

What To Do When Bad Happens

The Power of Perspective

John 11

I. WHY do bad things happen to me?

- A. Sometimes it is simply the results of living in a _____
_____ – Genesis 3:16-19
- B. Sometimes it is to help accomplish _____
in my life – II Cor 12:7; John 9:1-3
- C. Sometimes it is a result of my _____
- James 1:14,15
- D. Sometimes it is a _____ from Satan
– Job 1:8-12; 2:4-7

II. The POWER of PERSPECTIVE

- A. “Bad” can help _____ to God in my life
– John 11:3,4
- B. “Bad” can help _____ to Christ
– John 11:41,42
- C. “Bad” reminds me that _____
– John 11:33-36
- D. “Bad” is _____ part of the _____
– Romans 8:28-30

III. My OPTIONS

- A. _____ in the providence & sovereignty of _____
- B. _____ and therefore _____ God’s best