

From Mighty Rivers

The congregation was heard singing,

“Some through the waters, some through the flood;

some through the fire, but all through the blood;

some through great sorrow,

but God gives a song in the night season and all the day long.”

And in Kerrville, Texas; the screams of young girls at a Christian camp were heard as they were being swept to their deaths by raging waters along with scores of other people who were there to enjoy the Fourth of July holiday. Some through the waters.

And I heard the loved ones of those who perished in floods and fires crying, “Why? Why did God let this happen?”

The answer to that question will not be found until we get to Heaven. Until then, we must realize that the perfect creation God made, fell along with the fall of man in the rebellion of Adam and Eve. Ever since, creation groans and suffers while waiting for deliverance. (Romans 8)

Nature can be tranquil or it can be terrible; pleasant or punishing and without mercy. Cause and consequence are inseparable; the elements have no forbearance at times. Nature, like mankind, is fallen and is under a curse

There were the fires in Los Angeles just this year; and the fires at the Grand Canyon resort and the Massachusetts nursing home just this month. Some through the fire.

Our Father weeps, too, but gave His Son that we might have eternal life. Heaven’s gate swung open wide to receive these souls that came to Him through the waters, the flood, or the fire.

Some through great sorrow, but God gives a song in the night...and here are the words:

“All things work together for good to those who love the Lord ...”

We wait upon the Lord.