

Evil, Suffering and Death: WHY?

Lesson 1: QUESTIONS

1. What's the definition of "Evil"? _____

2. Where did evil come from? [Be ready to discuss in class.] _____

 - a) Could God have prevented evil from happening? [Discuss]_____
 - b) If so, why didn't He?_____
 - c) Is the source of evil the same today?_____
3. WHO determines the consequence of an evil life? [HOW is it determined?]

4. Name at least three (3) results of EVIL.
 - a) _____
 - b) _____
 - c) _____
5. In your own reasoning, why do the righteous suffer, and why do the evil people often seem to prosper? _____

6. What do YOU estimate would be the condition of the world now if there were NO suffering or death? _____

7. In what ways can our attitudes about and our reactions to adversities be a problem? _____

8. How accurately can we know about the "origin" of Satan? _____

9. What is your estimation of the statement attributed to EPICURUS on page two? _____

10. If you believe God has ever sanctioned the problems of evil/ suffering/ death, please cite some scriptures or examples! _____
