

# The Book of Job



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<sup>1</sup> + 1:1 The Hebrew word rendered "God" is "Elohim".

that|strong = "H3588" Job|strong = "H0347" sent|strong = "H7971"  
 and|strong = "H1121" sanctified|strong = "H6942" them|strong = "H7971",  
 and|strong = "H1121" rose|strong = "H7925" up|strong = "H5927"  
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 burnt|strong = "H5930" offerings|strong = "H5930"  
 according|strong = "H3602" to|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605"  
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 said|strong = "H0559", "It|strong = "H3588" may|strong = "H1961"  
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 sons|strong = "H1121" have|strong = "H1961" sinned|strong = "H2398",  
 and|strong = "H1121" renounced God|strong = "H0430" in|strong = "H0430"  
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6Now|strong = "H1961" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
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 sons|strong = "H1121" came|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0935"  
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T hen|strong = "H6030" Satan|strong = "H7854" answered|strong = "H0559"  
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 said|strong = "H0559", "From|strong = "H0935" going|strong = "H1980"  
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 in|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H0853" earth|strong = "H0776",  
 and|strong = "H1980" from|strong = "H0935" walking|strong = "H1980"  
 up|strong = "H0935" and|strong = "H1980" down|strong = "H1980"  
 in|strong = "H1980" it|strong = "H3068".

8The|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H0413" Satan|strong = "H7854", "Have|strong = "H0369"  
 you|strong = "H3588" considered my|strong = "H7760"  
 servant|strong = "H5650", Job|strong = "H0347"? For|strong = "H3588"  
 there|strong = "H0369" is|strong = "H0369" no|strong = "H0369"  
 one|strong = "H0376" like|strong = "H3644" him|strong = "H0413"

<sup>2+</sup> 1:6 When rendered in ALL CAPITAL LETTERS, "LORD" or "GOD" is the translation of God's Proper Name.

in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559" earth|strong = "H0776",  
 a|strong = "H3588" blameless|strong = "H8535" and|strong = "H3068"  
 an|strong = "H7760" upright|strong = "H3477" man|strong = "H0376",  
 one|strong = "H0376" who|strong = "H0376" fears|strong = "H3373"  
 God|strong = "H0430", and|strong = "H3068" turns|strong = "H5493"  
 away|strong = "H5493" from|strong = "H5493" evil|strong = "H7451"."

9Then|strong = "H6030" Satan|strong = "H7854"  
 answered|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0853" LORD|strong = "H3068",  
 and|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559", "Does|strong = "H3068"  
 Job|strong = "H0347" fear|strong = "H3372" God|strong = "H0430"  
 for|strong = "H3068" nothing|strong = "H2600"? <sup>10</sup>  
 Haven't|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H0859" made|strong = "H4639"  
 a|strong = "H0834" hedge|strong = "H7753" around|strong = "H5439"  
 him|strong = "H3605", and|strong = "H0776" around|strong = "H5439"  
 his|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004", and|strong = "H0776"  
 around|strong = "H5439" all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H0834"  
 he|strong = "H0834" has|strong = "H0834", on|strong = "H0776"  
 every|strong = "H3605" side|strong = "H5439"? You|strong = "H0859"  
 have|strong = "H0834" blessed|strong = "H1288" the|strong = "H3605"  
 work|strong = "H4639" of|strong = "H1004" his|strong = "H3605"  
 hands|strong = "H3027", and|strong = "H0776" his|strong = "H3605"  
 substance is|strong = "H0834" increased|strong = "H6555"  
 in|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776". <sup>11</sup>  
 But|strong = "H0518" stretch|strong = "H7971" out|strong = "H7971"  
 your|strong = "H3605" hand|strong = "H3027" now|strong = "H4994",  
 and|strong = "H3027" touch|strong = "H5060" all|strong = "H3605"  
 that|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834" has|strong = "H0834",  
 and|strong = "H3027" he|strong = "H0834" will|strong = "H0834" renounce  
 you|strong = "H0834" to|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3605"  
 face|strong = "H6440"."

12The|strong = "H3605" LORD|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H0413" Satan|strong = "H7854", "Behold|strong = "H2009", <sup>3</sup>  
 all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834"  
 has|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H0834" in|strong = "H0413"  
 your|strong = "H3068" power|strong = "H3027". Only|strong = "H7535"  
 on|strong = "H0413" himself|strong = "H3027" don't|strong = "H0408"  
 stretch|strong = "H7971" out|strong = "H3318" your|strong = "H3068"  
 hand|strong = "H3027"."

S o|strong = "H7971" Satan|strong = "H7854" went|strong = "H3318"  
 out|strong = "H3318" from|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H3605"

<sup>3</sup> + 1:12 "Behold", from , "□□□□□□" means look at, take notice, observe, see, or gaze at. It is often used as an interjection.

presence|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605"  
 LORD|strong = "H3068". <sup>13</sup> It|strong = "H0398" fell|strong = "H1961"  
 on|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H1961" day|strong = "H3117"  
 when|strong = "H1961" his|strong = "H1961" sons|strong = "H1121"  
 and|strong = "H1121" his|strong = "H1961" daughters|strong = "H1323"  
 were|strong = "H1961" eating|strong = "H0398" and|strong = "H1121"  
 drinking|strong = "H8354" wine|strong = "H3196" in|strong = "H1004"  
 their|strong = "H0398" oldest|strong = "H1060" brother's|strong = "H0251"  
 house|strong = "H1004", <sup>14</sup> that|strong = "H0559" a|strong = "H1961"  
 messenger|strong = "H4397" came|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413"  
 Job|strong = "H0347", and|strong = "H0935" said|strong = "H0559",  
 "The|strong = "H0559" oxen|strong = "H1241" were|strong = "H1961"  
 ploughing, and|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0559"  
 donkeys|strong = "H0860" feeding beside|strong = "H5921"  
 them|strong = "H0413", <sup>15</sup> and|strong = "H2719" the|strong = "H0853"  
 Sabeans|strong = "H7614" attacked|strong = "H5221", and|strong = "H2719"  
 took|strong = "H3947" them|strong = "H0853" away|strong = "H3947". Yes,  
 they|strong = "H6310" have|strong = "H0589" killed|strong = "H5221"  
 the|strong = "H0853" servants|strong = "H5288" with|strong = "H6310"  
 the|strong = "H0853" edge|strong = "H6310" of|strong = "H6310"  
 the|strong = "H0853" sword|strong = "H2719", and|strong = "H2719"  
 I|strong = "H0589" alone|strong = "H0905" have|strong = "H0589"  
 escaped|strong = "H4422" to|strong = "H5046" tell|strong = "H5046"  
 you|strong = "H5046"."

<sup>16</sup>While|strong = "H5750" he|strong = "H0430" was|strong = "H0430"  
 still|strong = "H5750" speaking|strong = "H1696", another|strong = "H2088"  
 also|strong = "H5750" came|strong = "H0935" and|strong = "H0935"  
 said|strong = "H0559", "The|strong = "H0559" fire|strong = "H0784"  
 of|strong = "H0430" God|strong = "H0430" has|strong = "H0430"  
 fallen|strong = "H5307" from|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H0559"  
 sky|strong = "H8064", and|strong = "H0935" has|strong = "H0430" burnt  
 up|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0559" sheep|strong = "H6629"  
 and|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0559" servants|strong = "H5288",  
 and|strong = "H0935" consumed|strong = "H0398" them|strong = "H0935",  
 and|strong = "H0935" I|strong = "H0589" alone|strong = "H0905"  
 have|strong = "H0589" escaped|strong = "H4422" to|strong = "H0559"  
 tell|strong = "H5046" you|strong = "H5046"."

<sup>17</sup>While|strong = "H5750" he|strong = "H0853" was|strong = "H5288"  
 still|strong = "H5750" speaking|strong = "H1696", another|strong = "H2088"  
 also|strong = "H0853" came|strong = "H0935" and|strong = "H0935"  
 said|strong = "H0559", "The|strong = "H0853" Kasdim  
 made|strong = "H7760" three|strong = "H7969" bands|strong = "H7218",  
 and|strong = "H0935" swept|strong = "H0935" down|strong = "H5221"



on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853" camels|strong = "H1581",  
 and|strong = "H0935" have|strong = "H0589" taken|strong = "H3947"  
 them|strong = "H0853" away|strong = "H3947", yes, and|strong = "H0935"  
 killed|strong = "H5221" the|strong = "H0853" servants|strong = "H5288"  
 with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853" edge|strong = "H6310"  
 of|strong = "H7218" the|strong = "H0853" sword|strong = "H2719";  
 and|strong = "H0935" I|strong = "H0589" alone|strong = "H0905"  
 have|strong = "H0589" escaped|strong = "H4422" to|strong = "H0559"  
 tell|strong = "H5046" you|strong = "H5921"."

18While|strong = "H5704" he|strong = "H5704" was|strong = "H1004"  
 still|strong = "H5704" speaking|strong = "H1696", there|strong = "H2088"  
 came|strong = "H0935" also|strong = "H2088" another|strong = "H0251",  
 and|strong = "H1121" said|strong = "H0559", "Your|strong = "H0935"  
 sons|strong = "H1121" and|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H0935"  
 daughters|strong = "H1323" were|strong = "H1121" eating|strong = "H0398"  
 and|strong = "H1121" drinking|strong = "H8354" wine|strong = "H3196"  
 in|strong = "H0935" their|strong = "H0398" oldest|strong = "H1060"  
 brother's|strong = "H0251" house|strong = "H1004", <sup>19</sup>  
 and|strong = "H0935" behold|strong = "H2009", there|strong = "H2009"  
 came|strong = "H0935" a|strong = "H0935" great|strong = "H1419"  
 wind|strong = "H7307" from|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H5921"  
 wilderness|strong = "H4057", and|strong = "H0935" struck|strong = "H5060"  
 the|strong = "H5921" four|strong = "H0702" corners|strong = "H6438"  
 of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004",  
 and|strong = "H0935" it|strong = "H5921" fell|strong = "H5307"  
 on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" young|strong = "H5288"  
 men|strong = "H5288", and|strong = "H0935" they|strong = "H5921"  
 are|strong = "H1004" dead|strong = "H4191". I|strong = "H0589"  
 alone|strong = "H0905" have|strong = "H0589" escaped|strong = "H4422"  
 to|strong = "H0935" tell|strong = "H5046" you|strong = "H5921"."

20Then|strong = "H6965" Job|strong = "H0347" arose|strong = "H6965",  
 and|strong = "H6965" tore|strong = "H7167" his|strong = "H7167"  
 robe|strong = "H4598", and|strong = "H6965" shaved|strong = "H1494"  
 his|strong = "H7167" head|strong = "H7218", and|strong = "H6965"  
 fell|strong = "H5307" down|strong = "H7812" on|strong = "H5307"  
 the|strong = "H0853" ground|strong = "H0776", and|strong = "H6965"  
 worshipped. <sup>21</sup> He|strong = "H8033" said|strong = "H0559",  
 "Naked|strong = "H6174" I|strong = "H5414" came|strong = "H1961"  
 out|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H5414"  
 mother's|strong = "H0517" womb|strong = "H0990", and|strong = "H3068"  
 naked|strong = "H6174" will|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H5414"  
 return|strong = "H7725" there|strong = "H8033". The|strong = "H0559"  
 LORD|strong = "H3068" gave|strong = "H5414", and|strong = "H3068"

the|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068" has|strong = "H3068"  
 taken|strong = "H3947" away|strong = "H7725". Blessed|strong = "H1288"  
 be|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H0559" LORD's|strong = "H3068"  
 name|strong = "H8034".<sup>22</sup> In|strong = "H0430" all|strong = "H3605"  
 this|strong = "H2063", Job|strong = "H0347" didn't|strong = "H3808"  
 sin|strong = "H2398", nor|strong = "H3808" charge|strong = "H5414"  
 God|strong = "H0430" with|strong = "H0430" wrongdoing.

2Again|strong = "H1961", on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 day|strong = "H3117" when|strong = "H1961" God's|strong = "H0430"  
 sons|strong = "H1121" came|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0935"  
 present|strong = "H3320" themselves|strong = "H3320"  
 before|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" LORD|strong = "H3068",  
 Satan|strong = "H7854" came|strong = "H0935" also|strong = "H1571"  
 amongst them|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H0935"  
 present|strong = "H3320" himself|strong = "H3117" before|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" LORD|strong = "H3068".<sup>2</sup> The|strong = "H0853"  
 LORD|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413"  
 Satan|strong = "H7854", "Where|strong = "H0335" have|strong = "H0776"  
 you|strong = "H0935" come|strong = "H0935" from|strong = "H0935"?"

S atan|strong = "H7854" answered|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0853"  
 LORD|strong = "H3068", and|strong = "H1980" said|strong = "H0559",  
 "From|strong = "H0935" going|strong = "H1980" back|strong = "H1980"  
 and|strong = "H1980" forth|strong = "H1980" in|strong = "H1980"  
 the|strong = "H0853" earth|strong = "H0776", and|strong = "H1980"  
 from|strong = "H0935" walking|strong = "H1980" up|strong = "H0935"  
 and|strong = "H1980" down|strong = "H1980" in|strong = "H1980"  
 it|strong = "H3068"."

3The|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H0413" Satan|strong = "H7854", "Have|strong = "H0369"  
 you|strong = "H3588" considered my|strong = "H7760"  
 servant|strong = "H5650" Job|strong = "H0347"? For|strong = "H3588"  
 there|strong = "H0369" is|strong = "H0369" no|strong = "H0369"  
 one|strong = "H0376" like|strong = "H3644" him|strong = "H0413"  
 in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0559" earth|strong = "H0776",  
 a|strong = "H3588" blameless|strong = "H8535" and|strong = "H3068"  
 an|strong = "H7760" upright|strong = "H3477" man|strong = "H0376",  
 one|strong = "H0376" who|strong = "H0376" fears|strong = "H3373"  
 God|strong = "H0430", and|strong = "H3068" turns|strong = "H5493"  
 away|strong = "H5493" from|strong = "H5493" evil|strong = "H7451".  
 He|strong = "H3588" still|strong = "H5750" maintains his|strong = "H3068"  
 integrity|strong = "H8538", although|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
 incited|strong = "H5496" me|strong = "H0413" against|strong = "H0413"

him|strong = "H0413", to|strong = "H0413" ruin|strong = "H1104"  
him|strong = "H0413" without|strong = "H0369" cause|strong = "H2600".

4Satan|strong = "H7854" answered|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605"  
LORD|strong = "H3068", and|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559",  
"Skin|strong = "H5785" for|strong = "H1157" skin|strong = "H5785". Yes,  
all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H0834" a|strong = "H5414"  
man|strong = "H0376" has|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H0834"  
will|strong = "H3068" give|strong = "H5414" for|strong = "H1157"  
his|strong = "H3605" life|strong = "H5315". <sup>5</sup> But|strong = "H0518"  
stretch|strong = "H7971" out|strong = "H7971" your|strong = "H6440"  
hand|strong = "H3027" now|strong = "H4994", and|strong = "H3027"  
touch|strong = "H5060" his|strong = "H7971" bone|strong = "H6106"  
and|strong = "H3027" his|strong = "H7971" flesh|strong = "H1320",  
and|strong = "H3027" he|strong = "H0518" will|strong = "H3027" renounce  
you|strong = "H0518" to|strong = "H0413" your|strong = "H6440"  
face|strong = "H6440".

6The|strong = "H0853" LORD|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559"  
to|strong = "H0413" Satan|strong = "H7854", "Behold|strong = "H2005",  
he|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H0413"  
your|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027". Only|strong = "H0389"  
spare|strong = "H8104" his|strong = "H8104" life|strong = "H5315".

7So|strong = "H3318" Satan|strong = "H7854" went|strong = "H3318"  
out|strong = "H3318" from|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H0853"  
presence|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H0853"  
LORD|strong = "H3068", and|strong = "H3068" struck|strong = "H5221"  
Job|strong = "H0347" with|strong = "H3068" painful sores  
from|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H0853" sole|strong = "H3709"  
of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" foot|strong = "H7272"  
to|strong = "H5704" his|strong = "H3068" head|strong = "H6936". <sup>8</sup>  
He|strong = "H1931" took|strong = "H3947" for|strong = "H3427"  
himself|strong = "H1931" a|strong = "H3947" potsherd|strong = "H2789"  
to|strong = "H3427" scrape|strong = "H1623" himself|strong = "H1931"  
with|strong = "H3427", and|strong = "H3427" he|strong = "H1931"  
sat|strong = "H3427" amongst the|strong = "H3947" ashes|strong = "H0665".  
<sup>9</sup> Then|strong = "H0559" his|strong = "H2388" wife|strong = "H0802"  
said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559" him|strong = "H4191", "Do  
you|strong = "H1288" still|strong = "H5750" maintain|strong = "H2388"  
your|strong = "H2388" integrity|strong = "H8538"? Renounce  
God|strong = "H0430", and|strong = "H0430" die|strong = "H4191".

10But|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H0430" said|strong = "H0559"  
to|strong = "H0413" her|strong = "H3605", "You|strong = "H3605"

speak|strong = "H1696" as|strong = "H1571" one|strong = "H0259"  
 of|strong = "H0430" the|strong = "H3605" foolish|strong = "H5036"  
 women|strong = "H5036" would|strong = "H0559" speak|strong = "H1696".  
 What|strong = "H2896"? Shall|strong = "H3808" we|strong = "H3605"  
 receive|strong = "H6901" good|strong = "H2896" at|strong = "H0413"  
 the|strong = "H3605" hand of|strong = "H0430" God|strong = "H0430",  
 and|strong = "H0430" shall|strong = "H3808" we|strong = "H3605"  
 not|strong = "H3808" receive|strong = "H6901" evil|strong = "H7451"?

I n|strong = "H0413" all|strong = "H3605" this|strong = "H2063"  
 Job|strong = "H0347" didn't|strong = "H3808" sin|strong = "H2398"  
 with|strong = "H0413" his|strong = "H3605" lips|strong = "H8193". <sup>11</sup>  
 Now|strong = "H8085" when|strong = "H8085" Job's|strong = "H0347"  
 three|strong = "H7969" friends|strong = "H7453" heard|strong = "H8085"  
 of|strong = "H0376" all|strong = "H3605" this|strong = "H2063"  
 evil|strong = "H7451" that|strong = "H3605" had|strong = "H0376"  
 come|strong = "H0935" on|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921",  
 they|strong = "H5921" each|strong = "H0376" came|strong = "H0935"  
 from|strong = "H0935" his|strong = "H3605" own|strong = "H0376"  
 place|strong = "H4725": Eliphaz|strong = "H0464" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Temanite|strong = "H8489", Bildad|strong = "H1085" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Shuhite|strong = "H7747", and|strong = "H0935" Zophar|strong = "H6691"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Naamathite|strong = "H5284"; and|strong = "H0935"  
 they|strong = "H5921" made|strong = "H3259" an|strong = "H0935"  
 appointment|strong = "H3259" together|strong = "H3162"  
 to|strong = "H0935" come|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0935" sympathise  
 with|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H0935"  
 to|strong = "H0935" comfort|strong = "H5162" him|strong = "H5921". <sup>12</sup>  
 When|strong = "H0376" they|strong = "H0376" lifted|strong = "H5375"  
 up|strong = "H5375" their|strong = "H5375" eyes|strong = "H5869"  
 from|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H5375" distance|strong = "H7350",  
 and|strong = "H8064" didn't|strong = "H3808" recognise  
 him|strong = "H5921", they|strong = "H0376" raised|strong = "H5375"  
 their|strong = "H5375" voices|strong = "H6963", and|strong = "H8064"  
 wept|strong = "H1058"; and|strong = "H8064" they|strong = "H0376"  
 each|strong = "H0376" tore|strong = "H7167" his|strong = "H5921"  
 robe|strong = "H4598", and|strong = "H8064" sprinkled|strong = "H2236"  
 dust|strong = "H6083" on|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5375"  
 heads|strong = "H7218" towards the|strong = "H0853" sky|strong = "H8064".  
<sup>13</sup> So|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" sat|strong = "H3427"  
 down|strong = "H3427" with|strong = "H0854" him|strong = "H0413"  
 on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3588" ground|strong = "H0776"  
 seven|strong = "H7651" days|strong = "H3117" and|strong = "H0776"  
 seven|strong = "H7651" nights|strong = "H3915", and|strong = "H0776"  
 no|strong = "H0369" one|strong = "H0369" spoke|strong = "H1696"

a|strong = "H3588" word|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H0413"  
 him|strong = "H0413", for|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588"  
 saw|strong = "H7200" that|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H7200"  
 grief|strong = "H1697" was|strong = "H0369" very|strong = "H3966"  
 great|strong = "H1431".

3After|strong = "H0310" this|strong = "H3651" Job|strong = "H0347"  
 opened|strong = "H6605" his|strong = "H7043" mouth|strong = "H6310",  
 and|strong = "H3117" cursed|strong = "H7043" the|strong = "H0853"  
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" his|strong = "H7043" birth. <sup>2</sup>  
 Job|strong = "H0347" answered|strong = "H0559":

3"Let the|strong = "H0559" day|strong = "H3117" perish|strong = "H0006"  
 in|strong = "H3117" which I|strong = "H3117" was|strong = "H3117"  
 born|strong = "H3205",

t he|strong = "H0559" night|strong = "H3915" which said|strong = "H0559",  
 'There is|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H3205" boy|strong = "H1397"  
 conceived.'

4Let|strong = "H0408" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"  
 be|strong = "H1961" darkness|strong = "H2822".

D on't|strong = "H0408" let|strong = "H0408" God|strong = "H0433"  
 from|strong = "H5921" above|strong = "H5921" seek|strong = "H1875"  
 for|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H1931",

n either|strong = "H0408" let|strong = "H0408" the|strong = "H5921"  
 light|strong = "H5105" shine|strong = "H3313" on|strong = "H5921"  
 it|strong = "H1931".

5Let|strong = "H1350" darkness|strong = "H2822" and|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H5921" shadow|strong = "H6757" of|strong = "H3117"  
 death|strong = "H6757" claim|strong = "H1350" it|strong = "H5921"  
 for|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921" own.

L et|strong = "H1350" a|strong = "H5921" cloud|strong = "H6053"  
 dwell|strong = "H7931" on|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921".

L et|strong = "H1350" all|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" makes  
 the|strong = "H5921" day|strong = "H3117" black|strong = "H6757"  
 terrify|strong = "H1204" it|strong = "H5921".

6As|strong = "H0935" for|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117"  
 night|strong = "H3915", let|strong = "H0408" thick  
 darkness|strong = "H0652" seize|strong = "H3947" on|strong = "H3117"  
 it|strong = "H1931".

**L** et|strong = "H0408" it|strong = "H1931" not|strong = "H0408" rejoice  
 amongst the|strong = "H0935" days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H0935" year|strong = "H8141".

**L** et|strong = "H0408" it|strong = "H1931" not|strong = "H0408"  
 come|strong = "H0935" into|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0935"  
 number|strong = "H4557" of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0935"  
 months|strong = "H3391".

7Behold|strong = "H2009", let|strong = "H0408" that|strong = "H1931"  
 night|strong = "H3915" be|strong = "H1961" barren|strong = "H1565".

**L** et|strong = "H0408" no|strong = "H0408" joyful|strong = "H7445" voice  
 come|strong = "H0935" therein.

8Let them|strong = "H3117" curse|strong = "H0779" it who  
 curse|strong = "H0779" the|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117",

**w** ho are|strong = "H3117" ready|strong = "H6264" to|strong = "H3117"  
 rouse|strong = "H5782" up|strong = "H5782" leviathan|strong = "H3882".

9Let|strong = "H0408" the|strong = "H7200" stars|strong = "H3556"  
 of|strong = "H3556" its|strong = "H0369" twilight|strong = "H5399"  
 be|strong = "H0408" dark|strong = "H2821".

**L** et|strong = "H0408" it|strong = "H7200" look|strong = "H7200"  
 for|strong = "H0216" light|strong = "H0216", but|strong = "H7200"  
 have|strong = "H0369" none|strong = "H0369",

**n** either|strong = "H0369" let|strong = "H0408" it|strong = "H7200"  
 see|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200" eyelids|strong = "H6079"  
 of|strong = "H3556" the|strong = "H7200" morning|strong = "H7837",

10because|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588" didn't|strong = "H3808"  
 shut|strong = "H5462" up|strong = "H5462" the|strong = "H3588"  
 doors|strong = "H1817" of|strong = "H5869" my|strong = "H5641" mother's  
 womb|strong = "H0990",

n or|strong = "H3808" did|strong = "H3808" it|strong = "H3588"  
hide|strong = "H5641" trouble|strong = "H5999" from|strong = "H5869"  
my|strong = "H5641" eyes|strong = "H5869".

11“Why|strong = "H4100" didn't|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H4100"  
die|strong = "H4191" from|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H3318"  
womb|strong = "H0990"?”

W hy|strong = "H4100" didn't|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H4100" give up  
the|strong = "H3318" spirit when|strong = "H3318" my|strong = "H3318"  
mother|strong = "H7358" bore me|strong = "H3318"?”

12Why|strong = "H4100" did|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H3588"  
knees|strong = "H1290" receive|strong = "H6923" me|strong = "H6923"?”

O r|strong = "H3588" why|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H3588"  
breast|strong = "H7699", that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
should|strong = "H4100" nurse|strong = "H3243"?”

13For|strong = "H3588" now|strong = "H6258" I|strong = "H3588"  
should|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588" lain|strong = "H7901"  
down|strong = "H7901" and|strong = "H8252" been|strong = "H8252"  
quiet|strong = "H8252".

I |strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588"  
slept|strong = "H7901", then|strong = "H0227" I|strong = "H3588" would  
have|strong = "H3588" been|strong = "H8252" at|strong = "H5117"  
rest|strong = "H5117",

14with|strong = "H5973" kings|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H0776"  
counsellors of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H1129"  
earth|strong = "H0776",

w ho|strong = "H4428" built|strong = "H1129" up|strong = "H1129"  
waste|strong = "H2723" places|strong = "H2723" for|strong = "H0776"  
themselves|strong = "H1129";

15or|strong = "H0176" with|strong = "H5973" princes|strong = "H8269"  
who|strong = "H8269" had|strong = "H8269" gold|strong = "H2091",

w ho|strong = "H8269" filled|strong = "H4390" their|strong = "H1992"  
houses|strong = "H1004" with|strong = "H5973" silver|strong = "H3701";

16or|strong = "H0176" as|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
 hidden|strong = "H2934" untimely birth|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H7200"  
 had|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H3808" been|strong = "H1961",

a s|strong = "H1961" infants|strong = "H5768" who|strong = "H3808"  
 never|strong = "H3808" saw|strong = "H7200" light|strong = "H0216".

