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**God, the Author of Sin.**  
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A contemporary rightly says that the fact that any particular doctrine is taught by demons is of itself sufficient proof that it is untrue. We would therefore earnestly draw the attention of any of our readers who may have inclined to the teaching that God is the author of evil to the following extract from a Spiritualistic book entitled "*Whatever Is, Is Right*".\*

“*Evil* does not exist, evil is good. A *lie* is the truth intrinsically; it holds a lawful place in creation; it is a necessity. *Vice* . . . . beautiful in the eyes of the soul. *Virtue* is good and *sin* is good. The woman who came to the well of Sychar was just as pure in spirit before she met Christ, even though she was a harlot, as she was afterwards when she went to live a different life. There’s no difference between Herod the murderer of the babes in Bethlehem, and Christ the Saviour of men. *Murder* is good, and is perfectly natural act. There are *no evil Spirits, no Devil, and no Christ*. Christ and the Devil are both alike.

*For not a path on earth is trod  
That does not lead the soul to God.*

No matter how bad that path may be, whether it be the path of the liar or the murderer, it is the path of Divine Ordination and Divine Destiny.”

The closing paragraph should be prayerfully weighed in the balances of the Sanctuary by those who in their zeal to emphasize the Sovereignty of God and the truth that He worked ALL THINGS after the council of His Own Will, have not seen in all its hideousness the logical outcome of this doctrine of demons.

[NOTE: \* - Quoted from “After Death – What?” by One of the Laity.  
(Garden City Press, Southport).]