

8: Why Would A Good God Send People To Hell?



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FB: Does God enjoy sending people to hell? No. He'd rather see people repent and be saved. In the Old Testament, He pleaded with Israel saying, "I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but rather that the wicked person should turn from his way and live. Repent, repent of your evil ways! Why will you die, house of Israel?" (Ezk 33:11). In the New Testament, Jesus told the people of His day, "I assure you: Anyone who hears My word and believes Him who sent Me has eternal life and will not come under judgment but has passed from death to life" (Jn 5:24). Paul says God "wants everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth" (1Tm 2:4), and Peter reminds his readers that the Lord is "patient with you, not wanting any to perish, but all to come to repentance" (2Pt 3:9). God is just, but we see that He also is loving. He has provided a way for us to escape punishment in hell. Jesus Christ is that way. Discover how Apologetics can fuel your faith at ApologeticsBible.com

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