17There|strong = "H8033" the|strong = "H8033" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
 cease|strong = "H2308" from|strong = "H5117" troubling.

T here|strong = "H8033" the|strong = "H8033" weary|strong = "H3019"  
 are|strong = "H7563" at|strong = "H8033" rest|strong = "H5117".

18There|strong = "H0615" the|strong = "H8085"  
 prisoners|strong = "H0615" are|strong = "H3808" at|strong = "H3808"  
 ease|strong = "H7599" together|strong = "H3162".

T hey|strong = "H3808" don't|strong = "H3808" hear|strong = "H8085"  
 the|strong = "H8085" voice|strong = "H6963" of|strong = "H6963"  
 the|strong = "H8085" taskmaster|strong = "H5065".

19The|strong = "H0113" small|strong = "H6996" and|strong = "H1419"  
 the|strong = "H0113" great|strong = "H1419" are|strong = "H5650"  
 there|strong = "H8033".

T he|strong = "H0113" servant|strong = "H5650" is|strong = "H1931"  
 free|strong = "H2670" from|strong = "H5650" his|strong = "H1931"  
 master|strong = "H0113".

20"Why|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100" light|strong = "H0216"  
 given|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H5414"  
 who|strong = "H5315" is|strong = "H4100" in|strong = "H5315" misery,

l ife|strong = "H5315" to|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414"  
 bitter|strong = "H4751" in|strong = "H5315" soul|strong = "H5315",

21who|strong = "H0369" long|strong = "H2442" for|strong = "H2442"  
 death|strong = "H4194", but|strong = "H0369" it|strong = "H2658" doesn't  
 come;

a nd|strong = "H4194" dig|strong = "H2658" for|strong = "H2442"  
 it|strong = "H2658" more|strong = "H0369" than for|strong = "H2442"  
 hidden|strong = "H4301" treasures|strong = "H4301",



22who|strong = "H4672" rejoice|strong = "H8055" exceedingly,

a nd|strong = "H8055" are|strong = "H6913" glad|strong = "H8055",  
when|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" can find|strong = "H4672"  
the|strong = "H3588" grave|strong = "H6913"?

23Why|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0834" light given  
to|strong = "H1870" a|strong = "H0834" man|strong = "H1397"  
whose|strong = "H0834" way|strong = "H1870" is|strong = "H0834"  
hidden|strong = "H5641",

w hom|strong = "H0834" God|strong = "H0433" has|strong = "H0834"  
hedged|strong = "H5526" in|strong = "H1870"?

24For|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H0935" sighing|strong = "H0585"  
comes|strong = "H0935" before|strong = "H6440" I|strong = "H3588" eat.

M y|strong = "H0935" groanings are|strong = "H6440"  
poured|strong = "H5413" out|strong = "H6440" like|strong = "H6440"  
water|strong = "H4325".

25For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H0834" thing|strong = "H3588"  
which|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0834" fear|strong = "H6343"  
comes|strong = "H0935" on|strong = "H0935" me|strong = "H0935",

t hat|strong = "H0834" which|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0834" am  
afraid|strong = "H6342" of|strong = "H0935" comes|strong = "H0935"  
to|strong = "H0935" me|strong = "H0935".

26I|strong = "H3808" am not|strong = "H3808" at|strong = "H0935"  
ease|strong = "H7951", neither|strong = "H3808" am I|strong = "H3808"  
quiet|strong = "H8252", neither|strong = "H3808" do|strong = "H0935"  
I|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3808" rest|strong = "H5117";

b ut|strong = "H3808" trouble comes|strong = "H0935".

4Then|strong = "H6030" Eliphaz|strong = "H0464" the|strong = "H0559"  
Temanite|strong = "H8489" answered|strong = "H0559",

2"If someone|strong = "H4310" ventures|strong = "H5254"  
to|strong = "H0413" talk|strong = "H1697" with|strong = "H0413"  
you|strong = "H0413", will|strong = "H4310" you|strong = "H0413"  
be|strong = "H1697" grieved?

**B** ut|strong = "H0413" who|strong = "H4310" can|strong = "H4310"  
withhold himself|strong = "H0413" from|strong = "H0413"  
speaking|strong = "H1697"?

3Behold|strong = "H2009", you|strong = "H3256" have|strong = "H3027"  
instructed|strong = "H3256" many|strong = "H7227",

y ou|strong = "H3256" have|strong = "H3027"  
strengthened|strong = "H2388" the|strong = "H2388" weak  
hands|strong = "H3027".

4Your|strong = "H6965" words|strong = "H4405" have|strong = "H4405"  
supported|strong = "H0553" him|strong = "H3766" who was falling,

y ou|strong = "H6965" have|strong = "H4405" made|strong = "H0553"  
the|strong = "H6965" feeble|strong = "H3782" knees|strong = "H1290"  
firm|strong = "H0553".

5But|strong = "H3588" now|strong = "H6258" it|strong = "H3588"  
has|strong = "H3588" come|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413"  
you|strong = "H3588", and|strong = "H0935" you|strong = "H3588" faint.

I t|strong = "H3588" touches|strong = "H5060" you|strong = "H3588",  
and|strong = "H0935" you|strong = "H3588" are troubled.

6Isn't|strong = "H3808" your|strong = "H3808" piety  
your|strong = "H3808" confidence|strong = "H3690"?

I sn't|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H1870" integrity|strong = "H8537"  
of|strong = "H1870" your|strong = "H3808" ways|strong = "H1870"  
your|strong = "H3808" hope|strong = "H8615"?

7"Remember|strong = "H2142", now|strong = "H4994",  
whoever|strong = "H4310" perished|strong = "H0006",  
being|strong = "H0006" innocent|strong = "H5355"?

O r|strong = "H2142" where|strong = "H0375" were the|strong = "H2142"  
upright|strong = "H3477" cut|strong = "H3582" off|strong = "H3582"?

8According to|strong = "H7200" what|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0834"  
have|strong = "H0834" seen|strong = "H7200", those|strong = "H0834"  
who|strong = "H0834" plough iniquity|strong = "H0205"

**a** nd|strong = "H7200" sow|strong = "H2232" trouble|strong = "H5999",  
reap|strong = "H7114" the|strong = "H0834" same.

9By|strong = "H3615" the|strong = "H3615" breath|strong = "H7307"  
of|strong = "H7307" God|strong = "H0433" they|strong = "H0639"  
perish|strong = "H0006".

**B** y|strong = "H3615" the|strong = "H3615" blast|strong = "H7307"  
of|strong = "H7307" his|strong = "H3615" anger|strong = "H0639"  
are|strong = "H0433" they|strong = "H0639" consumed|strong = "H3615".

10The|strong = "H6963" roaring|strong = "H7581" of|strong = "H6963"  
the|strong = "H6963" lion|strong = "H0738",

**a** nd|strong = "H6963" the|strong = "H6963" voice|strong = "H6963"  
of|strong = "H6963" the|strong = "H6963" fierce lion|strong = "H0738",

**t** he|strong = "H6963" teeth|strong = "H8127" of|strong = "H6963"  
the|strong = "H6963" young|strong = "H3715" lions|strong = "H0738",  
are|strong = "H8127" broken|strong = "H5421".

11The|strong = "H0006" old|strong = "H1121" lion|strong = "H3918"  
perishes|strong = "H0006" for|strong = "H0006" lack|strong = "H1097"  
of|strong = "H1121" prey|strong = "H2964".

**T** he|strong = "H0006" cubs of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H0006"  
lioness|strong = "H3833" are|strong = "H1121" scattered|strong = "H6504"  
abroad.

12"Now a|strong = "H3947" thing|strong = "H1697" was|strong = "H1697"  
secretly brought|strong = "H3947" to|strong = "H0413" me|strong = "H0413".

**M** y|strong = "H3947" ear|strong = "H0241" received|strong = "H3947"  
a|strong = "H3947" whisper|strong = "H8102" of|strong = "H1697"  
it|strong = "H3947".

13In|strong = "H5921" thoughts from|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" visions|strong = "H2384" of|strong = "H0376"  
the|strong = "H5921" night|strong = "H3915",

**w** hen|strong = "H5307" deep|strong = "H8639" sleep|strong = "H8639"  
falls|strong = "H5307" on|strong = "H5921" men|strong = "H0376",

14fear|strong = "H6343" came|strong = "H7122" on me,  
and|strong = "H6343" trembling|strong = "H7460",

w hich made all|strong = "H7230" my|strong = "H6106"  
bones|strong = "H6106" shake|strong = "H6342".

15Then|strong = "H7307" a|strong = "H5921" spirit|strong = "H7307"  
passed|strong = "H2498" before|strong = "H6440" my|strong = "H5921"  
face|strong = "H6440".

T he|strong = "H6440" hair|strong = "H8185" of|strong = "H7307"  
my|strong = "H5921" flesh|strong = "H1320" stood up|strong = "H5921".

16It|strong = "H3808" stood|strong = "H5975" still|strong = "H5975",  
but|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3808" couldn't|strong = "H3808"  
discern|strong = "H8085" its|strong = "H5975" appearance|strong = "H4758".

A |strong = "H8085" form|strong = "H8544" was|strong = "H6963"  
before|strong = "H5048" my|strong = "H8085" eyes|strong = "H5869".

S ilence|strong = "H1827", then|strong = "H8085" I|strong = "H3808"  
heard|strong = "H8085" a|strong = "H8085" voice|strong = "H6963",  
saying|strong = "H6963",

17'Shall|strong = "H2891" mortal|strong = "H0582" man|strong = "H1397"  
be|strong = "H0582" more just|strong = "H6663" than|strong = "H0518"  
God|strong = "H0433"?

S hall|strong = "H2891" a|strong = "H0518" man|strong = "H1397"  
be|strong = "H0582" more pure|strong = "H2891" than|strong = "H0518"  
his|strong = "H0518" Maker?

18Behold|strong = "H2005", he|strong = "H3808" puts|strong = "H7760"  
no|strong = "H3808" trust|strong = "H0539" in|strong = "H5650"  
his|strong = "H7760" servants|strong = "H5650".

H e|strong = "H3808" charges|strong = "H7760" his|strong = "H7760"  
angels|strong = "H4397" with error|strong = "H8417".

19How|strong = "H0834" much|strong = "H0637" more|strong = "H0637"  
those|strong = "H0834" who|strong = "H0834" dwell|strong = "H7931"  
in|strong = "H1004" houses|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" clay,

w hose|strong = "H0834" foundation|strong = "H3247" is|strong = "H0834"  
in|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H6440" dust|strong = "H6083",

w ho|strong = "H0834" are|strong = "H0834" crushed|strong = "H1792"  
before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" moth|strong = "H6211"!

20Between morning|strong = "H1242" and|strong = "H1242"  
evening|strong = "H6153" they|strong = "H1242" are  
destroyed|strong = "H0006".

T hey|strong = "H1242" perish|strong = "H0006" forever|strong = "H5331"  
without|strong = "H1097" any regarding it|strong = "H7760".

21Isn't|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H3808" tent cord  
plucked|strong = "H5265" up within them|strong = "H4191"?

T hey|strong = "H3808" die|strong = "H4191", and|strong = "H2451"  
that|strong = "H3808" without|strong = "H3808" wisdom|strong = "H2451".'

5"Call|strong = "H7121" now|strong = "H4994"; is|strong = "H4310"  
there|strong = "H3426" any|strong = "H3426" who|strong = "H4310"  
will|strong = "H4310" answer|strong = "H6030" you|strong = "H0413"?"

T o|strong = "H0413" which|strong = "H4310" of|strong = "H6918"  
the|strong = "H0413" holy|strong = "H6918" ones|strong = "H6918"  
will|strong = "H4310" you|strong = "H0413" turn|strong = "H6437"?"

2For|strong = "H3588" resentment kills|strong = "H4191"  
the|strong = "H3588" foolish|strong = "H0191" man|strong = "H4191",

a nd|strong = "H4191" jealousy|strong = "H7068" kills|strong = "H4191"  
the|strong = "H3588" simple.

3I|strong = "H0589" have|strong = "H0589" seen|strong = "H7200"  
the|strong = "H7200" foolish|strong = "H0191" taking|strong = "H8327"  
root|strong = "H8327",

b ut|strong = "H7200" suddenly|strong = "H6597" I|strong = "H0589"  
cursed his|strong = "H7200" habitation.

4His|strong = "H5337" children|strong = "H1121" are|strong = "H1121"  
far|strong = "H7368" from|strong = "H1121" safety|strong = "H3468".

**T** hey|strong = "H0369" are|strong = "H1121" crushed|strong = "H1792"  
in|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5337" gate|strong = "H8179".

**N** either|strong = "H0369" is|strong = "H0369" there|strong = "H0369"  
any|strong = "H0369" to|strong = "H0369" deliver|strong = "H5337"  
them|strong = "H7368",

5whose|strong = "H0834" harvest|strong = "H7105" the|strong = "H0834"  
hungry|strong = "H7456" eat|strong = "H0398" up|strong = "H0398",

**a** nd|strong = "H0398" take|strong = "H3947" it|strong = "H0398" even  
out|strong = "H0413" of|strong = "H2428" the|strong = "H0834"  
thorns|strong = "H6791".

**T** he|strong = "H0834" snare gapes for|strong = "H0413"  
their|strong = "H3947" substance|strong = "H2428".

6For|strong = "H3588" affliction|strong = "H0205"  
doesn't|strong = "H3808" come|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318"  
of|strong = "H0127" the|strong = "H3588" dust|strong = "H6083",

**n** either|strong = "H3808" does|strong = "H3808" trouble|strong = "H5999"  
spring|strong = "H6779" out|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H0127"  
the|strong = "H3588" ground|strong = "H0127";

7but|strong = "H3588" man|strong = "H0120" is|strong = "H1121"  
born|strong = "H3205" to|strong = "H3205" trouble|strong = "H5999",

**a** s|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3588" sparks fly|strong = "H5774"  
upward.

8"But|strong = "H0199" as|strong = "H0589" for|strong = "H0413"  
me|strong = "H0413", I|strong = "H0589" would seek|strong = "H1875"  
God|strong = "H0430".

**I** |strong = "H0589" would commit my|strong = "H7760"  
cause|strong = "H1700" to|strong = "H0413" God|strong = "H0430",

9who|strong = "H0369" does|strong = "H6213" great|strong = "H1419"  
things|strong = "H1419" that|strong = "H5704" can't be|strong = "H0369"  
fathomed,

**m** arvellous things without number;

10who gives rain on the earth,

**a** nd sends waters on the fields;

11so that he sets up on high those who are low,

**t** hose who mourn are exalted to safety.

12He frustrates the plans of the crafty,

**s** o that their hands can't perform their enterprise.

13He takes the wise in their own craftiness;

**t** he counsel of the cunning is carried headlong.

14They meet with darkness in the day time,

**a** nd grope at noonday as in the night.

15But he saves from the sword of their mouth,

e ven|strong = "H0034" the|strong = "H3027" needy|strong = "H0034"  
from|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027" hand|strong = "H3027"  
of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027" mighty|strong = "H2389".

16So|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" poor|strong = "H1800"  
has|strong = "H1961" hope|strong = "H8615",

a nd|strong = "H6310" injustice|strong = "H5766" shuts|strong = "H7092"  
her|strong = "H1961" mouth|strong = "H6310".

17"Behold|strong = "H2009", happy|strong = "H0835" is|strong = "H2009"  
the|strong = "H2009" man|strong = "H0582" whom|strong = "H0582"  
God|strong = "H0433" corrects|strong = "H3198".

**T** herefore do|strong = "H0408" not|strong = "H0408"  
despise|strong = "H3988" the|strong = "H2009" chastening|strong = "H4148"  
of|strong = "H0433" the|strong = "H2009" Almighty|strong = "H7706".

18For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931" wounds|strong = "H4272"  
and|strong = "H3027" binds|strong = "H2280" up|strong = "H2280".

**H** e|strong = "H1931" injures and|strong = "H3027" his|strong = "H3027"  
hands|strong = "H3027" make|strong = "H3588" whole.

19He|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" deliver|strong = "H5337"  
you|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H3808" six|strong = "H8337" troubles;

y es, in|strong = "H3808" seven|strong = "H7651" no|strong = "H3808"  
evil|strong = "H7451" will|strong = "H3808" touch|strong = "H5060"  
you|strong = "H3808".

20In|strong = "H7458" famine|strong = "H7458" he|strong = "H4194"  
will|strong = "H2719" redeem|strong = "H6299" you|strong = "H3027"  
from|strong = "H3027" death|strong = "H4194";

**i** n|strong = "H7458" war|strong = "H4421", from|strong = "H3027"  
the|strong = "H3027" power|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H3027"  
the|strong = "H3027" sword|strong = "H2719".

21You|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"  
hidden|strong = "H2244" from|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H3588"  
scourge|strong = "H7752" of|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H3588"  
tongue|strong = "H3956",



**n** either|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" you|strong="H3588"  
 be|strong="H3808" afraid|strong="H3372" of|strong="H0935"  
 destruction|strong="H7701" when|strong="H3588" it|strong="H3588"  
 comes|strong="H0935".

22You|strong="H0776" will|strong="H0776" laugh|strong="H7832"  
 at|strong="H7832" destruction|strong="H7701" and|strong="H0776"  
 famine|strong="H3720",

**n** either|strong="H0408" will|strong="H0776" you|strong="H0776"  
 be|strong="H0408" afraid|strong="H3372" of|strong="H0776"  
 the|strong="H3372" animals|strong="H2416" of|strong="H0776"  
 the|strong="H3372" earth|strong="H0776".

23For|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" will|strong="H7704"  
 be|strong="H3588" allied|strong="H1285" with|strong="H5973"  
 the|strong="H3588" stones|strong="H0068" of|strong="H7704"  
 the|strong="H3588" field|strong="H7704".

**T** he|strong="H3588" animals|strong="H2416" of|strong="H7704"  
 the|strong="H3588" field|strong="H7704" will|strong="H7704"  
 be|strong="H3588" at|strong="H1285" peace with|strong="H5973"  
 you|strong="H3588".

24You|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3808" know|strong="H3045"  
 that|strong="H3588" your|strong="H3045" tent|strong="H0168"  
 is|strong="H0168" in|strong="H3808" peace|strong="H7965".

**Y** ou|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3808" visit|strong="H6485"  
 your|strong="H3045" fold, and|strong="H3045" will|strong="H3808"  
 miss|strong="H6485" nothing|strong="H3808".

25You|strong="H3588" will|strong="H0776" know|strong="H3045"  
 also|strong="H3045" that|strong="H3588" your|strong="H3045"  
 offspring|strong="H2233"<sup>4</sup> will|strong="H0776" be|strong="H0776"  
 great|strong="H7227",

**y** our|strong="H3045" offspring|strong="H2233" as|strong="H3588"  
 the|strong="H3588" grass|strong="H6212" of|strong="H0776"  
 the|strong="H3588" earth|strong="H0776".

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<sup>4</sup> + 5:25 or, seed

26 You will come to  
 your grave  
 in a full  
 age,

1 like a shock of grain  
 comes in its  
 season.

27 Behold, we have  
 researched it. It is  
 so.

Hear it, and  
 know it for  
 your good.

6 Then Job answered,

2 "Oh that my  
 anguish were weighed,

and all my calamity  
 laid in the  
 balances!

3 For now it  
 would be heavier  
 than the sand  
 of the seas,

therefore my words  
 have been rash.

4 For the arrows  
 of the Almighty  
 are within me.

My spirit drinks  
 up their poison.

**T** he|strong="H0834" terrors|strong="H1161" of|strong="H7307"  
God|strong="H0433" set|strong="H0834" themselves in|strong="H7307"  
array against me|strong="H5978".

5Does|strong="H0518" the|strong="H5921" wild|strong="H6501"  
donkey|strong="H6501" bray|strong="H5101" when|strong="H0518"  
he|strong="H0518" has|strong="H0518" grass|strong="H1877"?

**O** r|strong="H0518" does|strong="H0518" the|strong="H5921"  
ox|strong="H7794" low|strong="H1600" over|strong="H5921"  
his|strong="H5921" fodder|strong="H1098"?

6Can|strong="H0518" that|strong="H1097" which has|strong="H3426"  
no|strong="H1097" flavour be eaten|strong="H0398"  
without|strong="H1097" salt|strong="H4417"?

**O** r|strong="H0518" is|strong="H3426" there|strong="H3426"  
any|strong="H3426" taste|strong="H2940" in|strong="H0398"  
the|strong="H0398" white|strong="H2495" of|strong="H0398"  
an|strong="H3426" egg|strong="H2495"?

7My|strong="H5060" soul|strong="H5315" refuses|strong="H3985"  
to|strong="H3985" touch|strong="H5060" them|strong="H1992".

**T** hey|strong="H1992" are|strong="H1992" as|strong="H5315"  
loathsome|strong="H1741" food|strong="H3899" to|strong="H3985"  
me|strong="H5315".

8"O|strong="H4310" that|strong="H4310" I|strong="H5414"  
might|strong="H7596" have|strong="H5414" my|strong="H5414"  
request|strong="H7596",

**t** hat|strong="H4310" God|strong="H0433" would|strong="H4310"  
grant|strong="H5414" the|strong="H0935" thing|strong="H7596"  
that|strong="H4310" I|strong="H5414" long for|strong="H5414",

9even that|strong="H3027" it|strong="H1214" would|strong="H0433"  
please|strong="H2974" God|strong="H0433" to|strong="H3027"  
crush|strong="H1792" me|strong="H1792";

**t** hat|strong="H3027" he|strong="H3027" would|strong="H0433" let  
loose his|strong="H3027" hand|strong="H3027", and|strong="H3027"  
cut|strong="H1214" me|strong="H1792" off|strong="H1214"!

10 Let it still be my consolation,

yes, let me exult in pain that doesn't spare,

that I have not denied the words of Holy One.

11 What is my strength, that I should wait?

What is my end, that I should be patient?

12 Is my strength the strength of stones?

Or is my flesh of bronze?

13 Isn't it that I have no help in,

that wisdom is driven away from me?

14 "To him who is ready to faint, kindness should be shown from his friend";

even to him who forsakes the fear of Almighty.

15My brothers have dealt deceitfully as a brook,

as the channels of the brooks that pass away;

16which are black by reason of the ice,

in which the snow hides itself.

17In the dry season they vanish.

When it is hot, they are consumed out of their place.

18The caravans that travel beside them turn away.

They go up into the waste, and perish.

19The caravans of Tema looked

the companies of Sheba waited for them.

20They were distressed because they were confident.

They came there, and were confounded.

21 For you now you are  
are nothing.

You see a  
terror, and are  
afraid.

22 Did I ever say,  
'Give me to me'?

- o r, 'Offer a present  
for me from your  
substance?'

23 or, 'Deliver me  
from the adversary's  
hand?'

- o r, 'Redeem me  
from the hand  
of the oppressors?'

24 'Teach me, and I  
will hold my peace.

C ause me to  
understand my error.

25 How forcible are  
words of  
uprightness!

- B ut your reproof,  
what does it  
reprove?'

26 Do you intend to  
reprove words,

s ince the speeches of  
one who is  
desperate are  
as wind?'

27 Yes, you would even cast lots for the fatherless,

a nd your friend.

28 Now be pleased to look at me,

f or surely I will not lie to your face.

29 Please return.

L et there be no injustice.

Y es, return again.

M y cause is righteous.

30 Is there injustice on my tongue?

C an't my taste discern mischievous things?

7 "Isn't a man forced to labour on earth?"

A ren't his days like the days of a hired hand?

2 As a servant who earnestly desires the shadow,

a s a hireling who looks for his wages,

3so I am made to possess months of misery,

w earisome nights are appointed to me.

4When I lie down, I say,

‘ When will I arise, and the night be gone?’

I toss and turn until the dawning of the day.

5My flesh is clothed with worms and clods of dust.

M y skin closes up, and breaks out afresh.

6My days are swifter than a weaver’s shuttle,

and are spent without hope.

7Oh remember that my life is as a breath.

M y eye will no more see good.



8The|strong = "H3808" eye|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H5869" him  
 who|strong = "H0369" sees|strong = "H7210" me|strong = "H3808"  
 will|strong = "H5869" see|strong = "H5869" me|strong = "H3808"  
 no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H0369".

Y our|strong = "H3808" eyes|strong = "H5869" will|strong = "H5869"  
 be|strong = "H3808" on|strong = "H3808" me|strong = "H3808",  
 but|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H5869"  
 not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808".

9As|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H3651" cloud|strong = "H6051"  
 is|strong = "H3651" consumed|strong = "H3615" and|strong = "H3381"  
 vanishes|strong = "H3615" away|strong = "H5927",

s o|strong = "H3651" he|strong = "H3651" who|strong = "H3808"  
 goes|strong = "H5927" down|strong = "H3381" to|strong = "H3381"  
 Sheol|strong = "H7585"<sup>5</sup> will|strong = "H3808" come|strong = "H5927"  
 up|strong = "H5927" no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H3651".

10He|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1004" return|strong = "H7725"  
 no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H5750" to|strong = "H7725"  
 his|strong = "H7725" house|strong = "H1004",

n either|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1004" his|strong = "H7725"  
 place|strong = "H4725" know|strong = "H5234" him|strong = "H7725"  
 any|strong = "H5750" more|strong = "H5750".

11"Therefore|strong = "H1571" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H1571"  
 not|strong = "H3808" keep|strong = "H2820" silent|strong = "H6310".

I |strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H1571" speak|strong = "H1696"  
 in|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H0589" anguish of|strong = "H7307"  
 my|strong = "H1696" spirit|strong = "H7307".

I |strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H1571" complain|strong = "H7878"  
 in|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H0589" bitterness|strong = "H4751"  
 of|strong = "H7307" my|strong = "H1696" soul|strong = "H5315".

12Am|strong = "H0589" I|strong = "H0589" a|strong = "H3588"  
 sea|strong = "H3220", or|strong = "H0518" a|strong = "H3588"  
 sea|strong = "H3220" monster|strong = "H8577",

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<sup>5</sup> + 7:9 Sheol is the place of the dead.

t hat|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" put|strong="H7760"  
a|strong="H3588" guard|strong="H4929" over|strong="H5921"  
me|strong="H5921"?

13When|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" say|strong="H0559",  
'My|strong="H3588" bed|strong="H4904" will|strong="H6210"  
comfort|strong="H5162" me|strong="H3588".

M y|strong="H3588" couch|strong="H6210" will|strong="H6210"  
ease|strong="H5375" my|strong="H3588" complaint,'

14then you|strong="H2865" scare me|strong="H2472" with  
dreams|strong="H2472"

a nd|strong="H2865" terrify|strong="H1204" me|strong="H2472"  
through visions|strong="H2384",

15so that|strong="H5315" my|strong="H0977" soul|strong="H5315"  
chooses|strong="H0977" strangling,

d eath|strong="H4194" rather than my|strong="H0977"  
bones|strong="H6106".

