Is life good?
The South Korean multinational electronics company, “LG,” uses the tagline “life’s good.” If all is well, we can surely say that, but what happens when life’s bad? We may face situations over which we have absolutely no control, such as life-threatening disease for which there is no cure, smog and haze in the environment that impacts our health, terrorism that is so senseless, natural disasters like earthquakes, floods and tsunamis that send fear coursing through our veins, a death of someone close. What do we do under such circumstances? When life’s bad, where can we turn?

Life was surely good for Ann who just turned 33—a well-recognized graduate degree, a secure and successful career, a loving and responsible husband, two lovely preschool children, and great family support on both sides. Life was surely good! Then it happened. At a routine annual checkup, the doctor gently informed her that she had an inoperable breast cancer that was in its last stage. Anxiety, fear, panic, anger, sadness plagued her for weeks and months as she struggled with making the decisions for what to do next.
At this difficult juncture, Ann had nowhere to turn. In her desperation, she called a close friend, Beth who seemed to be the epitome of peace, one who appeared to have a strong and courageous to face life no matter good or bad. Beth introduced Ann to the Divine Power that she firmly believed in—a God who is all knowing, all caring, One who wants the best for those who choose to believe in Him, One who assures us of a life of abundant meaning and fulfillment. For Ann, God became her greatest support through her two-year struggle—this marked the turning point in her life as she learned to live a new life, discovering how to live life wholistically. Now, ten years later, Ann is healthy, trusting fully in the Lord.

Yes, He’s standing on the sidelines waiting for you to simply accept His invitation. Why not give God a try by saying, “Yes, Lord, I need You in my life. Forgive me as You have promised; I believe in You!” He has guaranteed that every burden can become a blessing and every loss can be counted as gain when we choose Him. Then watch the miracles unfold as He guides you step by step into a life of peace, joy, and blessings when life’s good; and yes, even when life appears to be bad.