

The world of *Bobby Gould in Hell* has some rules—some you have to learn for yourself, but one you need to know now is that there is good and there is bad... it IS black and white. That means that leading a “good life” is about more than appearing to lead a good life.

Mamet’s keen eye for satire points out the justifications we all make from time to time and shows us what it all just might cost us in the end.

The Rules

With the comings, goings and stayings of the characters, we found that we were getting a little confused as to the guidelines of Mamet’s Hell. So we decided upon a few rules:

First you are told “I am thinking of a number” and asked whether or not he is, in fact, thinking of a number.

 If you’re right, you go home

 If you’re wrong, you stay

If you ever make a genuine apology, you are instantly absolved.

Evil is part of good – it’s all necessary.

For the visitors to hell – things are uncertain.

Guests who are summoned to Hell rather than actually having died are free to go whenever they please. They are also free to stay.

Guests are still subject to rules 1 & 2.