16I|strong="H3588" loathe my|strong="H3588" life|strong="H3117".

I |strong="H3588" don't|strong="H3808" want to|strong="H3117"  
live|strong="H2421" forever|strong="H5769".

L eave|strong="H2308" me|strong="H4480" alone|strong="H2308",  
for|strong="H3588" my|strong="H3588" days|strong="H3117"  
are|strong="H3117" but|strong="H3588" a|strong="H3588"  
breath|strong="H1892".

17What|strong="H4100" is|strong="H4100" man|strong="H0582",  
that|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" should|strong="H4100"  
magnify|strong="H1431" him|strong="H0413",

t hat|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" should|strong="H4100"  
set|strong="H7896" your|strong="H3588" mind|strong="H3820"  
on|strong="H0413" him|strong="H0413",

18that|strong = "H6485" you|strong = "H6485" should  
visit|strong = "H6485" him|strong = "H6485" every|strong = "H1242"  
morning|strong = "H1242",

**a** nd|strong = "H1242" test|strong = "H0974" him|strong = "H6485"  
every|strong = "H1242" moment|strong = "H7281"?

19How|strong = "H4100" long|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H3808"  
you|strong = "H5704" not|strong = "H3808" look|strong = "H8159"  
away|strong = "H4480" from|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480",

**n** or|strong = "H3808" leave|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480"  
alone|strong = "H7503" until|strong = "H5704" I|strong = "H5704"  
swallow|strong = "H1104" down my|strong = "H4480"  
spittle|strong = "H7536"?

20If|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H7760" have|strong = "H1961"  
sinned|strong = "H2398", what|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H6466"  
I|strong = "H7760" do|strong = "H6466" to|strong = "H1961"  
you|strong = "H5921", you|strong = "H5921" watcher|strong = "H5341"  
of|strong = "H5921" men|strong = "H0120"?

**W** hy|strong = "H4100" have|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H5921"  
set|strong = "H7760" me|strong = "H5921" as|strong = "H1961"  
a|strong = "H1961" mark|strong = "H7760" for|strong = "H5921"  
you|strong = "H5921",

**s** o|strong = "H1961" that|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H7760"  
am|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" burden|strong = "H4853"  
to|strong = "H1961" myself?

21Why|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H3588"  
not|strong = "H3808" pardon|strong = "H5375" my|strong = "H3588"  
disobedience, and|strong = "H0853" take|strong = "H5375"  
away|strong = "H5375" my|strong = "H3588" iniquity|strong = "H5771"?

**F** or|strong = "H3588" now|strong = "H6258" will|strong = "H0369"  
I|strong = "H3588" lie|strong = "H7901" down|strong = "H7901"  
in|strong = "H7901" the|strong = "H0853" dust|strong = "H6083".

**Y**ou will seek me diligently, but I will not be.”

8Then Bildad the Shuhite answered,

2“How long will you speak these things?”

**S**hall the words of your mouth be a mighty wind?”

3Does God pervert justice?”

**O**r does the Almighty pervert righteousness?”

4If your children have sinned against him,

**h**e has delivered them into the hand of their disobedience.

5If you want to seek God diligently,

**m**ake your supplication to the Almighty.”

6If you were pure and upright,

surely now he would awaken for you,

and make the habitation of your righteousness prosperous.

7Though your beginning was small,

yet your latter end would greatly increase.

8“Please enquire of past generations.

Find out about the learning of their fathers.

9(For we are but of yesterday, and know nothing,

because our days on earth are as a shadow.)

10Shall they not teach you, tell you,

and utter words out of their heart?

11“Can the papyrus grow up without mire?

Can the rushes grow without water?”

12While it is  
yet in its greenness,  
not cut down,

it withers before  
any other reed.

13So are the  
paths of all  
who forget God.

The hope of  
the godless man  
will perish,

14whose confidence  
will break apart,

whose trust is  
a spider's web.

15He will lean  
on his house,  
but it will  
not stand.

He will cling to  
it, but it  
will not endure.

16He is green before  
the sun.

His shoots go  
out along his  
garden.

17His roots are  
wrapped around  
the rock pile.

He sees the  
place of stones.

18 If he is destroyed from his place,

then it will deny him, saying, 'I have not seen you.'

19 Behold, this is the joy of his way.

Out of the earth, others will spring.

20 "Behold, God will not cast away a blameless man,

neither will he uphold the evildoers.

21 He will still fill your mouth with laughter,

your lips with shouting.

22 Those who hate you will be clothed with shame.

The tent of the wicked will be no more.

9 Then Job answered,

2“Truly I know  
that it is  
so”,

**b** ut how can  
man be just  
with God?

3If he is  
pleased to contend  
with him,

**h** e can't answer  
him one time in  
a thousand.

4God is  
in heart, and  
mighty in strength.

**W** ho has hardened  
himself against him  
and prospered?

5He removes the  
mountains, and they  
don't know it,

**w** hen he overturns  
them in his  
anger.

6He shakes the  
earth out of its  
place.

**I** ts pillars tremble.

7He commands the  
sun and it doesn't  
rise,



and seals up the stars.

8He alone stretches out the heavens,

and treads on the waves of the sea.

9He makes the Bear, Orion, and the Pleiades,

and the rooms of the south.

10He does great things past finding out;

yes, marvellous things without number.

11Behold, he goes by me, and I don't see him.

He passes on also, but I don't perceive him.

12Behold, he snatches away.

Who can hinder him?

Who will ask him, 'What are you doing?'

13“God will not withdraw his anger”.

The helpers of Rahab stoop under him.

14How much less will I answer him,

and words to argue with him?

15Though I were righteous, yet I wouldn't answer him.

I would make supplication to my judge.

16If I had called him, and he had answered me,

yet I wouldn't believe that he listened to my voice.

17For he breaks me with a storm,

and wounds me without cause.

18He will not allow me to catch my breath,

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" fills me|strong = "H5414" with|strong = "H7646"  
bitterness|strong = "H4472".

19If|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H0518" is|strong = "H4310"  
a|strong = "H0518" matter of|strong = "H4941" strength|strong = "H3581",  
behold|strong = "H2009", he|strong = "H0518" is|strong = "H4310"  
mighty|strong = "H0533"!

**I** f|strong = "H0518" of|strong = "H4941" justice|strong = "H4941",  
'Who|strong = "H4310",' says he|strong = "H0518", 'will|strong = "H4310"  
summon|strong = "H3259" me|strong = "H3259"?'

20Though|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0589" am|strong = "H0589"  
righteous|strong = "H6663", my|strong = "H0518" own  
mouth|strong = "H6310" will|strong = "H0589" condemn|strong = "H7561"  
me|strong = "H0589".

**T** hough|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0589" am|strong = "H0589"  
blameless|strong = "H8535", it|strong = "H0518" will|strong = "H0589" prove  
me|strong = "H0589" perverse.

21I|strong = "H0589" am|strong = "H0589" blameless|strong = "H8535".

**I** |strong = "H0589" don't|strong = "H3808" respect  
myself|strong = "H0589".

**I** |strong = "H0589" despise|strong = "H3988" my|strong = "H3045"  
life|strong = "H5315".

22"It|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" all|strong = "H0259"  
the|strong = "H0559" same|strong = "H1931".

**T** herefore|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3651" say|strong = "H0559"  
he|strong = "H1931" destroys|strong = "H3615" the|strong = "H0559"  
blameless|strong = "H8535" and|strong = "H0259" the|strong = "H0559"  
wicked|strong = "H7563".

23If|strong = "H0518" the|strong = "H0518" scourge|strong = "H7752"  
kills|strong = "H4191" suddenly|strong = "H6597",

**h** e|strong = "H0518" will|strong = "H0518" mock|strong = "H3932"  
at|strong = "H4191" the|strong = "H0518" trial of|strong = "H4191"  
the|strong = "H0518" innocent|strong = "H5355".

24The earth is given into the hand of the wicked.

He covers the faces of its judges.

If not he, then who is it?

25“Now my days are swifter than a runner’s.”

They flee away. They see no good.

26They have passed away as the swift ships,

as the eagle that swoops on the prey.

27If I say, ‘I will forget my complaint,’

I will put off my sad face, and cheer up,’

28I am afraid of all my sorrows.

I know that you will not hold me innocent.

29I will be  
condemned.

Why then do  
I labour in vain?

30If I wash  
with snow,

and cleanse  
my hands  
with lye,

31yet you will  
plunge me in  
the ditch.

My own clothes  
will  
abhor me.

32For he is  
not a man,  
as I am, that  
I should  
answer  
him,

that we should  
come together  
in  
judgement.

33There is no  
umpire between us,

that might lay  
his hand on  
us  
both.

34Let him take  
his rod away  
from me.

Let his terror  
not make me  
afraid;

35then I would speak, and I fear him,

for I am not so in myself.

10“My soul is weary of my life.”

I will give free course to my complaint.

I will speak in the bitterness of my soul.

2I will tell God, ‘Do not condemn me.’

How me why you contend with me.

3Is it good to you that you should oppress,

that you should despise the work of your hands,

and smile on the counsel of the wicked?”

4Do you have eyes of flesh?”

O r|strong = "H0518" do|strong = "H0518" you|strong = "H0518"  
see|strong = "H7200" as|strong = "H7200" man|strong = "H0582"  
sees|strong = "H7200"?

5Are|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H0518" days|strong = "H3117"  
as|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" days|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3117" mortals,

o r|strong = "H0518" your|strong = "H0518" years|strong = "H8141"  
as|strong = "H3117" man's|strong = "H0582" years|strong = "H8141",

6that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" enquire  
after|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H1245" iniquity|strong = "H5771",

a nd|strong = "H5771" search|strong = "H1245" after|strong = "H3588"  
my|strong = "H1245" sin|strong = "H2403"?

7Although|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H1847"  
that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am not|strong = "H3808"  
wicked|strong = "H7561",

t here|strong = "H0369" is|strong = "H0369" no|strong = "H3808"  
one|strong = "H0369" who|strong = "H0369" can|strong = "H0369"  
deliver|strong = "H5337" out|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H3027"  
your|strong = "H5921" hand|strong = "H3027".

8"Your|strong = "H3027" hands|strong = "H3027" have|strong = "H3027"  
framed me and|strong = "H3027" fashioned|strong = "H6213" me  
altogether|strong = "H3162",

y et you|strong = "H6213" destroy|strong = "H6213" me.

9Remember|strong = "H2142", I|strong = "H3588" beg|strong = "H4994"  
you|strong = "H3588", that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
have|strong = "H3588" fashioned|strong = "H6213" me|strong = "H0413"  
as|strong = "H3588" clay.

W ill|strong = "H6083" you|strong = "H3588" bring|strong = "H7725"  
me|strong = "H0413" into|strong = "H0413" dust|strong = "H6083"  
again|strong = "H7725"?

10 Haven't you poured  
me like milk,

and curdled me like  
cheese?"

11 You have clothed me  
with skin and  
flesh,

and knit me together with  
bones and sinews.

12 You have granted  
me life and loving  
kindness.

Your visitation has  
preserved my spirit.

13 Yet you hid these  
things in your  
heart.

I know that this  
is with you:

14 If I sin,  
then you mark  
me.

You will not  
acquit me from  
my iniquity.

15 If I am wicked,  
woe to me.



**I** f|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0518" am righteous|strong = "H6663",  
I|strong = "H0518" still will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
lift|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5375" my|strong = "H5375"  
head|strong = "H7218",

**b** eing|strong = "H7646" filled|strong = "H7646" with|strong = "H7646"  
disgrace|strong = "H7036",

**a** nd|strong = "H7218" conscious|strong = "H7202" of|strong = "H7218"  
my|strong = "H5375" affliction.

16If|strong = "H1342" my|strong = "H7725" head is held high,  
you|strong = "H7725" hunt|strong = "H6679" me|strong = "H7725"  
like|strong = "H7725" a|strong = "H7725" lion|strong = "H7826".

**A** gain|strong = "H7725" you|strong = "H7725" show|strong = "H6381"  
yourself powerful to|strong = "H7725" me|strong = "H7725".

17You|strong = "H5973" renew|strong = "H2318" your|strong = "H5973"  
witnesses|strong = "H5707" against|strong = "H5973" me|strong = "H5978",

**a** nd|strong = "H6635" increase|strong = "H7235" your|strong = "H5973"  
indignation on|strong = "H5973" me|strong = "H5978".

**C** hanges|strong = "H2487" and|strong = "H6635" warfare|strong = "H6635"  
are|strong = "H5973" with|strong = "H5973" me|strong = "H5978".

18"“Why|strong = "H4100", then|strong = "H3318", have|strong = "H5869"  
you|strong = "H3808" brought|strong = "H3318" me|strong = "H7200"  
out|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H5869" the|strong = "H7200"  
womb|strong = "H7358"?”

**I** |strong = "H7200" wish I|strong = "H7200" had|strong = "H5869" given  
up|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200" spirit, and|strong = "H5869"  
no|strong = "H3808" eye|strong = "H5869" had|strong = "H5869"  
seen|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7200".

19I|strong = "H0834" should have|strong = "H1961" been|strong = "H1961"  
as|strong = "H0834" though I|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834"  
not|strong = "H3808" been|strong = "H1961".

I |strong="H0834" should have|strong="H1961" been|strong="H1961" carried|strong="H2986" from|strong="H1961" the|strong="H0834" womb|strong="H0990" to|strong="H1961" the|strong="H0834" grave|strong="H6913".

20Aren't my|strong="H4480" days|strong="H3117" few|strong="H4592"?

S top|strong="H2308"!

L eave|strong="H2308" me|strong="H4480" alone|strong="H2308", that|strong="H3117" I|strong="H3117" may|strong="H3808" find a|strong="H4480" little|strong="H4592" comfort|strong="H1082",

21before|strong="H2962" I|strong="H2962" go|strong="H7725" where|strong="H3808" I|strong="H2962" will|strong="H0776" not|strong="H3808" return|strong="H7725" from|strong="H7725",

t o|strong="H0413" the|strong="H0413" land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H0776" darkness|strong="H2822" and|strong="H0776" of|strong="H0776" the|strong="H0413" shadow|strong="H6757" of|strong="H0776" death|strong="H6757";

22the|strong="H3808" land|strong="H0776" dark|strong="H6757" as|strong="H3644" midnight,

o f|strong="H0776" the|strong="H3808" shadow|strong="H6757" of|strong="H0776" death|strong="H6757",

w ithout|strong="H3808" any|strong="H3808" order|strong="H5468",

w here|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3808" light is|strong="H0776" as|strong="H3644" midnight."

11Then|strong="H6030" Zophar|strong="H6691", the|strong="H0559" Naamathite|strong="H5284", answered|strong="H0559",

2"Shouldn't the|strong="H0518" multitude|strong="H7230" of|strong="H0376" words|strong="H1697" be|strong="H3808" answered|strong="H6030"?

**S** hould|strong="H0376" a|strong="H0518" man|strong="H0376" full  
of|strong="H0376" talk|strong="H1697" be|strong="H3808"  
justified|strong="H6663"?

3Should|strong="H0369" your|strong="H4962" boastings make  
men|strong="H4962" hold their|strong="H0369" peace?

**W** hen you mock|strong="H3932", will|strong="H0369"  
no|strong="H0369" man|strong="H0369" make you  
ashamed|strong="H3637"?

4For|strong="H5869" you|strong="H1961" say|strong="H0559",  
'My|strong="H1961" doctrine is|strong="H1961" pure|strong="H2134".'

**I** |strong="H0559" am|strong="H1961" clean|strong="H1249"  
in|strong="H1961" your|strong="H1961" eyes|strong="H5869".'

5But|strong="H0199" oh|strong="H4310" that|strong="H4310"  
God|strong="H0433" would|strong="H4310" speak|strong="H1696",

**a** nd|strong="H1696" open|strong="H6605" his|strong="H5414"  
lips|strong="H8193" against|strong="H5973" you|strong="H5414",

6that|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" would|strong="H0433"  
show|strong="H3045" you|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588"  
secrets|strong="H8587" of|strong="H5771" wisdom|strong="H2451"!

**F** or|strong="H3588" true wisdom|strong="H2451" has|strong="H3588"  
two|strong="H3718" sides|strong="H3718".

**K** now|strong="H3045" therefore|strong="H3045" that|strong="H3588"  
God|strong="H0433" exacts of|strong="H5771" you|strong="H3588"  
less|strong="H3588" than|strong="H3588" your|strong="H3045"  
iniquity|strong="H5771" deserves.

7"Can|strong="H0518" you|strong="H0518" fathom  
the|strong="H5704" mystery of|strong="H0433" God|strong="H0433"?"

**O** r|strong="H0518" can|strong="H0518" you|strong="H0518" probe  
the|strong="H5704" limits|strong="H8503" of|strong="H0433"  
the|strong="H5704" Almighty|strong="H7706"?"

8They are high  
as heaven. What  
can you do?

They are deeper than  
Sheol.<sup>6</sup> What can  
you know?

9Its measure is  
longer than the  
earth,

and broader than  
the sea.

10If he passes  
by, or confines,

o r he convenes a court,  
then who can oppose  
him?

11For he knows  
false men.

He sees iniquity  
also, even though  
he doesn't consider  
it.

12An empty-headed man becomes wise

when a man  
is born as  
a wild donkey's colt.

13If you set  
your heart aright,

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<sup>6</sup> + 11:8 Sheol is the place of the dead.

s tretch|strong = "H6566" out|strong = "H0413" your|strong = "H0518"  
hands|strong = "H3709" towards him|strong = "H0413".

14If|strong = "H0518" iniquity|strong = "H0205" is|strong = "H3027"  
in|strong = "H7931" your|strong = "H0518" hand|strong = "H3027",  
put|strong = "H7368" it|strong = "H0518" far|strong = "H7368"  
away|strong = "H7368".

D on't|strong = "H0408" let|strong = "H0408"  
unrighteousness|strong = "H5766" dwell|strong = "H7931"  
in|strong = "H7931" your|strong = "H0518" tents|strong = "H0168".

15Surely|strong = "H3588" then|strong = "H0227" you|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H1961" lift|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5375"  
your|strong = "H6440" face|strong = "H6440" without|strong = "H3808"  
spot|strong = "H3971".

Y es|strong = "H3588", you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H1961" steadfast|strong = "H3332", and|strong = "H6440"  
will|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H3808" fear|strong = "H3372",

16for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H0859" will|strong = "H4325"  
forget|strong = "H7911" your|strong = "H3588" misery|strong = "H5999".

Y ou|strong = "H0859" will|strong = "H4325" remember|strong = "H2142"  
it|strong = "H3588" like waters|strong = "H4325" that|strong = "H3588"  
have|strong = "H0859" passed|strong = "H5674" away|strong = "H5674".

17Life|strong = "H2465" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" clearer  
than the|strong = "H1961" noonday.

T hough there|strong = "H1961" is|strong = "H1961" darkness,  
it|strong = "H1961" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
as|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" morning|strong = "H1242".

18You|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3426" be|strong = "H3588"  
secure|strong = "H0982", because|strong = "H3588" there|strong = "H3426"  
is|strong = "H3426" hope|strong = "H8615".

Y es|strong = "H3588", you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3426"  
search|strong = "H2658", and|strong = "H7901" will|strong = "H3426"  
take|strong = "H7901" your|strong = "H3588" rest|strong = "H7901"  
in|strong = "H0982" safety|strong = "H0983".

19Also you will lie down, and no one will make you afraid.

Yes, many will court your favour.

20But the eyes of the wicked will fail.

They will have no way to flee.

Their hope will be given up, the spirit of the righteous will be broken.

12Then Job answered,

2“No doubt, but you are the people,

and wisdom will die with you.

3But I have understanding as well as you;

I am not inferior to you.

Yes, who doesn't know such things as these?

4I am like one who jokes with his neighbour,

I |strong = "H1961", who|strong = "H6662" called|strong = "H7121"  
on|strong = "H1961" God|strong = "H0433", and|strong = "H7453"  
he|strong = "H7121" answered|strong = "H6030".

T he|strong = "H7121" just|strong = "H6662", the|strong = "H7121"  
blameless|strong = "H8549" man|strong = "H6662" is|strong = "H6662"  
a|strong = "H1961" joke|strong = "H7814".

5In|strong = "H3559" the|strong = "H3559" thought of|strong = "H7272"  
him who|strong = "H7600" is at ease|strong = "H7600" there is  
contempt|strong = "H0937" for|strong = "H3559" misfortune.

I t|strong = "H3559" is ready|strong = "H3559" for|strong = "H3559" them  
whose foot|strong = "H7272" slips.

6The|strong = "H0834" tents|strong = "H0168" of|strong = "H0168"  
robbers|strong = "H7703" prosper|strong = "H7951".

T hose|strong = "H0834" who|strong = "H0834" provoke|strong = "H7264"  
God|strong = "H0410" are|strong = "H0834" secure|strong = "H0987",

w ho|strong = "H0834" carry|strong = "H0935" their|strong = "H0935"  
god|strong = "H0410" in|strong = "H0935" their|strong = "H0935"  
hands|strong = "H3027".

7"But|strong = "H0199" ask|strong = "H7592" the|strong = "H5046"  
animals|strong = "H0929" now|strong = "H4994", and|strong = "H8064" they  
will|strong = "H8064" teach|strong = "H3384" you|strong = "H5046";

t he|strong = "H5046" birds|strong = "H5775" of|strong = "H7592"  
the|strong = "H5046" sky|strong = "H8064", and|strong = "H8064" they  
will|strong = "H8064" tell|strong = "H5046" you|strong = "H5046".

8Or|strong = "H0176" speak|strong = "H7878" to|strong = "H0776"  
the|strong = "H0176" earth|strong = "H0776", and|strong = "H0776"  
it|strong = "H0176" will|strong = "H0776" teach|strong = "H3384"  
you|strong = "H0776".

T he|strong = "H0176" fish|strong = "H1709" of|strong = "H0776"  
the|strong = "H0176" sea|strong = "H3220" will|strong = "H0776"  
declare|strong = "H5608" to|strong = "H0776" you|strong = "H0776".

9Who doesn't know that  
in these

the LORD's hand  
has done this,

10in whose hand  
is the life  
of every living  
thing,

and the breath  
of all mankind?

11Doesn't the ear  
try

even as the  
palate tastes its  
food?

12With aged men  
is wisdom,

in length of  
days understanding.

13"With God  
wisdom and might.

He has counsel  
and understanding.

14Behold, he breaks  
down, and it  
can't be built again.

He imprisons a  
man, and there can  
be no release.



15 Behold, he withholds the waters, and they dry up.

Again, he sends them out, and they overturn the earth.

16 With him is strength and wisdom.

The deceived and the deceiver are his.

17 He leads counsellors away stripped.

He makes judges fools.

18 He loosens the bond of kings.

He binds their waist with a belt.

19 He leads priests away stripped,

and overthrows the mighty.

20 He removes the speech of those who are trusted,

and takes away the understanding of the elders.

21 He pours contempt on princes,

a nd loosens the belt of the strong.

22He uncovers deep things out of darkness,

a nd brings out to light the shadow of death.

23He increases the nations, and he destroys them.

He enlarges the nations, and he leads them captive.

24He takes away understanding from the chiefs of people of the earth,

a nd causes them to wander in wilderness where there is no way.

25They grope in the dark without light.

He makes them stagger like a drunken man.

13“Behold, my eye has seen this.”

My ear has heard  
and understood  
it.

2What you know,  
I know also.

I am not  
inferior to you.

3“Surely I would  
speak to the  
Almighty.”

I desire to  
reason with God.

4But you are forgers  
of lies.

You are all  
physicians of no value.

5Oh that you  
would be  
completely  
silent!

Then you would  
be wise.

6Hear now my  
reasoning.

Listen to the  
pleadings of my lips.

7Will you speak  
unrighteously for God,

and talk deceitfully  
for him?

8 Will you show partiality to him?

Will you contend for God?

9 Is it good that he should search you out?

Or as one deceives a man, will you deceive him?

10 He will surely reprove you.

11 If you secretly show partiality.

11 Won't his majesty make you afraid?

and his dread fall on you?

12 Your memorable sayings are proverbs of ashes.

Your defences are defences of clay.

13 "Be silent!"

Leave me alone, that I may speak.

Let come on me what will.

14Why|strong="H4100" should|strong="H4100" I|strong="H7760"  
take|strong="H5375" my|strong="H7760" flesh|strong="H1320"  
in|strong="H5921" my|strong="H7760" teeth|strong="H8127",

a nd|strong="H3709" put|strong="H7760" my|strong="H7760"  
life|strong="H5315" in|strong="H5921" my|strong="H7760"  
hand|strong="H3709"?

15Behold|strong="H2005", he|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808"  
kill me|strong="H0413".

I |strong="H2005" have|strong="H3808" no|strong="H3808"  
hope|strong="H3176".

N evertheless|strong="H0389", I|strong="H2005" will|strong="H3808"  
maintain my|strong="H3808" ways|strong="H1870"  
before|strong="H6440" him|strong="H0413".

16This|strong="H1931" also|strong="H1571" will|strong="H1571"  
be|strong="H3808" my|strong="H0935" salvation|strong="H3444",

t hat|strong="H3588" a|strong="H3588" godless|strong="H2611"  
man|strong="H2611" will|strong="H1571" not|strong="H3808"  
come|strong="H0935" before|strong="H6440" him|strong="H6440".

17Listen|strong="H8085" carefully|strong="H8085" to|strong="H8085"  
my|strong="H8085" speech|strong="H4405".

L et my|strong="H8085" declaration|strong="H0262"  
be|strong="H0241" in|strong="H8085" your|strong="H8085"  
ears|strong="H0241".

18See|strong="H2009" now|strong="H4994", I|strong="H0589"  
have|strong="H3045" set my|strong="H3045" cause|strong="H4941"  
in|strong="H4941" order|strong="H4941".

I |strong="H0589" know|strong="H3045" that|strong="H3588"  
I|strong="H0589" am|strong="H0589" righteous|strong="H6663".

19Who|strong="H4310" is|strong="H1931" he|strong="H1931"  
who|strong="H4310" will|strong="H4310" contend|strong="H7378"  
with|strong="H7378" me|strong="H5978"?

**F** or **I** then hold my peace and give up the spirit.

20“Only don’t do two things to me”,

**t** hen **I** will not hide myself from your face:

21 withdraw your hand far from me,

**a** nd don’t let your terror make me afraid.

22 Then call, and I will answer,

**o** r let me speak, and you answer me.

23 How many are my iniquities and sins?

**M** ake me know my disobedience and my sin.

24 Why do you hide your face,

**a** nd consider me your enemy?

25 Will you harass a driven leaf?

W ill you pursue the dry stubble?

26For you write bitter things against me,

a nd make me inherit the iniquities of my youth.

