

# Even the Bad is Good

1 Peter 3:13-4:19

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Part 6 of the Growing Up Fast Series

Suffering Can Result in Good in the Life  
of a Maturing Believer

1. **Since Suffering Allows You to Defend Your Faith (3:13-22)**
  - A. You can explain the reason for your hope (vs.13-17)  
**Remember: Jesus is the Answer to Their Questions**
  - B. You can explain the content of your faith (vs.18-22)  
**Remember: Jesus is the Answer to Your Questions**
  
2. **Since Suffering Makes Possible Your Transformation (4:1-11)**
  - A. So you can put off the bad (vs.1-6)  
**Remember: Measure Your Rate of Subtractive Change**
  - B. So you can put on the good (vs.7-11)  
**Remember: Measure Your Rate of Additive Change**
  
3. **Since Suffering Ties You to God's Mission (4:12-19)**
  - A. Suffering allows you to glorify God (vs.12-16)  
**Remember: You Should Bring Glory to Him**
  - B. Suffering allows you to trust God (vs.17-19)  
**Remember: He Will Bring Good to You**

## CONCLUSION:

When Suffering Enters Your Life,  
See It as an Opportunity for God to Do Good