

"If God is good, why does He permit evil?"

"But why doesn't God stop bad men from doing bad things?"

"Why doesn't he stop the floods, hurricanes, tornadoes, earthquakes, tsunamis, diseases, and other natural disasters that cripple and kill millions each year?"

"If you could stop those things, you'd do it in a minute. "Why doesn't God?"

Was God helpless? Indifferent? Outgunned?

God *never* does evil, God is not even an *indirect* cause of evil. And God regularly transmutes evil into an instrument that destroys the sin that gives birth to it in the first place.

600 years ago, God calmed the troubled soul of Julian of Norwich, telling her:

"All shall be well; and all shall be well; and all manner of things shall be well."