

when we're going to die. There's ~~nothing~~ nothing we can do about it.' Why drive carefully. We can't be hurt unless it is God's will." That is fatalism. God gives us a task to do. He expects us to accomplish the task. How do we fit them together? The human being doesn't know how to fit everything together in God's universe. In the last two centuries we have learned in scientific study to know a thousand times about the universe what we knew 200 years ago. But my guess is that there's a thousand times as much as we know yet to ~~know~~ ^{understand} the universe - that God knows and understands/. Whatever we find in God's Word we can believe that it is true, and we can stand upon it; and if two statements of God's Word do not seem to us to fit together, we do not see how they fit, but if they are clearly taught they are both true. God has called us to go out and to serve Him. He has called every Christian to serve Him; not to sit back and ~~to~~ say, "God's going to do what He ~~will~~ chooses." Not to think our important thing is to get everybody else to understand all the mysteries of the universe as we do, because we don't understand a fraction of the mysteries of the universe ourselves. He has called us to go out and to serve Him, and to accomplish His purpose, which is to prepare others to be His instruments, to be His people, to do His will. You remember what God said to Paul, when God ~~is~~ originally called Paul. Paul tells about it in Acts 26. There he tells about the word that God so God gave him, how/marvelously took a hold ~~hold~~ of Paul and brought him ~~in~~ in to the direction that God wanted him to go. And then we read in Acts ~~26:15~~ 26:15 that Paul/~~said~~ ^{says,} "I said, 'Who art thou Lord?' and He said, "I am Jesus whom thou persecutest. But rise and stand upon thy feet, for I have appeared unto thee for this purpose: to make thee a minister and a witness, both of these things which thou has ~~not~~ seen, and of those things in which I will appear unto thee, delivering thee from the people and from the Gentiles unto whom I now send thee, to open their eyes and to turn them,"' He's sending Paul to open their eyes. He's sending Paul to turn them from darkness to light, ~~and from the~~ and from the