



# Where is God in Midst of our Suffering?

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## Matthew 26:36-46

He became anguished and distressed. He told them, “My soul is crushed with grief to the point of death.”

### Matthew 26:38 NLT

He plunged into an agonizing sorrow. Then he said, “This sorrow is crushing my life out.”

### Matthew 26:38 MSG

## What is the difference between giving up and giving over?

I pray expecting God's power, I pray accepting life's suffering. I pray pleading for God's deliverance, I pray surrendering to God's will.”

During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission.

### Hebrews 5:7

When Jesus prayed to the one who could save him from death, he did not get that salvation; he got instead the salvation of the world.

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