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INTRODUCTION

The following is certainly not a complete answer and probably not an answer at all, but hopefully will give some insight into the question why God let's disasters happen.

Since God is love (1 John 4:8) and not only loves us (1 John 4:16), but also gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life (John 3:16) it is certain God is deeply saddened by natural disasters and the hurt they bring upon the innocent, just as we are. But consider this, for years we've been telling God to get out of our schools, to get out of our government and to get out of our lives and being the gentleman that He is, He has calmly backed out. How can we expect God to give us His blessing and His protection if we demand that He leave us alone?

We told God we don't want any prayers in our schools and then someone said you better not read the Bible in school. The Bible that calls us to respect a person's right of life (thou shalt not kill), their home and family (thou shalt not commit adultery), their property and possessions (thou shalt not steal). Respect their reputation (thou shalt not bear false witness) and in thought respect their right of life, home, family, property, possessions and reputation (thou shalt not covet) and tells everyone to love their neighbour as themselves (meaning do good to others as we do to ourselves and not harm) and we agreed to have it removed.

Then Dr Benjamin Spock said we shouldn't spank in controlled emotion and in love (i.e., not to vent anger everyone agrees this is wrong) to discipline our children for their good when they misbehave because their little personalities would be warped and we might damage their self-esteem (Dr Benjamin Spock son committed suicide) and we said, an expert should know what he's talking about so we said OK.

Then someone said teachers and principals better not discipline our children when they misbehave. And the school administrators said no faculty member in this school better touch a student when they misbehave because we don't want any bad publicity and we surely don't want to be sued and we said, OK (note there is a big difference between touching, beating, humiliating and kicking, etc., and disciplining in love).

Then the entertainment industry said, we can make billions of dollars if we make TV shows and movies that promote profanity, violence and illicit sex and the music industry said let's record music that encourages rape, drugs, murder, suicide, and dark themes opposed to God. How strange it is that the world gives no thought to trashing God, and then wonders why the planet is in such turmoil.

If tenants of a house trashed the house, they are renting in the same way we trash the planet God gave us to live on and treated the landlord with the same disrespect that we show God, that landlord would have his tenants evicted from his house. We give time to entertainment, reading and believing what the newspapers say, but give no time to reading the Bible to discover what it really says for ourselves.

Everyone wants to go to heaven provided they do not have to give any time to reading the Bible, believing what it says or do anything the Bible says. Billions of people worldwide say they believe in God, but still follow the ways of the world. The world is quick to judge others, but do not like themselves being judged. Thousands of jokes can be sent through e-mail and they spread like wildfire and they are readily shared, but when a message of God's goodness, love and grace is sent the sender is blocked.

Thousands worldwide can be so fired up for Christ on Sunday, but be an invisible Christian the rest of the week. Lewd, crude, vulgar and obscene things freely pass through cyberspace, but open discussion of God is commonly suppressed in most public domains.

Despite the fact we give God no thought when life is good and the population of our nations want to cast God out of our schools and our governments we pray, "Dear God, deliver us from this disaster," and then wonder why He didn't.

Perhaps heaven replies, "Dear concerned, I am not allowed in your governments, politics, schools, workplace, holiday camps, TV programs, movies, I have been told, my Holy Power and influence is not welcome in your country, sorry I could not respond." If we are one of those who do not invite God to influence us in our daily life, then we shouldn't sit back and blame Him because the world is in a bad shape.

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