They exchanged the truth of God for a lie, and worshiped and served created things rather than the Creator…

Romans 1:25

So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples,
and you will know the truth, and
the truth will set you free."

John 8:31–32

NOTE TO SELF:

God is good.

john 10:11–15

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∗ Because god is good god suffered

Christianity alone among the world religions claims that God became uniquely & fully human in Jesus & therefore knows firsthand despair, rejection, loneliness, poverty, sorrow, torture, imprisonment & death. In his death, God suffers in love identifying with the abandoned & Godforsaken.

Why did He do it?

The Bible says Jesus came on a rescue mission for

creation.   He had to pay for

our sins so that someday he can end evil

& suffering without ending us.

– Tim Keller

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✻ Because god is good god suffered

✻ Because God is good we don't

   suffer in vain

In him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of him who works all things according to the counsel of his will.

Ephesians 1:11

and we know that for those who love god all things work together for good for those who are called according to his purpose.

Romans 8:28

A Christian should walk in this assurance: that when the world seems to be tumbling about the Lord is everywhere at work and His work will be for there welfare.

– John Calvin

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God is good—

so I don't have to look elsewhere

The thief comes only to steal & kill   & destroy.

I came that they may have life & have it

abundantly.

John

10:10

NOTE TO SELF:

God is good‾

so I don't have to look elsewhere

＊ Because God is Good He is Better

The LORD is my shepherd;

I shall not want.

Psalm 23:1

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* Because God is Good He is Better

* Because God is Good His Way is Best

You are good & what you do is good;

teach me your decrees.

Psalm

119:68

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