27You also put my feet in the stocks,

a nd mark all my paths.

Y ou set a bound to the soles of my feet,

28though I am decaying like a rotten thing,

l ike a garment that is moth-eaten.

14“Man, who is born of a woman,

i s of few days, and full of trouble.

2He grows up like a flower, and is cut down.

H e also flees like a shadow, and doesn't continue.

3Do you open  
your eyes on  
such a one,

and bring me  
into judgement with  
you?

4Who can bring  
a clean thing out  
of an unclean?

Not one.

5Seeing his days  
are determined,

the number of  
his months is  
with you,

and you have  
appointed his  
bounds that  
he can't  
pass.

6Look away from  
him, that he  
may rest,

until he accomplishes,  
as a hireling, his  
day.

7For there is  
hope for a  
tree if it  
is cut down,

that it will  
sprout again,



t hat|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" tender  
branch|strong = "H6086" of|strong = "H6086" it|strong = "H0518"  
will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808" cease|strong = "H2308".

8Though|strong = "H0518" its|strong = "H0518" root|strong = "H8328"  
grows old|strong = "H2204" in|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0518"  
earth|strong = "H0776",

a nd|strong = "H0776" its|strong = "H0518" stock|strong = "H1503"  
dies|strong = "H4191" in|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0518"  
ground|strong = "H0776",

9yet through the|strong = "H6213" scent of|strong = "H4325"  
water|strong = "H4325" it|strong = "H6213" will|strong = "H4325"  
bud|strong = "H6524",

a nd|strong = "H4325" sprout|strong = "H6524" boughs  
like|strong = "H3644" a|strong = "H3644" plant|strong = "H5194".

10But|strong = "H4191" man|strong = "H0120" dies|strong = "H4191",  
and|strong = "H0120" is|strong = "H0346" laid low.

Y es, man|strong = "H0120" gives up the|strong = "H4191" spirit,  
and|strong = "H0120" where|strong = "H0346" is|strong = "H0346"  
he|strong = "H0120"?

11As|strong = "H4325" the|strong = "H4480" waters|strong = "H4325" fail  
from|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H4480" sea|strong = "H3220",

a nd|strong = "H4325" the|strong = "H4480" river|strong = "H5104" wastes  
and|strong = "H4325" dries|strong = "H3001" up|strong = "H3001",

12so|strong = "H3808" man|strong = "H0376" lies|strong = "H7901"  
down|strong = "H7901" and|strong = "H6965" doesn't|strong = "H3808"  
rise|strong = "H6965".

U ntil|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5704" heavens|strong = "H8064"  
are|strong = "H0376" no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H3808",  
they|strong = "H0376" will|strong = "H0376" not|strong = "H3808"  
awake|strong = "H5782",

**n** or|strong="H3808" be|strong="H3808" roused|strong="H5782"  
out|strong="H0376" of|strong="H0376" their|strong="H3808"  
sleep|strong="H8142".

13“Oh|strong="H4310" that|strong="H4310" you|strong="H5414"  
would|strong="H4310" hide|strong="H5641" me|strong="H5414"  
in|strong="H7585" Sheol|strong="H7585”,<sup>7</sup>

**t** hat|strong="H4310" you|strong="H5414" would|strong="H4310"  
keep|strong="H2142" me|strong="H5414" secret|strong="H5641"  
until|strong="H5704" your|strong="H5414" wrath|strong="H0639"  
is|strong="H4310" past,

**t** hat|strong="H4310" you|strong="H5414" would|strong="H4310"  
appoint|strong="H5414" me|strong="H5414" a|strong="H5414"  
set|strong="H5414" time|strong="H5704" and|strong="H7725"  
remember|strong="H2142" me|strong="H5414"!

14If|strong="H0518" a|strong="H0518" man|strong="H1397"  
dies|strong="H4191", will|strong="H6635" he|strong="H0518"  
live|strong="H2421" again?

**I** |strong="H0518" would|strong="H3605" wait|strong="H3176"  
all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" days|strong="H3117"  
of|strong="H3117" my|strong="H3605" warfare|strong="H6635",

**u** ntil|strong="H5704" my|strong="H3605" release  
should|strong="H0518" come|strong="H0935".

15You|strong="H3027" would|strong="H4639" call|strong="H7121",  
and|strong="H3027" I|strong="H0595" would|strong="H4639"  
answer|strong="H6030" you|strong="H3027".

**Y** ou|strong="H3027" would|strong="H4639" have|strong="H3027"  
a|strong="H7121" desire for|strong="H7121" the|strong="H7121"  
work|strong="H4639" of|strong="H3027" your|strong="H3027"  
hands|strong="H3027".

16But|strong="H3588" now|strong="H6258" you|strong="H3588"  
count|strong="H5608" my|strong="H8104" steps|strong="H6806".

<sup>7</sup> + 14:13 Sheol is the place of the dead.

**D** on't|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H3588" watch|strong = "H8104"  
over|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H8104" sin|strong = "H2403"?

17My|strong = "H5921" disobedience is|strong = "H5771"  
sealed|strong = "H2856" up|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921"  
a|strong = "H5921" bag|strong = "H6872".

**Y** ou|strong = "H5921" fasten up|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921"  
iniquity|strong = "H5771".

18"But|strong = "H0199" the|strong = "H4725" mountain|strong = "H2022"  
falling|strong = "H5307" comes to|strong = "H4725" nothing.

**T** he|strong = "H4725" rock|strong = "H6697" is|strong = "H4725" removed  
out|strong = "H4725" of|strong = "H2022" its place|strong = "H4725".

19The|strong = "H0776" waters|strong = "H4325" wear  
the|strong = "H0776" stones|strong = "H0068".

**T** he|strong = "H0776" torrents of|strong = "H0776" it|strong = "H4325"  
wash|strong = "H7857" away|strong = "H7857" the|strong = "H0776"  
dust|strong = "H6083" of|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0776"  
earth|strong = "H0776".

**S** o you|strong = "H0776" destroy|strong = "H0006" the|strong = "H0776"  
hope|strong = "H8615" of|strong = "H0776" man|strong = "H0582".

20You|strong = "H6440" forever|strong = "H5331" prevail  
against|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H7971", and|strong = "H1980"  
he|strong = "H1980" departs|strong = "H1980".

**Y** ou|strong = "H6440" change his|strong = "H7971" face|strong = "H6440",  
and|strong = "H1980" send|strong = "H7971" him|strong = "H7971"  
away|strong = "H7971".

21His|strong = "H3045" sons|strong = "H1121" come to|strong = "H1121"  
honour, and|strong = "H1121" he|strong = "H3808" doesn't|strong = "H3808"  
know|strong = "H3045" it|strong = "H3045".

**T** hey|strong = "H3808" are|strong = "H1121" brought low,  
but|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H3808" doesn't|strong = "H3808"  
perceive|strong = "H0995" it|strong = "H3045" of|strong = "H1121"  
them|strong = "H1121".

22But|strong = "H0389" his|strong = "H5921" flesh|strong = "H1320"  
 on|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921" has|strong = "H5315"  
 pain|strong = "H3510",

a nd|strong = "H5315" his|strong = "H5921" soul|strong = "H5315"  
 within|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921" mourns|strong = "H0056".

15Then|strong = "H6030" Eliphaz|strong = "H0464" the|strong = "H0559"  
 Temanite|strong = "H8489" answered|strong = "H0559",

2"Should|strong = "H2450" a|strong = "H7307" wise|strong = "H2450"  
 man|strong = "H2450" answer|strong = "H6030" with|strong = "H4390" vain  
 knowledge|strong = "H1847",

a nd|strong = "H2450" fill|strong = "H4390" himself|strong = "H0990"  
 with|strong = "H4390" the|strong = "H4390" east|strong = "H6921"  
 wind|strong = "H7307"?

3Should he|strong = "H3808" reason|strong = "H1697"  
 with|strong = "H1697" unprofitable talk|strong = "H1697",

o r|strong = "H3808" with|strong = "H1697" speeches  
 with|strong = "H1697" which|strong = "H1697" he|strong = "H3808"  
 can|strong = "H3808" do no|strong = "H3808" good|strong = "H3276"?

4Yes|strong = "H0637", you|strong = "H0859" do|strong = "H0637"  
 away|strong = "H1639" with|strong = "H6440" fear|strong = "H3374",

a nd|strong = "H6440" hinder|strong = "H1639" devotion  
 before|strong = "H6440" God|strong = "H0410".

5For|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3588" iniquity|strong = "H5771"  
 teaches|strong = "H0502" your|strong = "H3588" mouth|strong = "H6310",

a nd|strong = "H6310" you|strong = "H3588" choose|strong = "H0977"  
 the|strong = "H3588" language|strong = "H3956" of|strong = "H6310"  
 the|strong = "H3588" crafty|strong = "H6175".

6Your|strong = "H3808" own mouth|strong = "H6310"  
 condemns|strong = "H7561" you|strong = "H3808", and|strong = "H6310"  
 not|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H0589".

Yes, your own lips testify against you.

7“Are you the first man who was born?”

Or were you brought out before the hills?”

8Have you heard the secret counsel of God?”

Do you limit wisdom to yourself?”

9What do you know that we don't know?”

What do you understand which is not in us?”

10With us are both and aged men,

much older than your father.

11Are the consolations too small for you,

even the word is gentle towards you?”

12Why|strong="H4100" does|strong="H4100" your|strong="H3947"  
heart|strong="H3820" carry|strong="H3947" you|strong="H4100"  
away|strong="H3947"?

Why|strong="H4100" do|strong="H4100" your|strong="H3947"  
eyes|strong="H5869" flash|strong="H7335",

13that|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" turn|strong="H7725"  
your|strong="H7725" spirit|strong="H7307" against|strong="H0413"  
God|strong="H0410",

and|strong="H7725" let such words|strong="H4405"  
go|strong="H3318" out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H7307"  
your|strong="H7725" mouth|strong="H6310"?

14What|strong="H4100" is|strong="H4100" man|strong="H0582",  
that|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" should|strong="H4100"  
be|strong="H0582" clean|strong="H2135"?

What|strong="H4100" is|strong="H4100" he|strong="H3588"  
who|strong="H0582" is|strong="H4100" born|strong="H3205"  
of|strong="H3205" a|strong="H3588" woman|strong="H0802",  
that|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" should|strong="H4100"  
be|strong="H0582" righteous|strong="H6663"?

15Behold|strong="H2005", he|strong="H3808" puts|strong="H0539"  
no|strong="H3808" trust|strong="H0539" in|strong="H0539"  
his|strong="H3808" holy|strong="H6918" ones|strong="H6918".

Yes|strong="H2005", the|strong="H3808" heavens|strong="H8064"  
are|strong="H8064" not|strong="H3808" clean in|strong="H0539"  
his|strong="H3808" sight|strong="H5869";

16how|strong="H0637" much|strong="H0637" less|strong="H0637"  
one|strong="H0376" who|strong="H0376" is|strong="H0376"  
abominable|strong="H8581" and|strong="H0376"  
corrupt|strong="H0444",

a |strong="H3588" man|strong="H0376" who|strong="H0376"  
drinks|strong="H8354" iniquity|strong="H5766" like|strong="H0376"  
water|strong="H4325"!

17“I will show you, listen to me;

that which I have seen I will declare

18(which wise men have told by their fathers,

and hidden it

19to whom alone the land was given,

and no stranger passed amongst them):

20the wicked man writhes in pain all his days,

even the number of years of that laid up for the oppressor.

21A sound of terrors is in his ears.

In prosperity the destroyer will come on him.

22He doesn't believe that he will return out of darkness.

He is waited for by the sword.

23He|strong="H1931" wanders|strong="H5074" abroad  
for|strong="H3588" bread|strong="H3899", saying, 'Where  
is|strong="H1931" it|strong="H1931"?'

H e|strong="H1931" knows|strong="H3045" that|strong="H3588"  
the|strong="H3588" day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3117"  
darkness|strong="H2822" is|strong="H1931" ready|strong="H3559"  
at|strong="H3117" his|strong="H3027" hand|strong="H3027".

24Distress|strong="H6862" and|strong="H4428"  
anguish|strong="H4691" make him|strong="H8630" afraid.

T hey|strong="H4428" prevail against him|strong="H8630",  
as|strong="H4428" a|strong="H4428" king|strong="H4428"  
ready|strong="H6264" to|strong="H4428" the battle.

25Because|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" has|strong="H3588"  
stretched|strong="H5186" out|strong="H5186" his|strong="H3027"  
hand|strong="H3027" against|strong="H0413" God|strong="H0410",

a nd|strong="H3027" behaves himself|strong="H3027" proudly  
against|strong="H0413" the|strong="H3588" Almighty|strong="H7706",

26he runs|strong="H7323" at|strong="H0413" him|strong="H0413"  
with|strong="H0413" a|strong="H0413" stiff neck|strong="H6677",

w ith|strong="H0413" the|strong="H0413" thick|strong="H5672"  
shields|strong="H4043" of|strong="H4043" his|strong="H0413" bucklers,

27because|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" has|strong="H3588"  
covered|strong="H3680" his|strong="H5921" face|strong="H6440"  
with|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" fatness|strong="H2459",

a nd|strong="H6440" gathered|strong="H3588" fat|strong="H2459"  
on|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" thighs|strong="H3689".

28He|strong="H0834" has|strong="H0834" lived|strong="H3427"  
in|strong="H3427" desolate|strong="H3582" cities|strong="H5892",

i n|strong="H3427" houses|strong="H1004" which|strong="H0834"  
no|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3808" inhabited|strong="H3427",



w hich|strong = "H0834" were|strong = "H0834" ready|strong = "H6257"  
to|strong = "H1004" become heaps|strong = "H1530".

29He|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H0776" not|strong = "H3808"  
be|strong = "H3808" rich|strong = "H6238", neither|strong = "H3808"  
will|strong = "H0776" his|strong = "H5186" substance|strong = "H2428"  
continue|strong = "H6965",

n either|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H0776" their|strong = "H5186"  
possessions be|strong = "H3808" extended|strong = "H5186"  
on|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H3808" earth|strong = "H0776".

30He|strong = "H4480" will|strong = "H7307" not|strong = "H3808"  
depart|strong = "H5493" out|strong = "H4480" of|strong = "H4480"  
darkness|strong = "H2822".

T he|strong = "H4480" flame|strong = "H7957" will|strong = "H7307"  
dry|strong = "H3001" up|strong = "H3001" his|strong = "H4480" branches.

H e|strong = "H4480" will|strong = "H7307" go|strong = "H5493"  
away|strong = "H5493" by|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H4480"  
breath|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H4480" God's mouth|strong = "H6310".

31Let|strong = "H0408" him|strong = "H0539" not|strong = "H0408"  
trust|strong = "H0539" in|strong = "H0539" emptiness|strong = "H7723",  
deceiving|strong = "H8582" himself,

f or|strong = "H3588" emptiness|strong = "H7723" will|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H1961" his|strong = "H1961" reward|strong = "H8545".

32It|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"  
accomplished|strong = "H4390" before|strong = "H3808"  
his|strong = "H3808" time|strong = "H3117".

H is|strong = "H3808" branch|strong = "H3712" will|strong = "H3808"  
not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808" green|strong = "H7488".

33He will|strong = "H1612" shake off|strong = "H7993"  
his|strong = "H7993" unripe grape as the|strong = "H7993"  
vine|strong = "H1612",

a nd|strong = "H1612" will|strong = "H1612" cast|strong = "H7993"  
off|strong = "H7993" his|strong = "H7993" flower|strong = "H5328" as  
the|strong = "H7993" olive|strong = "H2132" tree|strong = "H2132".

34For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" company|strong = "H5712"  
of|strong = "H0168" the|strong = "H3588" godless|strong = "H2611"  
will|strong = "H0784" be|strong = "H3588" barren|strong = "H1565",

a nd|strong = "H0398" fire|strong = "H0784" will|strong = "H0784"  
consume|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H3588" tents|strong = "H0168"  
of|strong = "H0168" bribery|strong = "H7810".

35They|strong = "H3205" conceive|strong = "H2029"  
mischief|strong = "H5999" and|strong = "H2029" produce  
iniquity|strong = "H0205".

T heir|strong = "H3559" heart prepares|strong = "H3559"  
deceit|strong = "H4820".

16Then|strong = "H6030" Job|strong = "H0347"  
answered|strong = "H0559",

2"I|strong = "H8085" have|strong = "H3605" heard|strong = "H8085"  
many|strong = "H7227" such|strong = "H0428" things|strong = "H0428".

Y ou|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H0428" all|strong = "H3605" miserable  
comforters|strong = "H5162"!

3Shall|strong = "H4100" vain words|strong = "H1697"  
have|strong = "H1697" an|strong = "H3588" end|strong = "H7093"?

O r|strong = "H0176" what|strong = "H4100" provokes|strong = "H4834"  
you|strong = "H3588" that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
answer|strong = "H6030"?

4I|strong = "H0595" also|strong = "H1571" could|strong = "H1571"  
speak|strong = "H1696" as|strong = "H5315" you|strong = "H5921" do.

I f|strong = "H3863" your|strong = "H5921" soul|strong = "H5315"  
were|strong = "H5315" in|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921"  
soul's|strong = "H5315" place|strong = "H8478",

I could join words together against you,

and shake my head at you,

but I would strengthen you with my mouth.

The solace of my lips would relieve you.

6“Though I speak, my grief is not subsided.

Though I forbear, what am I eased?

7But now, God, you have surely worn me out.

You have made all my company desolate.

8You have shriveled me up. This is a witness against me.

My leanness rises up against me.

It testifies to my face.

9He|strong = "H5921" has|strong = "H5869" torn|strong = "H2963"  
me|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921"  
wrath|strong = "H0639" and|strong = "H5869" persecuted  
me|strong = "H5921".

**H** e|strong = "H5921" has|strong = "H5869" gnashed|strong = "H2786"  
on|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H5921"  
his|strong = "H5921" teeth|strong = "H8127".

**M** y|strong = "H5921" adversary sharpens his|strong = "H5921"  
eyes|strong = "H5869" on|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921".

10They|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H5921" gaped|strong = "H6473"  
on|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H4390"  
their|strong = "H5921" mouth|strong = "H6310".

**T** hey|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H5921" struck|strong = "H5221"  
me|strong = "H5921" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
cheek|strong = "H3895" reproachfully.

**T** hey|strong = "H5921" gather themselves|strong = "H5921"  
together|strong = "H3162" against|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921".

11God|strong = "H0410" delivers me|strong = "H0413"  
to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H5921" ungodly|strong = "H7563",

**a** nd|strong = "H3027" casts me|strong = "H0413" into|strong = "H0413"  
the|strong = "H5921" hands|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H3027"  
the|strong = "H5921" wicked|strong = "H7563".

12I|strong = "H6965" was|strong = "H1961" at|strong = "H1961"  
ease|strong = "H7961", and|strong = "H6965" he broke me|strong = "H1961"  
apart.

**Y** es, he has|strong = "H1961" taken|strong = "H0270" me|strong = "H1961"  
by|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" neck|strong = "H6203",  
and|strong = "H6965" dashed me|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1961"  
pieces.

**H** e has|strong = "H1961" also set|strong = "H6965" me|strong = "H1961"  
up|strong = "H6965" for|strong = "H1961" his|strong = "H1961"  
target|strong = "H4307".

13 His archers surround me.

He splits my kidneys apart, and does not spare.

He pours out my bile on the ground.

14 He breaks me with breach on breach.

He runs at me like a giant.

15 I have sewed sackcloth on my skin,

and have thrust my horn in the dust.

16 My face is red with weeping.

Deep darkness is on my eyelids,

17 although there is no violence in my hands,

and my prayer is pure.

18 "Earth, don't cover my blood.

L et|strong="H0408" my|strong="H1961" cry|strong="H2201"  
have|strong="H1961" no|strong="H0408" place|strong="H4725"  
to|strong="H1961" rest|strong="H1961".

19Even|strong="H1571" now|strong="H6258", behold|strong="H2009",  
my|strong="H6258" witness|strong="H5707" is|strong="H1571"  
in|strong="H1571" heaven|strong="H8064".

H e|strong="H8064" who|strong="H5707" vouches for|strong="H1571"  
me is|strong="H1571" on|strong="H6258" high|strong="H4791".

20My|strong="H0413" friends|strong="H7453" scoff at|strong="H0413"  
me|strong="H0413".

M y|strong="H0413" eyes|strong="H5869" pour out|strong="H0413"  
tears to|strong="H0413" God|strong="H0433",

21that|strong="H1121" he|strong="H0120" would|strong="H0433"  
maintain the|strong="H5973" right of|strong="H1121" a|strong="H3198"  
man|strong="H0120" with|strong="H5973" God|strong="H0433",

o f|strong="H1121" a|strong="H3198" son|strong="H1121"  
of|strong="H1121" man|strong="H0120" with|strong="H5973"  
his|strong="H7453" neighbour!

22For|strong="H3588" when|strong="H3588" a|strong="H3588"  
few|strong="H4557" years|strong="H8141" have|strong="H3588"  
come|strong="H1980",

I |strong="H3588" will|strong="H3808" go|strong="H1980"  
the|strong="H3588" way|strong="H0734" of|strong="H8141"  
no|strong="H3808" return|strong="H7725".

17“My|strong="H3117" spirit|strong="H7307" is|strong="H3117"  
consumed.

M y|strong="H3117" days|strong="H3117" are|strong="H3117" extinct

a nd|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3117" grave|strong="H6913"  
is|strong="H3117" ready for|strong="H3117" me|strong="H3117".

2 Surely there are mockers with me.

My eye dwells on their provocation.

3 "Now give a pledge. Be collateral for me with yourself."

Who is there who will strike hands with me?

4 For you have hidden their heart from understanding,

therefore you will not exalt them.

5 He who denounces his friends for plunder,

even the eyes of his children will fail.

6 "But he has made me a byword of the people."

They spit in my face.

7 My eye also is dim by reason of sorrow.

All my members are as a shadow.

8 Upright men will be astonished at this.

The innocent will stir himself up against the godless.

9 Yet the righteous will hold to his way.

He who has clean hands will grow stronger and stronger.

10 But as you all, come back.

I will not find a wise man amongst you.

11 My days are past.

My plans are broken, off,

as thoughts of my heart.

12 They change the night into day,

saying 'The light is near' in the presence of darkness.

13 If I look for Sheol<sup>8</sup> as

<sup>8</sup>+ 17:13 Sheol is the place of the dead.



my|strong = "H0518" house|strong = "H1004",

i f|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H0518" spread  
my|strong = "H0518" couch|strong = "H3326" in|strong = "H1004"  
the|strong = "H0518" darkness|strong = "H2822",

14if I|strong = "H7121" have|strong = "H0001" said to|strong = "H0001"  
corruption|strong = "H7845", 'You|strong = "H0859" are|strong = "H0859"  
my|strong = "H7121" father|strong = "H0001",'

a nd|strong = "H0001" to|strong = "H0001" the|strong = "H7121"  
worm|strong = "H7415", 'My|strong = "H7121" mother|strong = "H0517",  
and|strong = "H0001" 'My|strong = "H7121" sister|strong = "H0269",'

15where|strong = "H0346" then|strong = "H0645" is|strong = "H4310"  
my|strong = "H7789" hope|strong = "H8615"?

A s for my|strong = "H7789" hope|strong = "H8615", who|strong = "H4310"  
will|strong = "H4310" see|strong = "H7789" it?

16Shall|strong = "H0905" it|strong = "H0518" go|strong = "H3381"  
down|strong = "H3381" with|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921"  
to|strong = "H3381" the|strong = "H5921" gates of|strong = "H5921"  
Sheol|strong = "H7585",<sup>9</sup>

o r|strong = "H0518" descend|strong = "H3381" together|strong = "H3162"  
into|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" dust|strong = "H6083"?"

18Then|strong = "H6030" Bildad|strong = "H1085" the|strong = "H0559"  
Shuhite|strong = "H7747" answered|strong = "H0559",

2"How|strong = "H0575" long|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H5704"  
you|strong = "H5704" hunt for|strong = "H0995" words|strong = "H4405"?

C onsider|strong = "H0995", and|strong = "H1696"  
afterwards|strong = "H0310" we|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H5704"  
speak|strong = "H1696".

3Why|strong = "H4069" are|strong = "H5869" we  
counted|strong = "H2803" as|strong = "H2803" animals|strong = "H0929",

<sup>9</sup> + 17:16 Sheol is the place of the dead.

w hich|strong = "H5869" have|strong = "H5869" become unclean  
in|strong = "H5869" your|strong = "H5869" sight|strong = "H5869"?

4You|strong = "H0776" who|strong = "H5315" tear|strong = "H2963"  
yourself|strong = "H5315" in|strong = "H0776" your|strong = "H5315"  
anger|strong = "H0639",

w ill|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0776" earth|strong = "H0776"  
be|strong = "H5315" forsaken for|strong = "H0776" you|strong = "H0776"?

O r|strong = "H0776" will|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0776"  
rock|strong = "H6697" be|strong = "H5315" removed out|strong = "H4725"  
of|strong = "H0776" its place|strong = "H4725"?

5"Yes|strong = "H1571", the|strong = "H1571" light|strong = "H0216"  
of|strong = "H0216" the|strong = "H1571" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
will|strong = "H1571" be|strong = "H3808" put|strong = "H1846"  
out|strong = "H7563".

T he|strong = "H1571" spark of|strong = "H0216" his|strong = "H3808"  
fire|strong = "H0784" won't|strong = "H3808" shine|strong = "H5050".

6The|strong = "H5921" light|strong = "H0216" will|strong = "H0216" be  
dark|strong = "H2821" in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921"  
tent|strong = "H0168".

H is|strong = "H5921" lamp|strong = "H5216" above|strong = "H5921"  
him|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H0216" be put|strong = "H1846"  
out|strong = "H5921".

7The|strong = "H7993" steps|strong = "H6806" of|strong = "H6098"  
his|strong = "H7993" strength|strong = "H0202" will be shortened.

H is|strong = "H7993" own counsel|strong = "H6098" will  
cast|strong = "H7993" him|strong = "H7993" down|strong = "H7993".

8For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H3588"  
cast|strong = "H7971" into|strong = "H1980" a|strong = "H3588"  
net|strong = "H7568" by|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" own  
feet|strong = "H7272",

a nd|strong = "H1980" he|strong = "H3588" wanders into|strong = "H1980"  
its|strong = "H5921" mesh.

9A |strong="H5921" snare|strong="H6341" will take|strong="H2388"  
 him|strong="H5921" by|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
 heel|strong="H6119".

A |strong="H5921" trap|strong="H6782" will catch|strong="H0270"  
 him|strong="H5921".

10A|strong="H5921" noose is|strong="H0776" hidden|strong="H2934"  
 for|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921" in|strong="H5921"  
 the|strong="H5921" ground|strong="H0776",

a |strong="H5921" trap|strong="H4434" for|strong="H5921"  
 him|strong="H5921" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
 path|strong="H5410".

