

## But Deliver us from Evil

### BAD THINGS THAT HAPPEN TO GOOD PEOPLE

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**Find these bad things that happen to good people**

Drought  
Earthquake  
Fire  
Flood

Hurricane  
Terrorism  
Thunderstorm  
Tornado  
Tsunami

Volcanoe  
Blizzard  
Accident  
War

♦ **Seven Deadly Sins: Unscramble these human sins that cause suffering and pain in our world, and match them with their definition.**

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| 1. _____ tonluGty | • The avoidance of physical or spiritual work.  |
| 2. _____ dPeri    | • Excessive belief in one's own abilities, that interferes with the individual's recognition of the grace of God. It has been called the sin from which all others arise. |
| 3. _____ lotSh    | • An inordinate craving for the pleasures of the body.  |
| 4. _____ tuLs     | • An inordinate desire to consume more than that which one requires.  |
| 5. _____ ynEv     | • Manifested in the individual who spurns love and opts instead for fury. It is also known as Wrath.  |
| 6. _____ edGer    | • The desire for others' traits, status, abilities, or situation.   |
| 7. _____ grAen    | • The desire for material wealth or gain, ignoring the realm of the spiritual. It is also called Avarice or Covetousness.   |

♦ **Look up these passages that show us God's response to suffering and evil:**

- The God of love is also a God of justice. For all those who make wrong choices, hurt innocent victims, and get off scot-free, a time is coming when they will face the consequences of their actions.

Matthew 25:46

Mark 10:42

Matthew 13:41-42

II Thessalonians 1:7-9

- God often uses the trials of life for a greater good, often to develop our character and make us better

Romans 8:28

I Peter 5:10

Matthew 16:24

Acts 14:22

- God has provided a way out. A time is coming when there will be no more suffering.

II Timothy 4:18

Revelations 21:4

James 1:12

II Corinthians 4:16-18

- God does care. He never promised life would be problem-free, but he promised to be with people.

I John 5:14

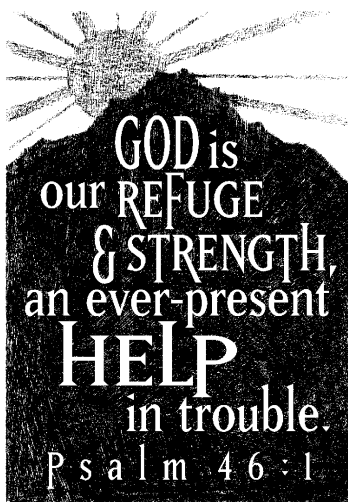
Romans 8:38-39

Isaiah 43:2

Joshua 1:9

**What can I do when I am faced with evil and suffering?**

- Avoid media coverage of the event. Repeatedly seeing pictures of the disaster and hearing about how frightening it was can seriously slow down your ability to get over the stress of the disaster.



- Talk it out! Talk about feelings and thoughts with somebody you trust such as your parents or another relative, a school counselor or a spiritual leader. Talking makes it easier to work through what happened and deal with the pain and fear.
- Ask for help when you need it. If you find that your feelings are still as strong and you are still having nightmares or physical problems in four to six weeks, you should ask your parents to find someone else you can talk to who will help you sort through your feelings.
- Listen to other people.
- Be especially kind to others. Reassure yourself that there is kindness and caring in the world. Offer your assistance to someone who needs help.
- Spend time with your family.
- Return to your usual routine.
- Sit under a tree, look at a brook, lake, river or ocean.
- Remind yourself of other times when you were afraid. Remember that you were able to deal with that fear and that it doesn't last forever.

- Do something that could help others.
- **Most importantly: Go to church, pray, read your bible, and remember your baptism.**

- **Please memorize the Seventh Petition and Martin Luther's Explanation**

**The Seventh Petition  
But deliver us from evil.**

*What does this mean?*

**We ask in this inclusive prayer that our heavenly Father would save us from every evil to body and soul, and at our last hour would mercifully take us from the troubles of this world to himself in heaven.**