodus 32 & 33

I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion. (Exodus 33:19)

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The Backstories

⇒ Story #1: Moses & Pharaoh

Exodus 4:21/Exodus 7:3, 8:15, 32, 9:12, 34, 10:1, 20, 27, 14:4, 8, 17/Exodus 9:12, 16

For this cause I have allowed you to remain, in order to show you My power and in order to proclaim My name through all the earth. (Exodus 9:16, NASB77)

⇒ Story #3: The Potter & The Clay

Isaiah 29:16, 45:9, 64:8/Jeremiah 18:1-12

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