11Terrors|strong="H1091" will|strong="H7272" make|strong="H7272"  
 him|strong="H5439" afraid on|strong="H5439" every|strong="H5439"  
 side|strong="H5439",

a nd|strong="H7272" will|strong="H7272" chase him|strong="H5439"  
 at his|strong="H5439" heels|strong="H7272".

12His|strong="H1961" strength|strong="H0202" will|strong="H1961"  
 be|strong="H1961" famished|strong="H7457".

C alamity|strong="H0343" will|strong="H1961" be|strong="H1961"  
 ready|strong="H3559" at|strong="H1961" his|strong="H1961"  
 side|strong="H6763".

13The|strong="H0398" members of|strong="H1060"  
 his|strong="H0398" body|strong="H5785" will|strong="H0905" be  
 devoured|strong="H0398".

T he|strong="H0398" firstborn|strong="H1060" of|strong="H1060"  
 death|strong="H4194" will|strong="H0905" devour|strong="H0398"  
 his|strong="H0398" members.

14He|strong="H4428" will|strong="H4428" be|strong="H4428" rooted  
 out of|strong="H4428" the|strong="H5423" security|strong="H4009"  
 of|strong="H4428" his|strong="H4428" tent|strong="H0168".

**H** e|strong = "H4428" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H4428" brought to|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5423" king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" terrors|strong = "H1091".

15There|strong = "H1097" will dwell|strong = "H7931" in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" tent|strong = "H0168" that|strong = "H1097" which is|strong = "H0168" none of|strong = "H0168" his|strong = "H5921".

**S** ulphur will be scattered|strong = "H2219" on|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" habitation.

16His|strong = "H8478" roots|strong = "H8328" will|strong = "H8328" be dried|strong = "H3001" up|strong = "H3001" beneath|strong = "H8478".

**H** is|strong = "H8478" branch will|strong = "H8328" be cut off above|strong = "H4605".

17His|strong = "H5921" memory|strong = "H2143" will|strong = "H0776" perish|strong = "H0006" from|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H6440" earth|strong = "H0776".

**H** e|strong = "H4480" will|strong = "H0776" have|strong = "H0776" no|strong = "H3808" name|strong = "H8034" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440" street|strong = "H2351".

18He|strong = "H2822" will|strong = "H0216" be|strong = "H2822" driven|strong = "H1920" from|strong = "H0413" light|strong = "H0216" into|strong = "H0413" darkness|strong = "H2822",

**a** nd|strong = "H2822" chased|strong = "H5074" out|strong = "H0413" of|strong = "H0216" the|strong = "H0413" world|strong = "H8398".

19He|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H0369" have|strong = "H0369" neither|strong = "H3808" son nor|strong = "H3808" grandson amongst his|strong = "H3808" people|strong = "H5971",

**n** or|strong = "H3808" any|strong = "H0369" remaining where|strong = "H4033" he|strong = "H3808" lived.

20Those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H0314" come|strong = "H0314" after|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3117" be|strong = "H3117" astonished|strong = "H8074" at|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" day|strong = "H3117",

**a** s|strong = "H3117" those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H0314" went before|strong = "H5921" were|strong = "H3117" frightened.

21 Surely|strong = "H0389" such|strong = "H2088" are|strong = "H0428" the|strong = "H3045" dwellings|strong = "H4908" of|strong = "H4725" the|strong = "H3045" unrighteous.

**T** his|strong = "H2088" is|strong = "H2088" the|strong = "H3045" place|strong = "H4725" of|strong = "H4725" him|strong = "H3045" who|strong = "H0410" doesn't|strong = "H3808" know|strong = "H3045" God|strong = "H0410".

19 Then|strong = "H6030" Job|strong = "H0347" answered|strong = "H0559",

2 "How|strong = "H0575" long|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H5315" you|strong = "H5704" torment|strong = "H3013" me|strong = "H5315",

**a** nd|strong = "H5315" crush|strong = "H1792" me|strong = "H5315" with|strong = "H5315" words|strong = "H4405"?

3 You|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3808" reproached me|strong = "H3808" ten|strong = "H6235" times|strong = "H6471".

**Y** ou|strong = "H3808" aren't ashamed|strong = "H0954" that|strong = "H2088" you|strong = "H3808" attack me|strong = "H3808".

4 If it is true|strong = "H0551" that|strong = "H0854" I|strong = "H0551" have|strong = "H0637" erred|strong = "H7686",

**m** y|strong = "H0854" error|strong = "H7686" remains|strong = "H3885" with|strong = "H0854" myself.

5 If|strong = "H0518" indeed|strong = "H0518" you|strong = "H0518" will|strong = "H0518" magnify|strong = "H1431" yourselves|strong = "H5921" against|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921",

**a** nd|strong = "H1431" plead|strong = "H3198" against|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921" reproach|strong = "H2781",

6 know|strong = "H3045" now|strong = "H3588" that|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H0433" has|strong = "H3588" subverted me|strong = "H5921",

**a** nd|strong="H3045" has|strong="H3588" surrounded  
me|strong="H5921" with|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921"  
net|strong="H4686".

7"Behold|strong="H2005", I|strong="H2005" cry|strong="H6817"  
out|strong="H7768" of|strong="H4941" wrong|strong="H2555",  
but|strong="H3808" I|strong="H2005" am|strong="H2005"  
not|strong="H3808" heard.

**I** |strong="H2005" cry|strong="H6817" for|strong="H7768"  
help|strong="H7768", but|strong="H3808" there|strong="H0369"  
is|strong="H0369" no|strong="H3808" justice|strong="H4941".

8He|strong="H3808" has walled|strong="H1443" up|strong="H5921"  
my|strong="H7760" way|strong="H0734" so|strong="H3808"  
that|strong="H3808" I|strong="H7760" can't|strong="H3808"  
pass|strong="H5674",

**a** nd|strong="H2822" has set|strong="H7760" darkness|strong="H2822"  
in|strong="H5921" my|strong="H7760" paths|strong="H0734".

9He|strong="H5921" has|strong="H5850" stripped|strong="H6584"  
me|strong="H5921" of|strong="H7218" my|strong="H5921"  
glory|strong="H3519",

**a** nd|strong="H7218" taken|strong="H5493" the|strong="H5921"  
crown|strong="H5850" from|strong="H5493" my|strong="H5921"  
head|strong="H7218".

10He|strong="H5422" has|strong="H6086" broken|strong="H5422"  
me|strong="H5422" down|strong="H5422" on|strong="H5265"  
every|strong="H5439" side|strong="H5439", and|strong="H6086" I am  
gone.

**H** e|strong="H5422" has|strong="H6086" plucked|strong="H5265"  
my|strong="H5439" hope|strong="H8615" up like|strong="H5439"  
a|strong="H5265" tree|strong="H6086".

11He|strong="H5921" has|strong="H0639" also|strong="H0639"  
kindled|strong="H2734" his|strong="H5921" wrath|strong="H0639"  
against|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921".

**H** e|strong="H5921" counts|strong="H2803" me|strong="H5921"  
amongst his|strong="H5921" adversaries.

12His|strong="H5921" troops|strong="H1416" come|strong="H0935"  
on|strong="H5921" together|strong="H3162",

**b** uild|strong="H5549" a|strong="H0935" siege ramp  
against|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921",

**a** nd|strong="H0935" encamp|strong="H2583" around|strong="H5439"  
my|strong="H5921" tent|strong="H0168".

13“He|strong="H4480" has|strong="H3045" put|strong="H7368"  
my|strong="H5921" brothers|strong="H0251" far|strong="H7368"  
from|strong="H4480" me|strong="H5921".

**M** y|strong="H5921" acquaintances|strong="H3045"  
are|strong="H3045" wholly estranged from|strong="H4480"  
me|strong="H5921".

14My|strong="H3045" relatives|strong="H7138" have|strong="H3045"  
gone away.

**M** y|strong="H3045" familiar|strong="H3045" friends|strong="H3045"  
have|strong="H3045" forgotten|strong="H7911" me|strong="H7911".

15Those|strong="H1961" who|strong="H5237" dwell|strong="H1481"  
in|strong="H1004" my|strong="H1961" house|strong="H1004"  
and|strong="H1004" my|strong="H1961" maids|strong="H0519"  
consider|strong="H2803" me|strong="H2803" a|strong="H1961"  
stranger|strong="H5237".

**I** |strong="H1961" am|strong="H1961" an|strong="H1961"  
alien|strong="H5237" in|strong="H1004" their|strong="H1961"  
sight|strong="H5869".

16I|strong="H5650" call|strong="H7121" to|strong="H5650"  
my|strong="H5650" servant|strong="H5650", and|strong="H5650"  
he|strong="H3808" gives|strong="H7121" me|strong="H7121"  
no|strong="H3808" answer|strong="H6030".

**I** |strong="H5650" beg him|strong="H7121" with|strong="H6310"  
my|strong="H5650" mouth|strong="H6310".

17 My breath is offensive to my wife.

I am loathsome to the children of my own mother.

18 Even young children despise me.

If I arise, they speak against me.

All my familiar friends abhor me.

They whom I loved have turned against me.

20 My bones stick to my skin and to my flesh.

I have escaped by the skin of my teeth.

21 "Have pity on me. Have pity on me, you my friends,

for the hand of God has touched me.

22 Why do you persecute me as God,



and are not  
satisfied with my  
flesh?"

23"Oh that my  
words were now  
written!"

O h that they were  
inscribed in a  
book!"

24That with an iron  
pen  
and lead

they were engraved  
in the rock forever!

25But as for  
me, I know  
that my Redeemer  
lives.

In the end,  
he will stand  
upon the earth.

26After my skin  
is destroyed,

then I will  
see God in  
my flesh,

27whom I, even  
I, will see  
on my side.

My eyes will  
see, and  
as a stranger.

“ My|strong = "H7200" heart|strong = "H3629" is|strong = "H0834" consumed|strong = "H3615" within|strong = "H3629" me|strong = "H0589".

28If|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" say|strong = "H0559",  
‘How|strong = "H4100" we|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1697"  
persecute|strong = "H7291" him|strong = "H4672"!'

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H0559" root|strong = "H8328"  
of|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H0559" matter|strong = "H1697"  
is|strong = "H4100" found|strong = "H4672" in|strong = "H4672"  
me|strong = "H7291",

29be|strong = "H2719" afraid|strong = "H1481" of|strong = "H6440"  
the|strong = "H6440" sword|strong = "H2719",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" wrath|strong = "H2534" brings the|strong = "H6440"  
punishments of|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
sword|strong = "H2719",

**t** hat|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" may|strong = "H4616"  
know|strong = "H3045" there|strong = "H1779" is|strong = "H5771"  
a|strong = "H3588" judgement."

20Then|strong = "H6030" Zophar|strong = "H6691" the|strong = "H0559"  
Naamathite|strong = "H5284" answered|strong = "H0559",

2“Therefore|strong = "H3651" my|strong = "H7725" thoughts  
answer|strong = "H7725" me|strong = "H7725",

**e** ven|strong = "H3651" by|strong = "H7725" reason|strong = "H3651"  
of|strong = "H5668" my|strong = "H7725" haste that|strong = "H3651"  
is|strong = "H3651" in|strong = "H7725" me|strong = "H7725".

3I|strong = "H8085" have|strong = "H8085" heard|strong = "H8085"  
the|strong = "H8085" reproof|strong = "H4148" which|strong = "H4148" puts  
me|strong = "H6030" to|strong = "H8085" shame|strong = "H3639".

**T** he|strong = "H8085" spirit|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H7307"  
my|strong = "H8085" understanding|strong = "H0998"  
answers|strong = "H6030" me|strong = "H6030".

4Don't you|strong = "H5921" know|strong = "H3045"  
this|strong = "H2063" from|strong = "H4480" old|strong = "H5703" time,

since man was placed on earth,

5that the triumphing  
of the wicked  
is short,

the joy of  
the godless but  
for a moment?

6Though his height  
mount up to  
the heavens,

and his head  
reach to  
the clouds,

yet he will perish  
forever like his  
own dung.

Those who have seen  
him will say, 'Where  
is he?'

8He will fly  
away as a  
dream,  
and will not  
be found.

Yes, he will be  
chased away like  
a vision of  
the night.

9The eye which  
saw him will see him  
no more,

**n** either|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H5869" his|strong = "H3808"  
place|strong = "H4725" see|strong = "H5869" him any|strong = "H5750"  
more|strong = "H5750".

10His|strong = "H7725" children|strong = "H1121" will|strong = "H1121"  
seek the|strong = "H7725" favour of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H7725"  
poor|strong = "H1800".

**H** is|strong = "H7725" hands|strong = "H3027" will|strong = "H1121"  
give|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725" his|strong = "H7725"  
wealth|strong = "H0202".

11His|strong = "H5921" bones|strong = "H6106" are|strong = "H6106"  
full|strong = "H4390" of|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921"  
youth|strong = "H5934",

**b** ut|strong = "H5973" youth|strong = "H5934" will|strong = "H6106"  
lie|strong = "H7901" down|strong = "H7901" with|strong = "H5973"  
him|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
dust|strong = "H6083".

12"Though|strong = "H0518" wickedness|strong = "H7451"  
is|strong = "H3956" sweet|strong = "H4985" in|strong = "H6310"  
his|strong = "H0518" mouth|strong = "H6310",

**t** hough|strong = "H0518" he|strong = "H0518" hide|strong = "H3582"  
it|strong = "H0518" under|strong = "H8478" his|strong = "H0518"  
tongue|strong = "H3956",

13though he|strong = "H3808" spare|strong = "H2550" it|strong = "H5921",  
and|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
let|strong = "H3808" it|strong = "H5921" go,

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" keep|strong = "H4513" it|strong = "H5921" still  
within|strong = "H8432" his|strong = "H5921" mouth|strong = "H2441",

14yet his|strong = "H7130" food|strong = "H3899" in|strong = "H3899"  
his|strong = "H7130" bowels|strong = "H4578" is|strong = "H4578"  
turned|strong = "H2015".

**I** t|strong = "H2015" is|strong = "H4578" cobra|strong = "H6620"  
venom|strong = "H4846" within|strong = "H7130" him.

15He|strong = "H0990" has|strong = "H0410" swallowed|strong = "H1104"  
down riches|strong = "H2428", and|strong = "H2428" he|strong = "H0990"  
will|strong = "H0410" vomit|strong = "H6958" them|strong = "H3423"  
up|strong = "H1104" again.

**G** od|strong = "H0410" will|strong = "H0410" cast|strong = "H3423"  
them|strong = "H3423" out|strong = "H3423" of|strong = "H0410"  
his|strong = "H3423" belly|strong = "H0990".

16He will|strong = "H3956" suck|strong = "H3243" cobra|strong = "H6620"  
venom|strong = "H7219".

**T** he|strong = "H2026" viper's|strong = "H0660" tongue|strong = "H3956"  
will|strong = "H3956" kill|strong = "H2026" him|strong = "H2026".

17He|strong = "H7200" will|strong = "H5104" not|strong = "H0408"  
look|strong = "H7200" at|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
rivers|strong = "H5104",

**t** he|strong = "H7200" flowing streams|strong = "H5104"  
of|strong = "H5104" honey|strong = "H1706" and|strong = "H7200"  
butter|strong = "H2529".

18He|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" restore|strong = "H7725"  
that|strong = "H3808" for|strong = "H2428" which he|strong = "H3808"  
laboured, and|strong = "H7725" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
swallow|strong = "H1104" it|strong = "H7725" down.

**H** e|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808" rejoice  
according to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H7725"  
substance|strong = "H2428" that|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H3808" has  
gotten.

19For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" has|strong = "H3588"  
oppressed|strong = "H7533" and|strong = "H1004" forsaken  
the|strong = "H3588" poor|strong = "H1800".

**H** e|strong = "H3588" has|strong = "H3588" violently  
taken|strong = "H1497" away|strong = "H1497" a|strong = "H3588"  
house|strong = "H1004", and|strong = "H1004" he|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H1004" not|strong = "H3808" build|strong = "H1129"  
it|strong = "H3588" up|strong = "H1129".

20“Because he knew  
 no quietness within  
 him”,

he will not  
 save anything of  
 that in which he  
 delights.

21There was nothing  
 left that he  
 didn’t devour,

but herefore his  
 prosperity will not  
 endure.

22In the fullness  
 of his sufficiency,  
 distress will overtake  
 him”.

The hand of  
 everyone who is  
 in misery will come  
 on him”.

23When he is  
 about to fill  
 his belly”, God  
 will cast the  
 fierceness of his  
 wrath on him”.

It will rain  
 on him while  
 he is eating”.

24He will flee  
 from the  
 iron weapon”.

**T** he|strong="H1272" bronze|strong="H5154" arrow  
will|strong="H7198" strike him|strong="H1272"  
through|strong="H1272".

25He|strong="H1980" draws it|strong="H5921" out|strong="H3318",  
and|strong="H1980" it|strong="H5921" comes|strong="H3318"  
out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" body.

**Y** es, the|strong="H5921" glittering|strong="H1300"  
point|strong="H1465" comes|strong="H3318" out|strong="H3318"  
of|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" liver.

**T** errors|strong="H0367" are on|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921".

26All|strong="H3605" darkness|strong="H2822" is|strong="H3605"  
laid|strong="H2934" up|strong="H6845" for|strong="H3605"  
his|strong="H3605" treasures|strong="H6845".

**A** n unfanned|strong="H5301" fire|strong="H0784" will|strong="H0784"  
devour|strong="H0398" him|strong="H3605".

**I** t|strong="H0398" will|strong="H0784" consume|strong="H0398"  
that|strong="H3605" which|strong="H0784" is|strong="H3605"  
left|strong="H8300" in|strong="H0784" his|strong="H3605"  
tent|strong="H0168".

27The|strong="H6965" heavens|strong="H8064" will|strong="H0776"  
reveal|strong="H1540" his|strong="H1540" iniquity|strong="H5771".

**T** he|strong="H6965" earth|strong="H0776" will|strong="H0776"  
rise|strong="H6965" up|strong="H6965" against him|strong="H1540".

28The|strong="H3117" increase|strong="H2981" of|strong="H1004"  
his|strong="H1540" house|strong="H1004" will|strong="H1004"  
depart|strong="H1540".

**T** hey|strong="H3117" will|strong="H1004" rush away|strong="H1540"  
in|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3117" day|strong="H3117"  
of|strong="H1004" his|strong="H1540" wrath|strong="H0639".

29 This is the portion of a wicked man from God,

the heritage appointed to him by God.

21 Then Job answered,

2 “Listen diligently to my speech.

Let this be your consolation.

3 Allow me, and I also will speak.

After I have spoken, mock on.

4 As for me, is my complaint to man?

Why shouldn't I be impatient?

5 Look at me, and be astonished.

Lay your hand on your mouth.

6 When I remember, I am troubled.

7 Error takes hold of my flesh.



7“Why|strong = ”H4069” do the|strong = ”H1571”  
wicked|strong = ”H7563” live|strong = ”H2421”,

**b** ecome|strong = ”H6275” old|strong = ”H6275”, yes|strong = ”H1571”,  
and|strong = ”H2428” grow|strong = ”H6275” mighty|strong = ”H2428”  
in|strong = ”H1571” power|strong = ”H2428”?

8Their|strong = ”H6440” child|strong = ”H2233” is|strong = ”H6440”  
established|strong = ”H3559” with|strong = ”H5973” them|strong = ”H6440”  
in|strong = ”H6440” their|strong = ”H6440” sight|strong = ”H5869”,

**t** heir|strong = ”H6440” offspring|strong = ”H2233” before|strong = ”H6440”  
their|strong = ”H6440” eyes|strong = ”H5869”.

9Their|strong = ”H5921” houses|strong = ”H1004” are|strong = ”H1004”  
safe|strong = ”H7965” from|strong = ”H5921” fear|strong = ”H6343”,

**n** either|strong = ”H3808” is|strong = ”H1004” the|strong = ”H5921”  
rod|strong = ”H7626” of|strong = ”H1004” God|strong = ”H0433”  
upon|strong = ”H5921” them|strong = ”H5921”.

10Their|strong = ”H3808” bulls|strong = ”H7794” breed|strong = ”H1602”  
without|strong = ”H3808” fail|strong = ”H5674”.

**T** heir|strong = ”H3808” cows|strong = ”H6510” calve|strong = ”H6403”,  
and|strong = ”H7794” don’t|strong = ”H3808” miscarry|strong = ”H7921”.

11They send|strong = ”H7971” out|strong = ”H7971”  
their|strong = ”H7971” little|strong = ”H5759” ones|strong = ”H5759”  
like|strong = ”H7540” a|strong = ”H7971” flock|strong = ”H6629”.

**T** heir|strong = ”H7971” children|strong = ”H3206”  
dance|strong = ”H7540”.

12They|strong = ”H5375” sing|strong = ”H5375” to|strong = ”H5375”  
the|strong = ”H5375” tambourine|strong = ”H8596” and|strong = ”H6963”  
harp|strong = ”H3658”,

**a** nd|strong = ”H6963” rejoice|strong = ”H8055” at|strong = ”H5375”  
the|strong = ”H5375” sound|strong = ”H6963” of|strong = ”H6963”  
the|strong = ”H5375” pipe|strong = ”H5748”.

13They|strong = "H3117" spend|strong = "H1086" their|strong = "H3117" days|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H3117" prosperity|strong = "H2896".

I n|strong = "H3117" an instant|strong = "H7281" they|strong = "H3117" go|strong = "H5181" down|strong = "H5181" to|strong = "H3117" Sheol|strong = "H7585".<sup>10</sup>

14They|strong = "H3808" tell|strong = "H0559" God|strong = "H0410",  
‘Depart|strong = "H5493" from|strong = "H4480" us|strong = "H0559",

f or|strong = "H3808" we don’t|strong = "H3808" want|strong = "H2654" to|strong = "H0559" know|strong = "H1847" about|strong = "H4480" your|strong = "H4480" ways|strong = "H1870".

15What|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H3588" Almighty|strong = "H7706", that|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H4100" serve|strong = "H5647" him|strong = "H5647"?

W hat|strong = "H4100" profit|strong = "H3276" should|strong = "H4100" we|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588", if|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588" pray to|strong = "H6293" him|strong = "H5647"?

16Behold|strong = "H2005", their|strong = "H3808" prosperity|strong = "H2898" is|strong = "H3027" not|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H3808" hand|strong = "H3027".

T he|strong = "H4480" counsel|strong = "H6098" of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H4480" wicked|strong = "H7563" is|strong = "H3027" far|strong = "H7368" from|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480".

17“How|strong = "H4100" often|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100" it|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H5921" lamp|strong = "H5216" of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" wicked|strong = "H7563" is|strong = "H4100" put|strong = "H0935" out|strong = "H5921",

t hat|strong = "H4100" their|strong = "H5921" calamity|strong = "H0343" comes|strong = "H0935" on|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921",

t hat|strong = "H4100" God distributes sorrows in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" anger|strong = "H0639"?

<sup>10</sup> + 21:13 Sheol is the place of the dead.

18How often is|strong="H7307" it|strong="H1961"  
that|strong="H1961" they|strong="H6440" are|strong="H1961"  
as|strong="H1961" stubble before|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440"  
wind|strong="H7307",

a s|strong="H1961" chaff|strong="H4671" that|strong="H1961"  
the|strong="H6440" storm carries|strong="H1589"  
away|strong="H1589"?

19You|strong="H3045" say, 'God|strong="H0433" lays  
up|strong="H6845" his|strong="H3045" iniquity|strong="H0205"  
for|strong="H0413" his|strong="H3045" children|strong="H1121".'

L et him|strong="H0413" recompense it|strong="H3045"  
to|strong="H0413" himself|strong="H3045", that|strong="H3045"  
he|strong="H1121" may|strong="H1121" know|strong="H3045"  
it|strong="H3045".

20Let his|strong="H7200" own|strong="H5869" eyes|strong="H5869"  
see|strong="H7200" his|strong="H7200" destruction.

L et him|strong="H7200" drink|strong="H8354" of|strong="H5869"  
the|strong="H7200" wrath|strong="H2534" of|strong="H5869"  
the|strong="H7200" Almighty|strong="H7706".

21For|strong="H3588" what|strong="H4100" does|strong="H4100"  
he|strong="H3588" care|strong="H0310" for|strong="H3588"  
his|strong="H3588" house|strong="H1004" after|strong="H0310"  
him|strong="H0310",

w hen|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" number|strong="H4557"  
of|strong="H1004" his|strong="H3588" months|strong="H2320"  
is|strong="H4100" cut off?

22"Shall|strong="H1931" any teach|strong="H3925"  
God|strong="H0410" knowledge|strong="H1847",

s ince|strong="H8199" he|strong="H1931" judges|strong="H8199"  
those|strong="H1931" who|strong="H1931" are|strong="H8199"  
high|strong="H7311"?"

23One|strong="H2088" dies|strong="H4191" in|strong="H4191"  
his|strong="H3605" full|strong="H3605" strength|strong="H6106",

**b** eing wholly at ease and quiet.

24 His pails are full of milk.

**T** he marrow of his bones is moistened.

25 Another dies in bitterness of soul,

**a** nd never tastes of good.

26 They lie down alike in the dust.

**T** he worm covers them.

27 "Behold, I know your thoughts,

**t** he plans with which you would wrong me.

28 For you say, "Where is the house of the prince?"

**W** here is the tent in which the wicked lived?"

29 Haven't you asked wayfaring men?

**D** on't|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H3808" know|strong = "H5234"  
their|strong = "H3808" evidences,

30that|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" evil|strong = "H7451" man  
is|strong = "H3117" reserved|strong = "H2820" to|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
calamity|strong = "H0343",

**t** hat|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H3117"  
led|strong = "H2986" out|strong = "H7451" to|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
wrath|strong = "H5678"?

31Who|strong = "H4310" will|strong = "H4310" declare|strong = "H5046"  
his|strong = "H5921" way|strong = "H1870" to|strong = "H5921"  
his|strong = "H5921" face|strong = "H6440"?

**W** ho|strong = "H4310" will|strong = "H4310" repay|strong = "H7999"  
him|strong = "H5921" what|strong = "H4310" he|strong = "H1931"  
has|strong = "H4310" done|strong = "H6213"?

32Yet|strong = "H5921" he|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H1931"  
be|strong = "H1931" borne to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
grave|strong = "H6913".

**M** en will|strong = "H1931" keep|strong = "H8245" watch|strong = "H8245"  
over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" tomb|strong = "H6913".

33The|strong = "H3605" clods|strong = "H7263" of|strong = "H6440"  
the|strong = "H3605" valley|strong = "H5158" will|strong = "H0120"  
be|strong = "H0369" sweet|strong = "H4985" to|strong = "H0369"  
him|strong = "H0310".

