

2: Why Does God Allow Evil?



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FB: (from blog) It is logically possible that God, though He is all-powerful and all-knowing, has a good reason for allowing evil to exist. For instance, one reason God could allow evil is preserving human free will. If we have genuine freedom, then we have the possibility of choosing to do evil. God is certainly powerful enough to prevent us from doing evil, but He would be taking away our free will by doing so. In order for us to have genuine free choices, God allows us the freedom of choosing evil. He cannot “make” us always choose the good, because if He does, then we are not *free*. Learn more about how to strengthen your faith at ApologeticsBible.com

FB: (from blog) Some say the presence of *so much* evil makes it hard to believe in God. However, this is a subjective judgment. How much evil is too much? Who but God can say? We do know, from a story like that of Joseph, that evil can be used for good in God’s hands. Joseph said to his brothers, “You planned evil against me; God planned it for good to bring about the present result—the survival of many people” (Gn 50:20). Visit ApologeticsBible.com for more ways to strengthen your faith through the study of apologetics.

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TWEET: (from blog) We are troubled by evil but God dealt evil a fatal blow through the death & resurrection of Jesus. #ConfidentFaith bit.ly/More2C

TWEET: (TM pg 42) The Bible says the only blood on God’s hands is the atoning, healing, redeeming blood of Christ #ConfidentFaith bit.ly/More2C

TWEET: (from ASBS pg. 1296) People twist 1 Thess 4:13 to say there is no such place as a literal hell cause of the word “asleep.” #ConfidentFaith bit.ly/More2C