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THE ENEMY REJOICES

Evil can be transformed into absolute good when it is channeled properly.... Indeed, the true desire of the evil in man is for man to overpower and conquer it and transform it into good. (Tanya I, ch. 9)

Why does evil rejoice at its own downfall? G-d only created evil to test and challenge good so that we may prove our strength and dedication to G-d. Therefore, the true purpose of evil is fulfilled when we overcome it. This liberates the negative, and it rejoices in fulfilling its purpose.

When Moshiach comes, all evil will be vanquished, and the truth will be revealed. We will then see that there is no real opposition, and even our enemies will be transformed into friends.

