

# Study QUESTIONS

## Ep.1052: Is It God's Fault We Have Evil in This World?

<https://christianquestions.com/doctrine/1052-evil/>

See:  CQRewind  
SHOW NOTES

1. What blessings from God did Adam enjoy before he sinned?
2. What "gifts" did Satan give to Adam? (See Genesis 3:4-5)
3. Was Adam's sin a careless flaw in God's plan?
4. What consequences did Adam and Eve face as a result of their sin?  
Was this God's fault? Why or why not?
5. What glimmer of hope did God provide to Adam and Eve that evil would not remain forever?  
(See Genesis 3:15) How does this demonstrate mercy on God's behalf?
6. Why has sin and death been allowed to continue for 6,000 years since the Garden of Eden?  
Does this prove that God is unloving and doesn't care about us? Why or why not?
7. What can we learn about God from His treatment of Noah?
  - a. In the Old Testament, did God totally abandon His creation due to their sinfulness?
  - b. What conclusions can we draw about how God deals with us in today's sinful world?  
(See 2 Peter 2:5 and Hebrews 11:7)
8. What promise did God give to Abraham? (See Genesis 22:15-18)
  - a. Have we seen this promise come true yet?
  - b. What does this mean about God's plan and where we are in it?
9. What did God tell the Israelites about the consequences of sin?  
(See Deuteronomy 5:8-10)
  - a. What was God's purpose for letting the Israelites suffer the consequences of their sin?
  - b. Why does a parent discipline their child and what does that tell us about how God sees us and our sins today?
10. What was the purpose of the Law and what was its basis? (See Hebrews 10:1,4)
11. How do we contribute to our own consequences for sin (sometimes even unknowingly)?  
Does this make us evil? How is this similar or different to how some blame God for evil in the world?
12. Why would God want us to see the effects of sin and evil in today's world? What does God promise for the future? (See Isaiah 45:18)