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Evil and Suffering

Building a Life on Christian Ethics, part 5 of 6

John 16:33. "... In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

Romans 11:34 "For who has known the mind of the Lord? Or who has become His counsellor?"

Isaiah 55:8 "For My thoughts are not your thoughts, Nor are your ways My ways," says the LORD."

Four Principles that help us understand pain and suffering:

1. God _____ Evil and Suffering (*Genesis 1:31*)

Two kinds of evil we see all the time:

A. _____ Evil (*Romans 3:23*)

B. _____ Evil (*Romans 8:22*)

2. God _____ Even My Suffering

(Romans 8:28, 23, Hebrews 12:2)

3. Pain and Suffering _____, and God _____

(2 Peter 3:9)

4. The Best is _____ (*2 Corinthians 4:17*)

John 16:33 "These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

1 John 5:13 "These things I have written to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life, and that you may continue to believe in the name of the Son of God."