



Certain All Is Working For My Good

Text: Romans 8:28

1. Why are difficulties in life so much harder to face when I view them as entirely – pointless?

a. Fill in the blanks from the main point of the sermon: I am certain _____ things work for my _____ because _____ has saved me.

2. Read **Romans 8:28**. Why is it critical that we can “know” this promise is true? _____

a. How do we “know” it’s true? Consider **Romans 10:17**. _____

3. For all who reject Jesus – how are all of their trials and pains working for them? Consider **Romans 2:5**.

4. According to **Romans 8:28** – what are the 2 ways we know that all things are working for our good?

a. What is an evidence that I love God? Consider **John 14:21** and **1 John 3:6**. _____

b. How does God “call” me? See **2 Thessalonians 2:14** and **1 Thessalonians 1:4-5**. _____

c. How powerful is this “calling” (effectual calling) from God? See **Romans 8:29-30**. _____

d. Why does knowing that you’ve been called by God stabilize your faith in the promise of **Romans 8:28**? _____

5. Read **Genesis 50:20**, **Psalm 119:91**, **Acts 27-28**, and **Ephesians 1:11**. What do these verses teach about God's involvement in world events? _____

a. Why should I never charge God with doing evil? _____

b. Why is it comforting to know that God has a "purpose", a "design" for my worst enemies and worst circumstances? _____

6. Name some specific areas you need to apply the truth of **Romans 8:28** to right now. _____

a. Does God working all for my good mean that things will always be easy? Why? _____

b. To exercise your faith, write a prayer with specific examples – thanking God that He is working each of these areas for your good. _____

7. What risks or hard things will you chose to engage in for the cause of Christ since God is working all for your good? _____