**A** ll|strong = "H3605" men|strong = "H0120" will|strong = "H0120"  
draw|strong = "H4900" after|strong = "H0310" him|strong = "H0310",

**a** s|strong = "H6440" there|strong = "H0369" were|strong = "H0369"  
innumerable|strong = "H4557" before|strong = "H6440"  
him|strong = "H0310".

34So how|strong = "H0349" can|strong = "H0349" you|strong = "H5162"  
comfort|strong = "H5162" me|strong = "H5162" with nonsense,

**b** ecause in|strong = "H7604" your|strong = "H5162"  
answers|strong = "H8666" there|strong = "H7604" remains|strong = "H7604"  
only falsehood|strong = "H4604"?"

22Then|strong = "H6030" Eliphaz|strong = "H0464" the|strong = "H0559"  
Temanite|strong = "H8489" answered|strong = "H0559",

2"Can|strong = "H1397" a|strong = "H3588" man|strong = "H1397"  
be|strong = "H1397" profitable to|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H0410"?"

**S** urely|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H0410"  
is|strong = "H0410" wise|strong = "H7919" is|strong = "H0410" profitable  
to|strong = "H5921" himself.

3Is|strong = "H1870" it|strong = "H0518" any|strong = "H3588"  
pleasure|strong = "H2656" to|strong = "H1870" the|strong = "H3588"  
Almighty|strong = "H7706" that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
are|strong = "H1870" righteous|strong = "H6663"?"

**O** r|strong = "H0518" does|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H0518" benefit  
him|strong = "H3588" that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
make|strong = "H8552" your|strong = "H3588" ways|strong = "H1870"  
perfect|strong = "H8552"?"

4Is|strong = "H4941" it|strong = "H0935" for|strong = "H4941"  
your|strong = "H0935" piety|strong = "H3374" that|strong = "H0935"  
he|strong = "H0935" reproves|strong = "H3198" you|strong = "H5973",

**t** hat|strong = "H0935" he|strong = "H0935" enters|strong = "H0935"  
with|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H5973" into|strong = "H0935"  
judgement?

5Isn't|strong = "H3808" your|strong = "H3808"  
wickedness|strong = "H7451" great|strong = "H7227"?"

**N** either|strong = "H3808" is|strong = "H0369" there|strong = "H0369"  
any|strong = "H0369" end|strong = "H7093" to|strong = "H0369"  
your|strong = "H3808" iniquities|strong = "H5771".

6For|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H0251"  
taken|strong = "H6584" pledges from|strong = "H0251"  
your|strong = "H3588" brother|strong = "H0251" for|strong = "H3588"  
nothing|strong = "H2600",

**a** nd|strong="H0251" stripped|strong="H6584" the|strong="H3588"  
naked|strong="H6174" of|strong="H0251" their|strong="H3588"  
clothing|strong="H0899".

7You|strong="H3808" haven't|strong="H3808" given|strong="H8248"  
water|strong="H4325" to|strong="H4325" the|strong="H3808"  
weary|strong="H5889" to|strong="H4325" drink|strong="H8248",

**a** nd|strong="H3899" you|strong="H3808" have|strong="H3808"  
withheld|strong="H4513" bread|strong="H3899" from|strong="H3899"  
the|strong="H3808" hungry|strong="H7456".

8But|strong="H0376" as|strong="H3427" for|strong="H0776"  
the|strong="H6440" mighty|strong="H2220" man|strong="H0376",  
he|strong="H0376" had|strong="H0376" the|strong="H6440"  
earth|strong="H0776".

**T** he|strong="H6440" honourable man|strong="H0376",  
he|strong="H0376" lived|strong="H3427" in|strong="H3427"  
it|strong="H5375".

9You|strong="H7971" have|strong="H2220" sent|strong="H7971"  
widows|strong="H0490" away|strong="H7971" empty|strong="H7387",

**a** nd|strong="H7971" the|strong="H7971" arms|strong="H2220"  
of|strong="H2220" the|strong="H7971" fatherless|strong="H3490"  
have|strong="H2220" been broken.

10Therefore|strong="H3651" snares|strong="H6341" are  
around|strong="H5439" you|strong="H5921".

**S** udden|strong="H6597" fear|strong="H6343" troubles  
you|strong="H5921",

11or|strong="H0176" darkness|strong="H2822", so|strong="H3808"  
that|strong="H7200" you|strong="H3808" can|strong="H7200"  
not|strong="H3808" see|strong="H7200",

**a** nd|strong="H7200" floods of|strong="H4325" waters|strong="H4325"  
cover|strong="H3680" you|strong="H3808".

12“Isn’t God in  
the heights of  
heaven”?

See the height  
of the stars,  
how high they  
are!

13You say, ‘What  
does God know?’

Can he judge  
through the  
darkness?

14Thick clouds  
are  
covering to him,  
so that he  
doesn’t see.

He walks on  
the vault of  
the sky.’

15Will you keep  
the old way,

which wicked men  
have trodden,

16who were  
snatched away  
before their  
time,

whose  
was poured out  
as a stream,

17who said to  
God, ‘Depart  
from us!’



**a** nd|strong = "H5493", 'What|strong = "H4100" can|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H0559" Almighty|strong = "H7706" do|strong = "H6466" for|strong = "H4480" us|strong = "H0559"?'

18Yet he|strong = "H1931" filled|strong = "H4390" their|strong = "H4390" houses|strong = "H1004" with|strong = "H4390" good|strong = "H2896" things,

**b** ut|strong = "H7563" the|strong = "H4480" counsel|strong = "H6098" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H4480" wicked|strong = "H7563" is|strong = "H1931" far|strong = "H7368" from|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480".

19The|strong = "H7200" righteous|strong = "H6662" see|strong = "H7200" it|strong = "H7200", and|strong = "H7200" are|strong = "H6662" glad|strong = "H8055".

**T** he|strong = "H7200" innocent|strong = "H5355" ridicule them|strong = "H7200",

20saying, 'Surely|strong = "H0518" those|strong = "H0398" who|strong = "H3808" rose up|strong = "H0398" against us are|strong = "H3808" cut|strong = "H3582" off|strong = "H3582".

**T** he|strong = "H0398" fire|strong = "H0784" has|strong = "H0784" consumed|strong = "H0398" their|strong = "H0398" remnant.'

21"Acquaint yourself|strong = "H5973" with|strong = "H5973" him|strong = "H5973" now|strong = "H4994", and|strong = "H0935" be|strong = "H4994" at|strong = "H0935" peace.

**B** y|strong = "H0935" it|strong = "H7999", good|strong = "H2896" will|strong = "H0935" come|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0935" you|strong = "H5973".

22Please|strong = "H4994" receive|strong = "H3947" instruction|strong = "H8451" from|strong = "H3947" his|strong = "H3947" mouth|strong = "H6310",

**a** nd|strong = "H6310" lay|strong = "H7760" up|strong = "H7760" his|strong = "H3947" words|strong = "H0561" in|strong = "H6310" your|strong = "H7760" heart|strong = "H3824".

23If you return  
to the Almighty,  
you will be  
built up

if you put  
away unrighteousness  
far from you  
tents.

24Lay your treasure  
in the dust,

the gold of  
Ophir amongst the  
stones of the  
brooks.

25The Almighty will  
be your treasure,

and precious silver  
to you.

26For then you  
will delight  
in the Almighty,

and will lift  
up your face  
to God.

27You will make  
your prayer to  
him, and he will  
hear you.

You will pay  
your vows.

28You will also  
decree a thing, and  
it will be  
established to you.

L ight|strong = "H0216" will|strong = "H0216" shine|strong = "H5050"  
on|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" ways|strong = "H1870".

29When|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" cast|strong = "H8213"  
down|strong = "H8213", you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5869"  
say|strong = "H0559", 'be|strong = "H3588" lifted up.'

H e|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5869" save|strong = "H3467"  
the|strong = "H0559" humble person.

30He will|strong = "H4422" even deliver|strong = "H4422"  
him|strong = "H4422" who is|strong = "H3709" not  
innocent|strong = "H5355".

Y es, he will|strong = "H4422" be delivered|strong = "H4422" through  
the|strong = "H4422" cleanness|strong = "H1252" of|strong = "H3709"  
your|strong = "H4422" hands|strong = "H3709".

23Then|strong = "H6030" Job|strong = "H0347"  
answered|strong = "H0559",

2"Even|strong = "H1571" today|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H5921"  
complaint|strong = "H7879" is|strong = "H1571" rebellious|strong = "H4805".

H is|strong = "H5921" hand|strong = "H3027" is|strong = "H1571"  
heavy|strong = "H3513" in|strong = "H5921" spite|strong = "H5921"  
of|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H5921" groaning|strong = "H0585".

3Oh|strong = "H4310" that|strong = "H3045" I|strong = "H5414"  
knew|strong = "H3045" where I|strong = "H5414" might  
find|strong = "H4672" him|strong = "H5414"!

T hat|strong = "H3045" I|strong = "H5414" might come|strong = "H0935"  
even|strong = "H5704" to|strong = "H0935" his|strong = "H5414"  
seat|strong = "H8499"!

4I would set|strong = "H4390" my|strong = "H6440"  
cause|strong = "H4941" in|strong = "H6440" order|strong = "H4941"  
before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440",

a nd|strong = "H4941" fill|strong = "H4390" my|strong = "H6440"  
mouth|strong = "H6310" with|strong = "H4390" arguments.

5I|strong = "H3045" would|strong = "H4100" know|strong = "H3045"  
 the|strong = "H0559" words|strong = "H4405" which|strong = "H4100"  
 he|strong = "H0559" would|strong = "H4100" answer|strong = "H6030"  
 me|strong = "H0995",

a nd|strong = "H3045" understand|strong = "H0995" what|strong = "H4100"  
 he|strong = "H0559" would|strong = "H4100" tell|strong = "H0559"  
 me|strong = "H0995".

6Would|strong = "H5978" he|strong = "H1931" contend|strong = "H7378"  
 with|strong = "H7378" me|strong = "H7760" in|strong = "H3808"  
 the|strong = "H7760" greatness of|strong = "H3808" his|strong = "H7760"  
 power|strong = "H3581"?"

N o|strong = "H3808", but|strong = "H0389" he|strong = "H1931"  
 would|strong = "H5978" listen to|strong = "H0389" me|strong = "H7760".

7There|strong = "H8033" the|strong = "H8033" upright|strong = "H3477"  
 might reason|strong = "H3198" with|strong = "H5973" him|strong = "H5973",

s o|strong = "H8033" I|strong = "H8033" should be|strong = "H5331"  
 delivered|strong = "H6403" forever|strong = "H5331" from|strong = "H5973"  
 my|strong = "H8199" judge|strong = "H8199".

8"If|strong = "H2005" I|strong = "H2005" go|strong = "H1980"  
 east|strong = "H6924", he|strong = "H3808" is|strong = "H0369"  
 not|strong = "H3808" there|strong = "H0369".

I f|strong = "H2005" I|strong = "H2005" go|strong = "H1980"  
 west|strong = "H0268", I|strong = "H2005" can't|strong = "H3808" find  
 him|strong = "H1980".

9He|strong = "H6213" works|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H7200"  
 the|strong = "H7200" north|strong = "H8040", but|strong = "H3808"  
 I|strong = "H7200" can't|strong = "H3808" see|strong = "H7200"  
 him|strong = "H7200".

H e|strong = "H6213" turns south|strong = "H3225", but|strong = "H3808"  
 I|strong = "H7200" can't|strong = "H3808" catch a|strong = "H7200" glimpse  
 of|strong = "H3225" him|strong = "H7200".

10But he knows the way I take.

When he has tried me, I will come out like gold.

11My foot has held fast to his steps.

I have kept his way, and not turned away.

12I haven't gone back from the commandment of his lips.

I have treasured up the words of his mouth more than my necessary food.

13But he stands alone, and who can oppose him?

What his soul desires, even that he does.

14For he performs that which is appointed for me.

Many such things are with him.

15Therefore I am terrified at his presence.

When I consider, I am afraid of him.

16For God has made my heart faint.

The Almighty has terrified me.

17Because I was not cut off before, the darkness,

neither did he cover the darkness from my face.

24“Why aren’t times laid up by the Almighty?”

Why don’t those who know him see his days?

2There are people who remove the landmarks.

They violently take away flocks, and feed them.

3They drive away the donkey of the fatherless,

and they take the widow's ox for a pledge.

4They turn the needy out of the way.

The poor of the earth all hide themselves.

5Behold, as wild donkeys in the desert,

they go out to seek food diligently for food.

The wilderness yields them bread for their children.

6They cut their food in the field.

They glean the vineyard of the wicked.

7They lie all night naked without clothing,

and have no covering in the cold.

8They are wet with the showers the mountains,

**a** nd|strong="H2022" embrace|strong="H2263" the|strong="H2022" rock|strong="H6697" for|strong="H2022" lack|strong="H1097" of|strong="H2022" a|strong="H2022" shelter|strong="H4268".

9There are|strong="H6041" those who|strong="H6041" pluck the|strong="H1497" fatherless|strong="H3490" from the|strong="H1497" breast|strong="H7699",

**a** nd|strong="H6041" take|strong="H2254" a|strong="H1497" pledge of|strong="H1497" the|strong="H1497" poor|strong="H6041",

10so|strong="H1980" that|strong="H1980" they|strong="H5375" go|strong="H1980" around|strong="H1980" naked|strong="H6174" without|strong="H1097" clothing|strong="H3830".

**B** eing hungry|strong="H7456", they|strong="H5375" carry|strong="H5375" the|strong="H5375" sheaves.

11They|strong="H7791" make oil|strong="H6671" within|strong="H0996" the|strong="H0996" walls|strong="H7791" of|strong="H0996" these men.

**T** hey|strong="H7791" tread|strong="H1869" wine|strong="H3342" presses|strong="H3342", and|strong="H0996" suffer thirst|strong="H6770".

12From|strong="H5315" out|strong="H7768" of|strong="H5315" the|strong="H7760" populous city|strong="H5892", men|strong="H4962" groan|strong="H5008".

**T** he|strong="H7760" soul|strong="H5315" of|strong="H5315" the|strong="H7760" wounded|strong="H2491" cries|strong="H7768" out|strong="H7768",

**y** et|strong="H3808" God|strong="H0433" doesn't|strong="H3808" regard the|strong="H7760" folly|strong="H8604".

13"These|strong="H1992" are|strong="H1992" of|strong="H3427" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H3427" rebel|strong="H4775" against|strong="H4775" the|strong="H1961" light|strong="H0216".

**T** hey|strong="H1992" don't|strong="H3808" know|strong="H5234" its|strong="H1961" ways|strong="H1870",



n or|strong = "H3808" stay|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427"  
its|strong = "H1961" paths|strong = "H5410".

14The|strong = "H1961" murderer|strong = "H7523" rises|strong = "H6965"  
with|strong = "H6041" the|strong = "H1961" light|strong = "H0216".

H e kills|strong = "H7523" the|strong = "H1961" poor|strong = "H6041"  
and|strong = "H6965" needy|strong = "H0034".

I n|strong = "H6965" the|strong = "H1961" night|strong = "H3915" he  
is|strong = "H0216" like|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
thief|strong = "H1590".

15The|strong = "H0559" eye|strong = "H5869" also of|strong = "H5869"  
the|strong = "H0559" adulterer|strong = "H5003" waits|strong = "H8104"  
for|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H0559" twilight|strong = "H5399",

s aying|strong = "H0559", 'No|strong = "H3808" eye|strong = "H5869"  
will|strong = "H5869" see|strong = "H5869" me|strong = "H6440".'

H e|strong = "H3808" disguises his|strong = "H8104" face|strong = "H6440".

16In|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3045" dark|strong = "H2822"  
they|strong = "H3808" dig|strong = "H2864" through  
houses|strong = "H1004".

T hey|strong = "H3808" shut|strong = "H2856" themselves  
up|strong = "H2856" in|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3045"  
daytime|strong = "H3119".

T hey|strong = "H3808" don't|strong = "H3808" know|strong = "H3045"  
the|strong = "H3045" light|strong = "H0216".

17For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" morning|strong = "H1242"  
is|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H1242" all|strong = "H3162"  
of|strong = "H6757" them|strong = "H5234" like|strong = "H3162"  
thick|strong = "H6757" darkness|strong = "H6757",

f or|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H5234"  
the|strong = "H3588" terrors|strong = "H1091" of|strong = "H6757"  
the|strong = "H3588" thick|strong = "H6757" darkness|strong = "H6757".

18“They are foam on the surface of the waters.”

Their portion is cursed in the earth.

They don't turn into the way of the vineyards.

19Drought and heat consume the snow waters,

so those who have sinned

20The womb will forget him.

The worm will feed sweetly on him.

He will be no more remembered.

Uprighteousness will be broken as a tree.

21He devours the barren who don't bear.

He shows no kindness to the widow.

<sup>11</sup> + 24:19 Sheol is the place of the dead.

22 Yet God preserves  
the mighty by  
his power.

He rises up  
who has no  
assurance of life.

23 God gives them  
security, and they  
rest in it.

His eyes are  
on their ways.

24 They are exalted;  
yet a little  
while, and they  
are gone.

Yes, they are  
brought low, they  
are taken out  
of the way  
as all others,

and are cut off  
as the tops  
of the ears  
of grain.

25 If it isn't  
so now, who  
will prove me  
a liar,

and make my  
speech worth nothing?

25 Then Bildad the  
Shuhite answered,

2“Dominion and fear  
are with him.

**H** e|strong = "H6213" makes|strong = "H6213" peace|strong = "H7965"  
in|strong = "H4910" his|strong = "H4910" high|strong = "H4791"  
places|strong = "H4791".

3Can|strong = "H4310" his|strong = "H5921" armies|strong = "H3808"  
be|strong = "H3808" counted|strong = "H4557"?

**O** n|strong = "H5921" whom|strong = "H4310" does|strong = "H3808"  
his|strong = "H5921" light|strong = "H0216" not|strong = "H3808"  
arise|strong = "H6965"?

4How|strong = "H4100" then|strong = "H4100" can|strong = "H4100"  
man|strong = "H0582" be|strong = "H0582" just|strong = "H6663"  
with|strong = "H5973" God|strong = "H0410"?

**O** r|strong = "H0410" how|strong = "H4100" can|strong = "H4100"  
he|strong = "H0802" who|strong = "H0410" is|strong = "H4100"  
born|strong = "H3205" of|strong = "H3205" a|strong = "H3205"  
woman|strong = "H0802" be|strong = "H0582" clean|strong = "H2135"?

5Behold|strong = "H2005", even|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5704"  
moon|strong = "H3394" has|strong = "H5869" no|strong = "H3808"  
brightness|strong = "H0166",

**a** nd|strong = "H5869" the|strong = "H5704" stars|strong = "H3556"  
are|strong = "H5869" not|strong = "H3808" pure|strong = "H2141"  
in|strong = "H3808" his|strong = "H3808" sight|strong = "H5869";

6How|strong = "H0637" much|strong = "H0637" less|strong = "H0637"  
man|strong = "H0120", who|strong = "H1121" is|strong = "H1121"  
a|strong = "H3588" worm|strong = "H7415",

**a** nd|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3588" son|strong = "H1121"  
of|strong = "H1121" man|strong = "H0120", who|strong = "H1121"  
is|strong = "H1121" a|strong = "H3588" worm|strong = "H7415"!"

26Then|strong = "H6030" Job|strong = "H0347"  
answered|strong = "H0559",

2"How|strong = "H4100" have|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H3808"  
helped|strong = "H5826" him|strong = "H5826" who|strong = "H4100"  
is|strong = "H4100" without|strong = "H3808" power|strong = "H5797"!"

**H**ow|strong="H4100" have|strong="H3808" you|strong="H3808" saved|strong="H3467" the|strong="H3808" arm|strong="H2220" that|strong="H3808" has|strong="H4100" no|strong="H3808" strength|strong="H5797"!

3How|strong="H4100" have|strong="H3045" you|strong="H3045" counselled him|strong="H3045" who|strong="H4100" has|strong="H4100" no|strong="H3808" wisdom|strong="H2451",

**a**nd|strong="H2451" plentifully declared sound|strong="H8454" knowledge|strong="H3045"!

4To|strong="H3318" whom|strong="H4310" have|strong="H4405" you|strong="H5046" uttered|strong="H5046" words|strong="H4405"?

**W**hose|strong="H4310" spirit|strong="H5397" came|strong="H3318" out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H4480" you|strong="H5046"?

5“The|strong="H8478" departed|strong="H7496" spirits|strong="H7496" tremble|strong="H2342",

**t**hose beneath|strong="H8478" the|strong="H8478" waters|strong="H4325" and|strong="H4325" all that|strong="H4325" live|strong="H7931" in|strong="H7931" them|strong="H8478".

6Sheol|strong="H7585"<sup>12</sup> is|strong="H0369" naked|strong="H6174" before|strong="H5048" God|strong="H0369",

**a**nd|strong="H7585" Abaddon|strong="H0011"<sup>13</sup> has|strong="H0369" no|strong="H0369" covering|strong="H3682".

7He|strong="H5921" stretches|strong="H5186" out|strong="H5186" the|strong="H5921" north|strong="H6828" over|strong="H5921" empty|strong="H8414" space|strong="H8414",

**a**nd|strong="H0776" hangs|strong="H8518" the|strong="H5921" earth|strong="H0776" on|strong="H5921" nothing|strong="H8414".

<sup>12</sup> + 26:6 Sheol is the place of the dead.

<sup>13</sup> + 26:6 Abaddon means Destroyer.

8He|strong = "H3808" binds up|strong = "H1234" the|strong = "H8478"  
waters|strong = "H4325" in|strong = "H3808" his|strong = "H8478"  
thick|strong = "H5645" clouds|strong = "H5645",

a nd|strong = "H4325" the|strong = "H8478" cloud|strong = "H6051"  
is|strong = "H4325" not|strong = "H3808" burst|strong = "H1234"  
under|strong = "H8478" them|strong = "H8478".

9He|strong = "H5921" encloses the|strong = "H6440" face|strong = "H6440"  
of|strong = "H6440" his|strong = "H5921" throne|strong = "H3678",

a nd|strong = "H6440" spreads|strong = "H6576" his|strong = "H5921"  
cloud|strong = "H6051" on|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921".

10He|strong = "H5704" has|strong = "H5973" described a|strong = "H5921"  
boundary|strong = "H2706" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
surface|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
waters|strong = "H4325",

a nd|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H6440" confines  
of|strong = "H6440" light|strong = "H0216" and|strong = "H6440"  
darkness|strong = "H2822".

11The|strong = "H8064" pillars|strong = "H5982" of|strong = "H5982"  
heaven|strong = "H8064" tremble|strong = "H7322"

a nd|strong = "H8064" are|strong = "H8064" astonished|strong = "H8539"  
at|strong = "H8539" his rebuke|strong = "H1606".

12He|strong = "H8394" stirs up|strong = "H3220" the|strong = "H4272"  
sea|strong = "H3220" with|strong = "H3220" his power|strong = "H3581",

a nd|strong = "H3220" by his understanding|strong = "H8394"  
he|strong = "H8394" strikes|strong = "H4272" through|strong = "H4272"  
Rahab|strong = "H7293".

13By|strong = "H3027" his|strong = "H3027" Spirit|strong = "H7307"  
the|strong = "H3027" heavens|strong = "H8064" are|strong = "H3027"  
garnished.

H is|strong = "H3027" hand|strong = "H3027" has|strong = "H3027"  
pierced|strong = "H2490" the|strong = "H3027" swift  
serpent|strong = "H5175".

14Behold|strong = "H2005", these|strong = "H0428" are|strong = "H0428"  
but|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085" outskirts of|strong = "H1697"  
his|strong = "H8085" ways|strong = "H1870".

**H** ow|strong = "H4100" small a|strong = "H8085" whisper|strong = "H8102"  
do|strong = "H4100" we|strong = "H8085" hear|strong = "H8085"  
of|strong = "H1697" him|strong = "H8085"!

**B** ut|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085" thunder|strong = "H7482"  
of|strong = "H1697" his|strong = "H8085" power|strong = "H1369"  
who|strong = "H4310" can|strong = "H4310" understand|strong = "H0995"?"

27Job|strong = "H0347" again|strong = "H3254" took|strong = "H5375"  
up|strong = "H5375" his|strong = "H5375" parable|strong = "H4912",  
and|strong = "H4912" said|strong = "H0559",

2"As|strong = "H5315" God|strong = "H0410" lives|strong = "H5315",  
who|strong = "H5315" has|strong = "H0410" taken|strong = "H5493"  
away|strong = "H5493" my|strong = "H5493" right|strong = "H4941",

**t** he|strong = "H5493" Almighty|strong = "H7706", who|strong = "H5315"  
has|strong = "H0410" made|strong = "H4843" my|strong = "H5493"  
soul|strong = "H5315" bitter|strong = "H4843"

3(for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" length of|strong = "H7307"  
my|strong = "H3605" life|strong = "H5750" is|strong = "H3605"  
still|strong = "H5750" in|strong = "H5750" me|strong = "H3605",

**a** nd|strong = "H0639" the|strong = "H3605" spirit|strong = "H7307"  
of|strong = "H7307" God|strong = "H0433" is|strong = "H3605"  
in|strong = "H5750" my|strong = "H3605" nostrils|strong = "H0639");

4surely|strong = "H0518" my|strong = "H0518" lips|strong = "H8193"  
will|strong = "H0518" not|strong = "H0518" speak|strong = "H1696"  
unrighteousness|strong = "H5766",

**n** either|strong = "H0518" will|strong = "H0518" my|strong = "H0518"  
tongue|strong = "H3956" utter|strong = "H1897" deceit|strong = "H7423".

5Far|strong = "H5704" be|strong = "H3808" it|strong = "H0518"  
from|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480" that|strong = "H4480"  
I|strong = "H0518" should|strong = "H0518" justify|strong = "H6663"  
you|strong = "H0518".

U ntil|strong="H5704" I|strong="H0518" die|strong="H1478"  
 I|strong="H0518" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
 put|strong="H5493" away|strong="H5493" my|strong="H5493"  
 integrity|strong="H8538" from|strong="H4480" me|strong="H4480".

6I|strong="H3117" hold|strong="H2388" fast|strong="H2388"  
 to|strong="H3117" my|strong="H2388" righteousness|strong="H6666",  
 and|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
 let|strong="H7503" it|strong="H3808" go|strong="H7503".

M y|strong="H2388" heart|strong="H3824" will|strong="H3808"  
 not|strong="H3808" reproach|strong="H2778" me|strong="H2388"  
 so|strong="H3808" long|strong="H3117" as|strong="H3824"  
 I|strong="H3117" live|strong="H3117".

