



The Book of Job

Maintaining Integrity When You Are Hurting

Wednesday March 23, 2016 – Job Chapters 40:6 – 41:34

Please read Job 40:6 – 41:34 in preparation for class (and complete this study guide).

Outline of Job Chapters Forty Verse Six Through Chapter 41:

1. Job 40:6-14 – God Challenges Job Again.
2. Job 40:15-24 – The Behemoth.
3. Job 41:1-34 – The Leviathan.

Questions for Study and Consideration:

1. God challenges Job Again. (Job 40:6-14)

- a. Once again the Lord answers Job out of the _____.
- b. What does it mean to “prepare yourself like a man”? _____

- c. Job has been asking for answers, but God says that God will _____ and Job will _____.
- d. In Job 40:8, what is Job warned against doing? _____

- e. What point is God making when he asks if Job has an arm or a voice like God? _____
- f. In 40:11-13 God mentions some things Job could do if he was like God:
 - i. He could disperse the _____ of his wrath.
 - ii. He could _____ the proud.
 - iii. He could tread down the _____ in their place.
 - iv. He could hide them in the _____ together.
- g. If Job was like God then his own right _____ could _____ himself.

2. The Behemoth. (Job 40:15-24)

- a. Read 40:15-18, 20-24. What kind of animal does this sound like? _____

- b. Explain the statement in 40:19, "He is the first of the ways of God; Only He who made him can bring near His sword." _____

- c. Why does God speak with Job about the Behemoth? _____

3. The Leviathan. (Job 41:1-34)

- a. What is pictures in 41:1? _____
- b. In 41:3-7 God asks Job about the kind of relationship that Job might have with Leviathan. These are rhetorical questions. What is the unspoken answer to all these questions? _____
- c. What would Job do is he ever laid a hand on Leviathan? _____

- d. Who can ...
 - i. Remove his _____ coat.
 - ii. Approach him with a double _____.
 - iii. Open the doors of his _____.
- e. Read verses 15-32. List five characteristics that you find most intriguing or unusual regarding the Leviathan:
 - i. _____
 - ii. _____
 - iii. _____
 - iv. _____
 - v. _____
- f. What kind of animal does this sound like to you? _____
- g. On earth there is _____ like him.
- h. Why does God speak with Job about the Leviathan? _____
