

# Working For The Good

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**Question:** In the difficulty of this on-going pandemic season, what is one positive outcome you think will come out of it for you?

**God is more interested in my character  
than my comfort.**

**Question:** What is your response to this statement: “God wants to use this season to grow something in me that can only grow in these kinds of seasons”?

## **Romans 8:28 (NLT)**

And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them.

**Question:** What are the “everything’s” that you are wrestling with in your life?

“Good” Myths:

1. Everything that happens to us is good.  
An attitude of faith is not a denial of reality.
2. “Good” is a promise for “The Good Life”

**Questions:** What are some ways these myths are stated or lived out in life? What are some potential consequences?



**The ‘good’ that God is working for:**

**Read Romans 8:29**

### **1. Becoming more like Jesus!**

- having the character of Jesus developed in my life; having a family resemblance

**Read Hebrews 5:8**

**Read Romans 8:30**

### **2. Drawing you closer to God**

- God doesn’t cause the pain in our lives, but He can use the pain in our lives for His purpose.

**Read James 1:13-15**

### **3. Refocusing you on future Glory**

**Read Romans 8:30, 18, 23**

- God uses the “everything’s” of life to remind us that this life is not everything there is!

**The most damaging aspect of contemporary living is short-term thinking.**

Rick Warren

**Read 2 Corinthians 4:17; 1 Corinthians 2:9**

**God is working for your good!**

**Questions:** Which of these 'good' do you sense God is most working on in you right now? Which one do you need to explore some more?