7“Let|strong="H1961" my|strong="H1961" enemy|strong="H0341"  
 be|strong="H1961" as|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961"  
 wicked|strong="H7563".

L et|strong="H1961" him|strong="H1961" who|strong="H7563"  
 rises|strong="H6965" up|strong="H6965" against me|strong="H1961"  
 be|strong="H1961" as|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961" unrighteous.

8For|strong="H3588" what|strong="H4100" is|strong="H4100"  
 the|strong="H3588" hope|strong="H8615" of|strong="H5315"  
 the|strong="H3588" godless|strong="H2611", when|strong="H3588"  
 he|strong="H3588" is|strong="H4100" cut|strong="H1214"  
 off|strong="H1214",

w hen|strong="H3588" God|strong="H0433" takes|strong="H1214"  
 away his|strong="H3588" life|strong="H5315"?

9Will|strong="H0410" God|strong="H0410" hear|strong="H8085"  
 his|strong="H5921" cry|strong="H6818" when|strong="H3588"  
 trouble|strong="H6869" comes|strong="H0935" on|strong="H5921"  
 him|strong="H5921"?

10Will|strong="H0518" he|strong="H0518" delight|strong="H6026"  
 himself|strong="H7706" in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605"  
 Almighty|strong="H7706",



**a** nd|strong="H7121" call|strong="H7121" on|strong="H5921"  
 God|strong="H0433" at|strong="H5921" all|strong="H3605"  
 times|strong="H6256"?

11I|strong="H0834" will|strong="H0834" teach|strong="H3384"  
 you|strong="H0834" about the|strong="H0853" hand|strong="H3027"  
 of|strong="H3027" God|strong="H0410".

**I** |strong="H0834" will|strong="H0834" not|strong="H3808"  
 conceal|strong="H3582" that|strong="H0834" which|strong="H0834"  
 is|strong="H0834" with|strong="H5973" the|strong="H0853"  
 Almighty|strong="H7706".

12Behold|strong="H2005", all|strong="H3605" of|strong="H3605"  
 you|strong="H0859" have|strong="H0859" seen|strong="H2372"  
 it|strong="H3605" yourselves|strong="H0859";

**w** hy|strong="H4100" then|strong="H2088" have|strong="H0859"  
 you|strong="H0859" become altogether|strong="H3605"  
 vain|strong="H1892"?

13"This|strong="H2088" is|strong="H2088" the|strong="H3947"  
 portion|strong="H2506" of|strong="H0410" a|strong="H3947"  
 wicked|strong="H7563" man|strong="H0120" with|strong="H5973"  
 God|strong="H0410",

**t** he|strong="H3947" heritage|strong="H5159" of|strong="H0410"  
 oppressors, which|strong="H2088" they receive|strong="H3947"  
 from|strong="H3947" the|strong="H3947" Almighty|strong="H7706".

14If|strong="H0518" his|strong="H0518" children|strong="H1121"  
 are|strong="H1121" multiplied|strong="H7235", it|strong="H0518"  
 is|strong="H1121" for|strong="H0518" the|strong="H0518"  
 sword|strong="H2719".

**H** is|strong="H0518" offspring|strong="H6631" will|strong="H2719"  
 not|strong="H3808" be|strong="H3808" satisfied|strong="H7646"  
 with|strong="H7646" bread|strong="H3899".

15Those who|strong="H8300" remain|strong="H3808"  
 of|strong="H4194" him|strong="H6912" will|strong="H3808"  
 be|strong="H3808" buried|strong="H6912" in|strong="H6912"  
 death|strong="H4194".

**H** is|strong="H3808" widows|strong="H0490" will|strong="H3808"  
make no|strong="H3808" lamentation.

16Though|strong="H0518" he|strong="H0518" heap|strong="H6083"  
up|strong="H6651" silver|strong="H3701" as|strong="H3701"  
the|strong="H0518" dust|strong="H6083",

**a** nd|strong="H3701" prepare|strong="H3559" clothing  
as|strong="H3701" the|strong="H0518" clay;

17he may prepare|strong="H3559" it|strong="H3559",  
but|strong="H6662" the|strong="H3559" just|strong="H6662"  
will|strong="H6662" put|strong="H3847" it|strong="H3559"  
on|strong="H3847",

**a** nd|strong="H3701" the|strong="H3559" innocent|strong="H5355"  
will|strong="H6662" divide|strong="H2505" the|strong="H3559"  
silver|strong="H3701".

18He|strong="H6213" builds|strong="H1129" his|strong="H5341"  
house|strong="H1004" as|strong="H1004" the|strong="H1129"  
moth|strong="H6211",

**a** s|strong="H1004" a|strong="H1129" booth|strong="H5521"  
which|strong="H1004" the|strong="H1129" watchman|strong="H5341"  
makes|strong="H6213".

19He|strong="H3808" lies|strong="H7901" down|strong="H7901"  
rich|strong="H6223", but|strong="H3808" he|strong="H3808"  
will|strong="H5869" not|strong="H3808" do|strong="H0369"  
so|strong="H3808" again|strong="H0622".

**H** e|strong="H3808" opens his|strong="H3808" eyes|strong="H5869",  
and|strong="H5869" he|strong="H3808" is|strong="H0369"  
not|strong="H3808".

20Terrors|strong="H1091" overtake|strong="H5381"  
him|strong="H5381" like waters|strong="H4325".

**A** |strong="H1589" storm steals|strong="H1589" him|strong="H5381"  
away|strong="H1589" in|strong="H4325" the|strong="H3915"  
night|strong="H3915".

21The east wind carries him away, and he departs.

I t sweeps him out of his place.

22For it hurls at him, and does not spare,

as he flees away from his hand.

23Men will clap their hands at him,

and will hiss at him out of his place.

24“Surely there is a mine of silver,

and a place of gold which they refine.

2Iron is taken out of the earth,

and copper is smelted out of the ore.

3Man sets an end to darkness,

and searches out the furthest bound,

the stones of  
obscurity and of  
thick darkness.

4He breaks open a  
shaft away from where  
people live.

They are forgotten  
by the foot.

They hang far from  
men, they swing back  
and forth.

5As for the  
earth, out of  
it comes bread.

Underneath it  
turned up as  
it were by  
fire.

6Sapphires come from  
its rocks.

It has dust  
of gold.

7That path no  
bird of prey  
knows,

neither has the  
falcon's eye seen  
it.

8The proud animals  
have not trodden  
it,

**n** or|strong = "H3808" has|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5921" fierce  
lion|strong = "H7826" passed by|strong = "H5921" there.

9He|strong = "H7971" puts|strong = "H7971" his|strong = "H7971"  
hand|strong = "H3027" on|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H7971"  
flinty|strong = "H2496" rock,

**a** nd|strong = "H3027" he|strong = "H7971" overturns|strong = "H2015"  
the|strong = "H7971" mountains|strong = "H2022" by|strong = "H3027"  
the|strong = "H7971" roots|strong = "H8328".

10He|strong = "H3605" cuts out|strong = "H7200"  
channels|strong = "H2975" amongst the|strong = "H3605"  
rocks|strong = "H6697".

**H** is|strong = "H3605" eye|strong = "H5869" sees|strong = "H7200"  
every|strong = "H3605" precious|strong = "H3366" thing|strong = "H3605".

11He|strong = "H3318" binds|strong = "H2280" the|strong = "H3318"  
streams|strong = "H5104" that|strong = "H5104" they|strong = "H3318" don't  
trickle.

**T** he|strong = "H3318" thing that|strong = "H5104" is|strong = "H0216"  
hidden|strong = "H8587" he|strong = "H3318" brings|strong = "H3318"  
out|strong = "H3318" to|strong = "H3318" light|strong = "H0216".

12"But where|strong = "H0335" will|strong = "H2088"  
wisdom|strong = "H2451" be|strong = "H2451" found|strong = "H4672"?"

**W** here|strong = "H0335" is|strong = "H2088" the|strong = "H4672"  
place|strong = "H4725" of|strong = "H4725"  
understanding|strong = "H0998"?"

13Man|strong = "H0582" doesn't|strong = "H3808" know|strong = "H3045"  
its|strong = "H3045" price,

**a** nd|strong = "H0776" it|strong = "H3045" isn't|strong = "H3808"  
found|strong = "H4672" in|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H3045"  
land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H3045"  
living|strong = "H2416".

14The deep says,  
‘It isn’t in  
me.’

The sea says,  
‘It isn’t with  
me.’

15It can’t be gotten  
for gold,

neither will silver  
be weighed for  
its price.

16It can’t be valued  
with the gold of  
Ophir,

with the precious  
onyx, or the  
sapphire.<sup>14</sup>

17Gold and glass  
can’t equal it,

neither will it  
be exchanged for  
jewels of fine  
gold.

18No mention will  
be made of coral  
or of crystal.

Yes, the price of  
wisdom is above rubies.

19The topaz of  
Ethiopia will not equal  
it.

<sup>14</sup> + 28:16 or, lapis lazuli

I t|strong="H3808" won't|strong="H3808" be|strong="H3808" valued  
with pure|strong="H2889" gold|strong="H3800".

20Where|strong="H0335" then|strong="H2088" does|strong="H2088"  
wisdom|strong="H2451" come|strong="H0935" from|strong="H0935"?

W here|strong="H0335" is|strong="H2088" the|strong="H0935"  
place|strong="H4725" of|strong="H4725"  
understanding|strong="H0998"?

21Seeing it|strong="H3605" is|strong="H3605" hidden|strong="H5641"  
from|strong="H5869" the|strong="H3605" eyes|strong="H5869"  
of|strong="H5869" all|strong="H3605" living|strong="H2416",

a nd|strong="H8064" kept close|strong="H5956" from|strong="H5869"  
the|strong="H3605" birds|strong="H5775" of|strong="H5869"  
the|strong="H3605" sky|strong="H8064".

22Destruction|strong="H0011" and|strong="H8085"  
Death|strong="H4194" say|strong="H0559",

‘ We|strong="H8085" have|strong="H4194" heard|strong="H8085"  
a|strong="H8085" rumour of|strong="H4194" it with|strong="H8085"  
our|strong="H8085" ears|strong="H0241".’

23“God|strong="H0430" understands|strong="H0995"  
its|strong="H0853" way|strong="H1870”,

a nd|strong="H0430" he|strong="H1931" knows|strong="H3045"  
its|strong="H0853" place|strong="H4725".

24For|strong="H3588" he|strong="H1931" looks|strong="H7200"  
to|strong="H0776" the|strong="H3605" ends|strong="H7098"  
of|strong="H0776" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776”,

a nd|strong="H0776" sees|strong="H7200" under|strong="H8478"  
the|strong="H3605" whole|strong="H3605" sky|strong="H8064".

25He|strong="H6213" establishes the|strong="H6213" force  
of|strong="H7307" the|strong="H6213" wind|strong="H7307".

Yes, he measures out waters by his measure.

26When he made a decree for the rain,

and a way for the lightning of the thunder,

27then he saw it, and declared it.

He established it, yes, and searched it out.

28To man he said,

‘ Behold, the fear of the Lord, that is wisdom.

To depart from evil is understanding.’”

29Job again took up his parable, and said,

2“Oh that I were as months old,

as days when God watched over me;

<sup>15</sup> + 28:28 The word translated “Lord” (mixed case) is “Adonai.”



3when|strong="H1984" his|strong="H5921" lamp|strong="H5216"  
shone on|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921" head|strong="H7218",

a nd|strong="H7218" by|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921"  
light|strong="H0216" I|strong="H5921" walked through|strong="H5921"  
darkness|strong="H2822",

4as|strong="H0834" I|strong="H0834" was|strong="H1961"  
in|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921" prime|strong="H2779",

w hen|strong="H1961" the|strong="H0834" friendship|strong="H5475"  
of|strong="H3117" God|strong="H0433" was|strong="H1961"  
in|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921" tent|strong="H0168",

5when the|strong="H5439" Almighty|strong="H7706"  
was|strong="H5288" yet|strong="H5750" with|strong="H5750"  
me|strong="H5978",

a nd|strong="H5288" my|strong="H5750" children|strong="H5288"  
were|strong="H5288" around|strong="H5439" me|strong="H5978",

6when my|strong="H7364" steps|strong="H1978"  
were|strong="H1978" washed|strong="H7364" with|strong="H7364"  
butter|strong="H2529",

a nd|strong="H8081" the|strong="H7364" rock|strong="H6697"  
poured|strong="H6694" out streams|strong="H6388" of|strong="H6697"  
oil|strong="H8081" for|strong="H8081" me|strong="H5978",

7when|strong="H3318" I|strong="H5921" went|strong="H3318"  
out|strong="H3318" to|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
city|strong="H7176" gate|strong="H8179",

w hen|strong="H3318" I|strong="H5921" prepared|strong="H3559"  
my|strong="H5921" seat|strong="H4186" in|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" street|strong="H7339".

8The|strong="H7200" young|strong="H5288" men|strong="H5288"  
saw|strong="H7200" me|strong="H7200" and|strong="H6965"  
hid|strong="H2244" themselves|strong="H2244".

T he|strong="H7200" aged|strong="H3453" rose|strong="H6965"  
up|strong="H6965" and|strong="H6965" stood|strong="H5975".

9The|strong = "H7760" princes|strong = "H8269" refrained  
from|strong = "H6113" talking|strong = "H4405",

a nd|strong = "H6310" laid|strong = "H7760" their|strong = "H7760"  
hand|strong = "H3709" on|strong = "H7760" their|strong = "H7760"  
mouth|strong = "H6310".

10The|strong = "H6963" voice|strong = "H6963" of|strong = "H6963"  
the|strong = "H6963" nobles|strong = "H5057" was|strong = "H6963"  
hushed|strong = "H2244",

a nd|strong = "H6963" their|strong = "H3956" tongue|strong = "H3956"  
stuck|strong = "H1692" to|strong = "H1692" the|strong = "H6963"  
roof|strong = "H2441" of|strong = "H6963" their|strong = "H3956"  
mouth|strong = "H2441".

11For|strong = "H3588" when|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
ear|strong = "H0241" heard|strong = "H8085" me|strong = "H7200",  
then|strong = "H8085" it|strong = "H3588" blessed|strong = "H0833"  
me|strong = "H7200",

a nd|strong = "H5869" when|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
eye|strong = "H5869" saw|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7200",  
it|strong = "H3588" commended me|strong = "H7200",

12because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
delivered|strong = "H4422" the|strong = "H3588" poor|strong = "H6041"  
who|strong = "H6041" cried|strong = "H7768",

a nd|strong = "H6041" the|strong = "H3588" fatherless|strong = "H3490"  
also|strong = "H3588", who|strong = "H6041" had|strong = "H3588"  
no|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H4422"  
help|strong = "H5826" him|strong = "H5826",

13the|strong = "H5921" blessing|strong = "H1293" of|strong = "H5921"  
him|strong = "H5921" who was|strong = "H3820" ready to|strong = "H0935"  
perish|strong = "H0006" came|strong = "H0935" on|strong = "H5921"  
me|strong = "H5921",

a nd|strong = "H0935" I|strong = "H5921" caused the|strong = "H5921"  
widow's|strong = "H0490" heart|strong = "H3820" to|strong = "H0935"  
sing|strong = "H7442" for|strong = "H5921" joy|strong = "H7442".

14I put **on** righteousness clothed **me**.

**My** justice **was** as **a** robe and **a** diadem.

15I **was** **the** blind,

**and** **feet** **to** **the** lame.

16I **was** **a** father **to** **the** needy.

**I** **researched** **the** cause **of** **him** **whom** **I** **didn't** **know**.

17I **broke** **the** jaws **of** **the** unrighteous

**and** **plucked** **the** prey **out** **of** **his** **teeth**.

18Then **I** **said**,  
'**I** **will** **die**  
**in** **my** **own** **house**,

**I** **will** **count** **my** **days** **as** **the** sand.

19My **root** **is** spread **out** **to** **the** waters.

The dew lies all night  
on my branch.

20 My glory is fresh  
in me.

My bow is renewed  
in my hand.

21 “Men listened to me,  
waited

and  
my counsel.

22 After my words  
they didn’t speak  
again.

My speech fell  
on them.

23 They waited for  
me as for the rain.

Their mouths drank as  
with the spring  
rain.

24 I smiled on  
them when they  
had no confidence.

They didn’t reject  
the light of  
my face.

25 I chose out  
their way, and  
sat as chief.

I |strong = "H0834" lived|strong = "H3427" as|strong = "H0834"  
 a|strong = "H0834" king|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H3427"  
 the|strong = "H0834" army|strong = "H3427",

a s|strong = "H0834" one|strong = "H0834" who|strong = "H0834"  
 comforts|strong = "H5162" the|strong = "H0834" mourners|strong = "H0057".

30"But|strong = "H6258" now|strong = "H6258" those|strong = "H0834"  
 who|strong = "H0834" are|strong = "H0834" younger|strong = "H6810"  
 than|strong = "H4480" I|strong = "H0834" have|strong = "H0834"  
 me|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921" derision,

w hose|strong = "H0834" fathers|strong = "H0001" I|strong = "H0834"  
 considered unworthy to|strong = "H5921" put|strong = "H7896"  
 with|strong = "H5973" my|strong = "H5921" sheep|strong = "H6629"  
 dogs|strong = "H3611".

2Of|strong = "H3027" what|strong = "H4100" use is|strong = "H4100"  
 the|strong = "H5921" strength|strong = "H3581" of|strong = "H3027"  
 their|strong = "H5921" hands|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H5921"  
 me|strong = "H5921",

m en in|strong = "H5921" whom ripe age has|strong = "H4100"  
 perished|strong = "H0006"?

3They are gaunt|strong = "H1565" from lack and|strong = "H6723"  
 famine|strong = "H3720".

T hey gnaw|strong = "H6207" the|strong = "H6207" dry|strong = "H6723"  
 ground, in|strong = "H0570" the|strong = "H6207" gloom of waste  
 and|strong = "H6723" desolation|strong = "H4875".

4They|strong = "H5921" pluck|strong = "H6998" salt  
 herbs|strong = "H4408" by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 bushes|strong = "H7880".

T he|strong = "H5921" roots|strong = "H8328" of|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" broom|strong = "H7574" tree|strong = "H7574"  
 are|strong = "H8328" their|strong = "H5921" food|strong = "H3899".

5They|strong = "H5921" are driven|strong = "H1644" out|strong = "H4480"  
 from|strong = "H4480" amongst men.

**T** hey|strong = "H5921" cry|strong = "H7321" after|strong = "H4480"  
 them|strong = "H5921" as after|strong = "H4480" a|strong = "H4480"  
 thief|strong = "H1590",

6so that they live|strong = "H7931" in|strong = "H7931" frightful  
 valleys|strong = "H5158",

**a** nd|strong = "H6083" in|strong = "H7931" holes|strong = "H2356"  
 of|strong = "H6083" the|strong = "H7931" earth|strong = "H6083"  
 and|strong = "H6083" of|strong = "H6083" the|strong = "H7931"  
 rocks|strong = "H3710".

7They|strong = "H7880" bray|strong = "H5101" amongst  
 the|strong = "H8478" bushes|strong = "H7880".

**T** hey|strong = "H7880" are|strong = "H8478" gathered|strong = "H5596"  
 together|strong = "H8478" under|strong = "H8478" the|strong = "H8478"  
 nettles|strong = "H2738".

8They|strong = "H1571" are|strong = "H1121" children|strong = "H1121"  
 of|strong = "H1121" fools|strong = "H5036", yes|strong = "H1571",  
 children|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" wicked  
 men|strong = "H1121".

**T** hey|strong = "H1571" were|strong = "H1121" flogged  
 out|strong = "H4480" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H4480"  
 land|strong = "H0776".

9"Now|strong = "H6258" I|strong = "H6258" have|strong = "H1961"  
 become|strong = "H1961" their|strong = "H1992" song|strong = "H5058".

**Y** es, I|strong = "H6258" am|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
 byword|strong = "H4405" to|strong = "H1961" them|strong = "H1992".

10They|strong = "H3808" abhor|strong = "H8581" me|strong = "H6440",  
 they|strong = "H3808" stand|strong = "H7368" aloof|strong = "H7368"  
 from|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H6440",

**a** nd|strong = "H6440" don't|strong = "H3808" hesitate|strong = "H2820"  
 to|strong = "H6440" spit in|strong = "H6440" my|strong = "H4480"  
 face|strong = "H6440".

11 For he has untied his cord, and afflicted me;

and they have thrown off restraint before me.

12 On my right hand rise the rabble.

They thrust aside my feet.

They cast their ways of destruction up against me.

13 They mar my path.

They promote my destruction.

without anyone's help.

14 As through a wide breach they come.

They roll themselves in amid the ruin.

15 Terrors have turned on me.

They chase my honour as the wind.

My welfare has passed away as a cloud.

16“Now|strong = ”H6258” my|strong = ”H5921” soul|strong = ”H5315”  
is|strong = ”H5315” poured|strong = ”H8210” out|strong = ”H8210”  
within|strong = ”H5921” me|strong = ”H5315”.

**D** ays|strong = ”H3117” of|strong = ”H3117” affliction  
have|strong = ”H3117” taken|strong = ”H0270” hold|strong = ”H0270”  
of|strong = ”H3117” me|strong = ”H5315”.

17In|strong = ”H5921” the|strong = ”H5921” night|strong = ”H3915”  
season my|strong = ”H5921” bones|strong = ”H6106” are|strong = ”H6106”  
pierced in|strong = ”H5921” me|strong = ”H5921”,

**a** nd|strong = ”H3915” the|strong = ”H5921” pains|strong = ”H6106”  
that|strong = ”H3808” gnaw|strong = ”H6207” me|strong = ”H5921”  
take|strong = ”H7901” no|strong = ”H3808” rest|strong = ”H7901”.

18My|strong = ”H6310” garment|strong = ”H3830” is|strong = ”H6310”  
disfigured by great|strong = ”H7227” force.

**I** t|strong = ”H3830” binds|strong = ”H0247” me about as  
the|strong = ”H6310” collar|strong = ”H6310” of|strong = ”H6310”  
my|strong = ”H6310” tunic|strong = ”H3801”.

19He|strong = ”H3384” has cast|strong = ”H3384” me  
into|strong = ”H6083” the|strong = ”H3384” mire.

**I** have become like|strong = ”H0665” dust|strong = ”H6083”  
and|strong = ”H6083” ashes|strong = ”H0665”.

20I|strong = ”H3808” cry|strong = ”H7768” to|strong = ”H0413”  
you|strong = ”H3808”, and|strong = ”H5975” you|strong = ”H3808” do  
not|strong = ”H3808” answer|strong = ”H6030” me|strong = ”H0413”.

**I** |strong = ”H3808” stand|strong = ”H5975” up|strong = ”H5975”,  
and|strong = ”H5975” you|strong = ”H3808” gaze|strong = ”H0995”  
at|strong = ”H0413” me|strong = ”H0413”.

21You|strong = ”H3027” have|strong = ”H3027” turned|strong = ”H2015”  
to|strong = ”H3027” be|strong = ”H3027” cruel|strong = ”H0393”  
to|strong = ”H3027” me|strong = ”H7852”.



With the might of your hand you persecute me.

22 You lift me up to the wind, and drive me with it.

You dissolve me in the storm.

23 For I know that you will bring death to

to the appointed living.

24 "However one of his hands fall?

Or calamity therefore cry for help?"

25 Didn't I weep for him who was in trouble?

Wasn't my soul grieved for the needy?"

26 When I looked for good, then evil came.

When I waited for light, darkness came.

27 My heart is troubled, and doesn't rest.

Days of affliction have come on me.

28 I go mourning without the sun.

I stand up in the assembly, and cry for help.

29 I am a brother to jackals,

and a companion to ostriches.

30 My skin grows black and peels from me.

My bones are burnt with heat.

31 Therefore my harp has turned mourning,

and my pipe into the voice of those who weep.

31 "I made a covenant with my eyes";

how then should I look lustfully at a young woman?

2For what is the portion from the Lord above,

and the heritage from the Almighty on high?

3Is it calamity to the unrighteous,

and disaster to the workers of iniquity?

4Doesn't he see my ways,

and count all my steps?

5If I walked with falsehood,

and my foot hurried to deceit

6(let me be weighed in an even balance,

that God may know my integrity);

7if my step has turned out of the way,

i f|strong = "H0518" my|strong = "H4480" heart|strong = "H3820"  
walked|strong = "H1980" after|strong = "H0310" my|strong = "H4480"  
eyes|strong = "H5869",

i f|strong = "H0518" any|strong = "H4480" defilement has|strong = "H3820"  
stuck|strong = "H1692" to|strong = "H1980" my|strong = "H4480"  
hands|strong = "H3709",

8then let me|strong = "H0398" sow|strong = "H2232",  
and|strong = "H0398" let another|strong = "H0312" eat|strong = "H0398".

Y es, let the|strong = "H0398" produce of|strong = "H0398"  
my|strong = "H0398" field be|strong = "H6631" rooted out.

9“If|strong = "H0518" my|strong = "H5921" heart|strong = "H3820"  
has|strong = "H3820" been enticed|strong = "H6601" to|strong = "H5921"  
a|strong = "H0518" woman|strong = "H0802",

a nd|strong = "H0802" I|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H0518" laid  
wait|strong = "H0693" at|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921" neighbour’s  
door|strong = "H6607",

10then|strong = "H0802" let my|strong = "H5921" wife|strong = "H0802"  
grind|strong = "H2912" for|strong = "H5921" another|strong = "H0312",

a nd|strong = "H0802" let others|strong = "H0312" sleep  
with|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H0802".

11For|strong = "H3588" that|strong = "H3588" would be|strong = "H3588"  
a|strong = "H3588" heinous|strong = "H2154" crime|strong = "H2154".

Y es|strong = "H3588", it|strong = "H1931" would be|strong = "H3588"  
an|strong = "H3588" iniquity|strong = "H5771" to|strong = "H5771"  
be|strong = "H3588" punished by|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
judges|strong = "H6414",

12for|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"  
a|strong = "H3588" fire|strong = "H0784" that|strong = "H3588"  
consumes|strong = "H0398" to|strong = "H5704"  
destruction|strong = "H0011",

**a** nd|strong = "H0398" would|strong = "H3605" root|strong = "H8327"  
 out|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605"  
 increase|strong = "H8393".

13“If|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H5650" despised  
 the|strong = "H0518" cause|strong = "H4941" of|strong = "H5650"  
 my|strong = "H7378" male|strong = "H5650" servant|strong = "H5650"

**o** r|strong = "H0518" of|strong = "H5650" my|strong = "H7378"  
 female|strong = "H0519" servant|strong = "H5650",

**w** hen|strong = "H0518" they|strong = "H0518"  
 contended|strong = "H7378" with|strong = "H7378" me|strong = "H5978",

14what|strong = "H4100" then|strong = "H6965" will|strong = "H4100"  
 I|strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H6213" when|strong = "H3588"  
 God|strong = "H0410" rises|strong = "H6965" up|strong = "H6965"?

**W** hen|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" visits, what|strong = "H4100"  
 will|strong = "H4100" I|strong = "H3588" answer|strong = "H7725"  
 him|strong = "H7725"?

15Didn't|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H6213" who|strong = "H0259"  
 made|strong = "H6213" me|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H3808"  
 the|strong = "H3808" womb|strong = "H0990" make|strong = "H6213"  
 him|strong = "H6213"?

**D** idn't|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H0259" fashion|strong = "H3559"  
 us|strong = "H6213" in|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3808"  
 womb|strong = "H0990"?

16“If|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H5869"  
 withheld|strong = "H4513" the|strong = "H0518" poor|strong = "H1800"  
 from|strong = "H5869" their|strong = "H3615" desire|strong = "H2656",

**o** r|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H5869" caused the|strong = "H0518"  
 eyes|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H5869" the|strong = "H0518"  
 widow|strong = "H0490" to|strong = "H5869" fail|strong = "H3615",

17or|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3808" eaten|strong = "H0398"  
 my|strong = "H4480" morsel|strong = "H6595" alone|strong = "H0905",

**a** nd|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H4480" fatherless|strong = "H3490"  
has|strong = "H0398" not|strong = "H3808" eaten|strong = "H0398"  
of|strong = "H4480" it|strong = "H0398"

18(no, from|strong = "H0517" my|strong = "H3588"  
youth|strong = "H5271" he|strong = "H3588" grew|strong = "H1431"  
up|strong = "H1431" with|strong = "H0001" me|strong = "H0990"  
as|strong = "H3588" with|strong = "H0001" a|strong = "H3588"  
father|strong = "H0001",

**I** |strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H0001" guided|strong = "H5148"  
her|strong = "H3588" from|strong = "H0517" my|strong = "H3588"  
mother's|strong = "H0517" womb|strong = "H0990");

19if|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H0369"  
seen|strong = "H7200" any|strong = "H0369" perish|strong = "H0006"  
for|strong = "H0518" want|strong = "H1097" of|strong = "H0369"  
clothing|strong = "H3830",

**o** r|strong = "H0518" that|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
needy|strong = "H0034" had|strong = "H0369" no|strong = "H0369"  
covering|strong = "H3682";

20if|strong = "H0518" his|strong = "H0518" heart hasn't|strong = "H3808"  
blessed|strong = "H1288" me|strong = "H1288",

**i** f|strong = "H0518" he|strong = "H0518" hasn't|strong = "H3808"  
been|strong = "H3808" warmed|strong = "H2552" with|strong = "H0518"  
my|strong = "H0518" sheep's fleece|strong = "H1488";

21if|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H0518"  
lifted|strong = "H5130" up|strong = "H7200" my|strong = "H5921"  
hand|strong = "H3027" against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
fatherless|strong = "H3490",

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" saw|strong = "H7200"  
my|strong = "H5921" help|strong = "H5833" in|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" gate|strong = "H8179";

22then|strong = "H5307" let my|strong = "H7665"  
shoulder|strong = "H3802" fall|strong = "H5307" from|strong = "H5307"  
the|strong = "H7665" shoulder|strong = "H3802" blade,

and my arm  
be broken from  
the bone.

23For calamity from  
God is a  
terror to me.

Because of his  
majesty, I can  
do nothing.

24If I have  
made gold my hope,

and I have said  
to the fine  
gold, 'You are  
my confidence';

25If I have  
rejoiced because my  
wealth was great,

and because my  
hand had gotten much;

26if I have  
seen the sun  
when it shined,

or the moon  
moving in splendour,

27and my heart  
has been secretly enticed,

and my hand threw  
a kiss from my  
mouth;

28 this **also** **would be** **an** **iniquity** **to** **be** **punished by** **the** **judges,**

**f or** **I** **would have** **denied** **the** **God** **who** **is** **above**.

29 “If **I** **have** **rejoiced** **at** **the** **destruction** **of** **him** **who** **hated** **me,**

**o r** **lifted** **up** **myself** **when** **evil** **found** **him**

30 (I **have** **certainly** **not** **allowed** **my** **mouth** **to** **sin**)

**b y** **asking** **his** **life** **with** **a** **curse**);

31 if **the** **men** **of** **my** **tent** **have** **not** **said,**

‘ **Who** **can** **find** **one** **who** **has** **not** **been** **filled** **with** **his** **meat**?’

32 (the **foreigner** **has** **not** **camped in** **the** **street,**

**b ut** **I** **have** **opened** **my** **doors** **to** **the** **traveller**);



33if|strong = "H0518" like|strong = "H6588" Adam|strong = "H0121"  
I|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H0518" covered|strong = "H3680"  
my|strong = "H0518" transgressions|strong = "H6588",

**b** y|strong = "H0518" hiding|strong = "H2934" my|strong = "H0518"  
iniquity|strong = "H5771" in|strong = "H6588" my|strong = "H0518" heart,

34because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" feared|strong = "H6206"  
the|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H7227" multitude|strong = "H1995",

**a** nd|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H3588" contempt|strong = "H0937"  
of|strong = "H4940" families|strong = "H4940" terrified|strong = "H2865"  
me|strong = "H3318",

**s** o|strong = "H3808" that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" kept silence,  
and|strong = "H3318" didn't|strong = "H3808" go|strong = "H3318"  
out|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H4940" the|strong = "H3588"  
door|strong = "H6607"—

35oh|strong = "H4310" that|strong = "H8085" I|strong = "H2005"  
had|strong = "H0376" one|strong = "H0376" to|strong = "H8085"  
hear|strong = "H8085" me|strong = "H5414"!

**B** ehold|strong = "H2005", here|strong = "H2005" is|strong = "H4310"  
my|strong = "H5414" signature! Let|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H8085"  
Almighty|strong = "H7706" answer|strong = "H6030" me|strong = "H5414"!

**L** et|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H8085" accuser write|strong = "H3789"  
my|strong = "H5414" indictment|strong = "H5612"!

36Surely|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0518" would  
carry|strong = "H5375" it|strong = "H0518" on|strong = "H5921"  
my|strong = "H5921" shoulder|strong = "H7926",

**a** nd|strong = "H5375" I|strong = "H0518" would bind|strong = "H6029"  
it|strong = "H0518" to|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921" as  
a|strong = "H0518" crown|strong = "H5850".

37I|strong = "H7126" would declare|strong = "H5046" to|strong = "H5046"  
him|strong = "H5046" the|strong = "H7126" number|strong = "H4557"  
of|strong = "H4557" my|strong = "H5046" steps|strong = "H6806".

I |strong = "H7126" would go|strong = "H7126" near|strong = "H7126"  
to|strong = "H5046" him|strong = "H5046" like|strong = "H3644"  
a|strong = "H3644" prince|strong = "H5057".

38If|strong = "H0518" my|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0127"  
cries|strong = "H2199" out|strong = "H2199" against|strong = "H5921"  
me|strong = "H5921",

a nd|strong = "H1058" its|strong = "H5921" furrows|strong = "H8525"  
weep|strong = "H1058" together|strong = "H3162";

39if|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H0518"  
eaten|strong = "H0398" its|strong = "H0398" fruits without|strong = "H1097"  
money|strong = "H3701",

o r|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H0518" caused its|strong = "H0398"  
owners|strong = "H1167" to|strong = "H5315" lose|strong = "H5301"  
their|strong = "H0398" life|strong = "H5315",

40let briers grow|strong = "H3318" instead|strong = "H8478"  
of|strong = "H1697" wheat|strong = "H2406",

a nd|strong = "H1697" stinkweed|strong = "H0890"  
instead|strong = "H8478" of|strong = "H1697" barley|strong = "H8184".

T he|strong = "H8478" words|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1697"  
Job|strong = "H0347" are|strong = "H1697" ended|strong = "H8552".

32So|strong = "H3588" these|strong = "H0428" three|strong = "H7969"  
men|strong = "H0376" ceased to|strong = "H0376" answer|strong = "H6030"  
Job|strong = "H0347", because|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931"  
was|strong = "H1931" righteous|strong = "H6662" in|strong = "H0376"  
his|strong = "H0376" own|strong = "H0376" eyes|strong = "H5869". <sup>2</sup>  
Then|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5921" wrath|strong = "H0639"  
of|strong = "H1121" Elihu|strong = "H0453" the|strong = "H5921"  
son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Barachel|strong = "H1292",  
the|strong = "H5921" Buzite|strong = "H0940", of|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H5921" family|strong = "H4940" of|strong = "H1121"  
Ram|strong = "H7410", was|strong = "H0430" kindled|strong = "H2734"  
against|strong = "H5921" Job|strong = "H0347". His|strong = "H5921"  
wrath|strong = "H0639" was|strong = "H0430" kindled|strong = "H2734"  
because|strong = "H5921" he|strong = "H0430" justified|strong = "H6663"  
himself|strong = "H5315" rather than|strong = "H5921"

God|strong = "H0430". <sup>3</sup> Also|strong = "H0853" his|strong = "H5921" wrath|strong = "H0639" was|strong = "H0834" kindled|strong = "H2734" against|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" three|strong = "H7969" friends|strong = "H7453", because|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834" found|strong = "H4672" no|strong = "H3808" answer|strong = "H4617", and|strong = "H0639" yet|strong = "H4672" had|strong = "H0834" condemned|strong = "H7561" Job|strong = "H0347".  
<sup>4</sup> Now|strong = "H3117" Elihu|strong = "H0453" had|strong = "H3588" waited|strong = "H2442" to|strong = "H3117" speak|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H3117" Job|strong = "H0347", because|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992" were|strong = "H1992" older|strong = "H2205" than|strong = "H4480" he|strong = "H3588". <sup>5</sup> When|strong = "H3588" Elihu|strong = "H0453" saw|strong = "H7200" that|strong = "H3588" there|strong = "H0369" was|strong = "H0369" no|strong = "H0369" answer|strong = "H4617" in|strong = "H0376" the|strong = "H3588" mouth|strong = "H6310" of|strong = "H0376" these three|strong = "H7969" men|strong = "H0376", his|strong = "H0376" wrath|strong = "H0639" was|strong = "H0369" kindled|strong = "H2734".

6Elihu|strong = "H0453" the|strong = "H0853" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Barachel|strong = "H1292" the|strong = "H0853" Buzite|strong = "H0940" answered|strong = "H0559",

“ I|strong = "H0589" am|strong = "H0589" young|strong = "H1121", and|strong = "H1121" you|strong = "H0859" are|strong = "H3117" very|strong = "H3651" old|strong = "H1121".

T herefore|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H0589" held back, and|strong = "H1121" didn't dare show you|strong = "H0859" my|strong = "H5921" opinion|strong = "H1843".

7I|strong = "H3117" said|strong = "H0559", ‘Days|strong = "H3117" should|strong = "H0559" speak|strong = "H1696”,

a nd|strong = "H3117" multitude|strong = "H7230" of|strong = "H3117" years|strong = "H8141" should|strong = "H0559" teach|strong = "H3045" wisdom|strong = "H2451".’

8But|strong = "H0403" there is|strong = "H1931" a|strong = "H7307" spirit|strong = "H7307" in|strong = "H7307" man|strong = "H0582”,

**a** nd|strong="H0995" the|strong="H0995" Spirit|strong="H7307"<sup>16</sup>  
of|strong="H7307" the|strong="H0995" Almighty|strong="H7706"  
gives|strong="H0995" them|strong="H1931"  
understanding|strong="H0995".

9It|strong="H3808" is|strong="H4941" not|strong="H3808"  
the|strong="H3808" great|strong="H7227" who|strong="H3808"  
are|strong="H4941" wise|strong="H2449",

**n** or|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3808" aged|strong="H2205"  
who|strong="H3808" understand|strong="H0995"  
justice|strong="H4941".

10Therefore|strong="H3651" I|strong="H0589" said|strong="H0559",  
'Listen|strong="H8085" to|strong="H0559" me|strong="H0589";

**I** |strong="H0589" also|strong="H0637" will|strong="H0589"  
show|strong="H8085" my|strong="H8085" opinion|strong="H1843".'

11"Behold|strong="H2005", I|strong="H2005" waited|strong="H3176"  
for|strong="H3176" your|strong="H5704" words|strong="H1697",

**a** nd|strong="H1697" I|strong="H2005" listened|strong="H0238"  
for|strong="H3176" your|strong="H5704" reasoning,

**w** hile|strong="H5704" you|strong="H5704" searched|strong="H2713"  
out|strong="H2713" what|strong="H1697" to|strong="H5704"  
say|strong="H4405".

12Yes|strong="H2009", I|strong="H5704" gave|strong="H0995"  
you|strong="H5704" my|strong="H4480" full attention|strong="H0995",

**b** ut|strong="H0369" there|strong="H0369" was|strong="H0369"  
no|strong="H0369" one|strong="H0369" who|strong="H0369" convinced  
Job|strong="H0347",

**o** r|strong="H5704" who|strong="H0369" answered|strong="H6030"  
his|strong="H4480" words|strong="H0561", amongst  
you|strong="H5704".

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<sup>16</sup> + 32:8 or, breath

13Beware lest you say, ‘We have found wisdom

**G** od may refute him, not man;’

14for he has not directed against me;

**n** either will I answer him with your speeches.

15“They are amazed. They answer no more”.

**T** hey don’t have a say

16Shall I wait, because they don’t speak,

**b** ecause they stand still, and answer no more?”

17I also will answer my part,

**a** nd I also will show my opinion.

18For I am full of words.

**T** he spirit within me constrains me.

19Behold|strong = "H2009", my|strong = "H3808" breast  
is|strong = "H2009" as wine|strong = "H3196" which|strong = "H3196"  
has|strong = "H2009" no|strong = "H3808" vent;

l ike|strong = "H3808" new|strong = "H2319" wineskins|strong = "H0178"  
it|strong = "H3808" is|strong = "H2009" ready to|strong = "H3196"  
burst|strong = "H1234".

20I will|strong = "H8193" speak|strong = "H1696", that|strong = "H6030" I  
may|strong = "H8193" be|strong = "H8193" refreshed|strong = "H7304".

I will|strong = "H8193" open|strong = "H6605" my|strong = "H1696"  
lips|strong = "H8193" and|strong = "H1696" answer|strong = "H6030".

21Please|strong = "H4994" don't|strong = "H0408" let|strong = "H4994"  
me|strong = "H0413" respect|strong = "H6440" any|strong = "H0376"  
man's|strong = "H0376" person|strong = "H0376",

n either|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H0376" I|strong = "H3808"  
give|strong = "H5375" flattering titles|strong = "H5375" to|strong = "H0413"  
any|strong = "H0376" man|strong = "H0376".

22For|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" don't|strong = "H3808"  
know|strong = "H3045" how|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H3045"  
give|strong = "H5375" flattering titles|strong = "H5375",

o r|strong = "H3808" else|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H3045" Maker  
would|strong = "H6213" soon|strong = "H4592" take|strong = "H5375"  
me|strong = "H3808" away|strong = "H5375".

33"However|strong = "H0199", Job|strong = "H0347",  
please|strong = "H4994" hear|strong = "H8085" my|strong = "H3605"  
speech|strong = "H4405",

a nd|strong = "H1697" listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H8085"  
all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605" words|strong = "H1697".

2See|strong = "H2009" now|strong = "H4994", I|strong = "H2009"  
have|strong = "H1696" opened|strong = "H6605" my|strong = "H1696"  
mouth|strong = "H6310".

My tongue has spoken in my mouth.

My words will utter the uprightness of my heart.

That which my lips know they will speak sincerely.

The Spirit of God has made me,

and the breath of the Almighty gives me life.

If you can, answer me.

Set your words in order before me, and stand up.

Behold, I am towards God even as you are.

I am also formed out of the clay.

Behold, my terror will not make you afraid,

neither will my pressure be heavy on you.

8“Surely you have  
spoken in my  
hearing”,

I have heard  
the voice of  
your words”, saying”,

9“I am clean”,  
without disobedience.

I am innocent”,  
neither is there  
iniquity in me”.

10Behold, he finds  
occasions against me”.

He counts me  
for his enemy”.

11He puts my  
feet in the  
stocks”.

He marks all my  
paths”.

12“Behold, I will  
answer you”. In  
this you are  
not just”,

for God is  
greater than  
man”.

13Why do you  
strive against him”,

because he doesn’t  
give account of  
any of his  
matters”?



14 For God speaks once,

yes twice, though man pays no attention.

15 In a dream, in a vision of the night,

when deep sleep falls on men,

in slumbering on the bed,

16 then he opens the ears of men,

and seals their instruction,

17 that he may withdraw man from his purpose,

and hide from man.

18 He keeps his soul from the pit,

and his life from perishing by the sword.

19 "He is chastened also with pain on his bed,

with|strong="H5921" continual strife|strong="H7379"  
in|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" bones|strong="H6106",

20so that|strong="H5315" his life|strong="H5315" abhors  
bread|strong="H3899",

and|strong="H3899" his soul|strong="H5315" dainty  
food|strong="H3899".

21His|strong="H7200" flesh|strong="H1320" is|strong="H1320"  
so|strong="H3808" consumed|strong="H3615" away|strong="H3615"  
that|strong="H7200" it|strong="H7200" can't|strong="H3808"  
be|strong="H3808" seen|strong="H7200".

His|strong="H7200" bones|strong="H6106" that|strong="H7200" were  
not|strong="H3808" seen|strong="H7200" stick out|strong="H7200".

22Yes, his|strong="H7126" soul|strong="H5315"  
draws|strong="H7126" near|strong="H7126" to|strong="H4191"  
the|strong="H7126" pit|strong="H7845",

and|strong="H4191" his|strong="H7126" life|strong="H5315"  
to|strong="H4191" the|strong="H7126" destroyers.

23"If|strong="H0518" there|strong="H3426" is|strong="H3426"  
beside|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921" an|strong="H4480"  
angel|strong="H4397",

an|strong="H4480" interpreter, one|strong="H0259" amongst  
a|strong="H0518" thousand|strong="H0505",

to|strong="H5921" show|strong="H5046" to|strong="H5921"  
man|strong="H0120" what|strong="H5921" is|strong="H3426"  
right|strong="H3476" for|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921",

24then|strong="H0559" God|strong="H0559" is|strong="H0559"  
gracious to|strong="H0559" him|strong="H3381", and|strong="H3381"  
says|strong="H0559",

' Deliver|strong="H6308" him|strong="H3381" from|strong="H3381"  
going|strong="H3381" down|strong="H3381" to|strong="H0559"  
the|strong="H0559" pit|strong="H7845",

I have found a ransom.'

25His flesh will be fresher than a child's.

He returns to the days of his youth.

26He prays to God, and he is favourable to him,

so that he sees his face with joy.

He restores to man his righteousness.

27He sings before men, and says,

'I have sinned, and perverted that which was right,

and it didn't profit me.'

28He has redeemed my soul from going into the pit.

My life will see the light.'

29"Behold, God does all these things,

**t** wice|strong = "H6471", yes|strong = "H2005" three|strong = "H7969"  
times|strong = "H6471", with|strong = "H5973" a|strong = "H2005"  
man|strong = "H1397",

30to|strong = "H7725" bring|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725"  
his|strong = "H7725" soul|strong = "H5315" from|strong = "H4480"  
the|strong = "H4480" pit|strong = "H7845",

**t** hat|strong = "H4480" he|strong = "H4480" may|strong = "H7725"  
be|strong = "H5315" enlightened|strong = "H0215" with|strong = "H5315"  
the|strong = "H4480" light|strong = "H0216" of|strong = "H4480"  
the|strong = "H4480" living|strong = "H2416".

31Mark well, Job|strong = "H0347", and|strong = "H8085"  
listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H1696".

**H** old your|strong = "H8085" peace, and|strong = "H8085"  
I|strong = "H0595" will|strong = "H8085" speak|strong = "H1696".

32If|strong = "H0518" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3426"  
anything|strong = "H4405" to|strong = "H1696" say|strong = "H1696",  
answer|strong = "H7725" me|strong = "H7725".

**S** peak|strong = "H1696", for|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
desire|strong = "H2654" to|strong = "H1696" justify|strong = "H6663"  
you|strong = "H3588".

33If|strong = "H0518" not|strong = "H0369", listen|strong = "H8085"  
to|strong = "H0369" me|strong = "H0859".

**H** old your|strong = "H8085" peace, and|strong = "H8085"  
I|strong = "H0518" will|strong = "H0369" teach|strong = "H0502"  
you|strong = "H0859" wisdom|strong = "H2451".

34Moreover Elihu|strong = "H0453" answered|strong = "H0559",

2"Hear|strong = "H8085" my|strong = "H8085" words|strong = "H4405",  
you|strong = "H3045" wise|strong = "H2450" men|strong = "H2450".

**G** ive|strong = "H0238" ear|strong = "H0238" to|strong = "H8085"  
me|strong = "H3045", you|strong = "H3045" who|strong = "H2450"  
have|strong = "H3045" knowledge|strong = "H3045".

3For the ear tries words,

a s the palate tastes food.

4Let us choose for us that which is right.

L et us know amongst ourselves what is good.

5For Job has said, 'I am righteous,

G od has taken away my right.

6Notwithstanding my right I am considered a liar.

M y wound is incurable, though I am without disobedience.'

7What man is like Job,

w ho drinks scorn like water,

8who goes in company with the workers of iniquity,

a nd walks with wicked men?

9For he has said, 'It profits a man nothing

that he should delight himself with God.'

10"Therefore listen to me, you men of understanding:

far be it from God, that he should do wickedness,

from the Almighty, that he should commit iniquity.

11For the work of a man he will render to him,

and to find according to his ways.

12Yes surely, God will not do wickedly,

neither will the Almighty pervert justice.

13Who put him in charge of the earth?

O r|strong = "H0776" who|strong = "H4310" has|strong = "H4310"  
 appointed|strong = "H6485" him|strong = "H5921" over|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H3605" whole|strong = "H3605" world|strong = "H8398"?

14If|strong = "H0518" he|strong = "H0518" set|strong = "H7760"  
 his|strong = "H7760" heart|strong = "H3820" on|strong = "H0413"  
 himself|strong = "H3820",

i f|strong = "H0518" he|strong = "H0518" gathered|strong = "H0622"  
 to|strong = "H0413" himself|strong = "H3820" his|strong = "H7760"  
 spirit|strong = "H7307" and|strong = "H3820" his|strong = "H7760"  
 breath|strong = "H7307",

15all|strong = "H3605" flesh|strong = "H1320" would|strong = "H3605"  
 perish|strong = "H1478" together|strong = "H3162",

a nd|strong = "H7725" man|strong = "H0120" would|strong = "H3605"  
 turn|strong = "H7725" again|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725"  
 dust|strong = "H6083".

16“If|strong = "H0518" now|strong = "H8085" you|strong = "H0518"  
 have|strong = "H0518" understanding|strong = "H0998",  
 hear|strong = "H8085" this|strong = "H2063".

L isten|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085"  
 voice|strong = "H6963" of|strong = "H6963" my|strong = "H8085"  
 words|strong = "H4405".

17Should|strong = "H0518" even|strong = "H0637" one|strong = "H6662"  
 who|strong = "H6662" hates|strong = "H8130" justice|strong = "H4941"  
 govern?

W ill|strong = "H6662" you|strong = "H0518" condemn|strong = "H7561"  
 him|strong = "H8130" who|strong = "H6662" is|strong = "H6662"  
 righteous|strong = "H6662" and|strong = "H4941" mighty|strong = "H3524",

18who|strong = "H4428" says|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413"  
 a|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428", ‘Vile!’

o r|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H0413" nobles|strong = "H5081",  
 ‘Wicked|strong = "H7563"!?’

19 He doesn't respect the persons of princes,

nor respect the rich more than the poor,

for they are all work of his hands.

20 In a moment they die, even at midnight.

The people are shaken and pass away.

The mighty are taken away without a hand.

21 "For his eyes are on ways of man."

He sees all his goings.

22 There is no darkness, nor thick gloom,

where the workers of iniquity may hide themselves.

23 For he doesn't need a further,



**t** hat|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H0376"  
go|strong = "H1980" before|strong = "H0413" God|strong = "H0410"  
in|strong = "H5921" judgement.

24He|strong = "H3808" breaks mighty|strong = "H3524"  
men|strong = "H3524" in|strong = "H5975" pieces in|strong = "H5975" ways  
past finding out|strong = "H2714",

**a** nd|strong = "H5975" sets|strong = "H5975" others|strong = "H0312"  
in|strong = "H5975" their|strong = "H8478" place|strong = "H8478".

25Therefore|strong = "H3651" he|strong = "H3651" takes knowledge  
of|strong = "H2015" their|strong = "H2015" works|strong = "H4566".

**H** e|strong = "H3651" overturns|strong = "H2015" them|strong = "H5234"  
in|strong = "H3915" the|strong = "H3651" night|strong = "H3915",  
so|strong = "H3651" that|strong = "H3651" they|strong = "H3651" are  
destroyed|strong = "H2015".

26He|strong = "H7200" strikes|strong = "H5606" them|strong = "H7200"  
as|strong = "H8478" wicked|strong = "H7563" men|strong = "H7563"

**i** n|strong = "H4725" the|strong = "H7200" open sight of|strong = "H8478"  
others;

27because|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H0834"  
turned|strong = "H5493" away|strong = "H5493" from|strong = "H5493"  
following|strong = "H0310" him|strong = "H5921",

**a** nd|strong = "H1870" wouldn't pay attention|strong = "H1870"  
to|strong = "H5921" any|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H1870"  
his|strong = "H3605" ways|strong = "H1870",

28so|strong = "H0935" that|strong = "H8085" they|strong = "H5921"  
caused the|strong = "H5921" cry|strong = "H6818" of|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" poor|strong = "H6041" to|strong = "H0935"  
come|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0935" him|strong = "H5921".

**H** e|strong = "H5921" heard|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H5921"  
cry|strong = "H6818" of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
afflicted|strong = "H6041".

29When he gives quietness, who then can condemn him?”

When he hides his face, who then can see him?”

He is over a nation or a man alike,

30that the man may not reign,

that there be no one to ensnare the people.”

31“For has any said to God,

‘ I am guilty, but I will not offend any more.’

32Teach me that which I don’t see.

If I have done iniquity, I will do it no more?”

33Shall his recompense be as you desire, that you refuse it?”

For you must choose, and not I.

**T** herefore|strong = "H3045" speak|strong = "H1696"  
what|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H0859" know|strong = "H3045".

34Men|strong = "H0376" of|strong = "H0376"  
understanding|strong = "H3824" will|strong = "H0376" tell|strong = "H0559"  
me|strong = "H3824",

**y** es, every|strong = "H0376" wise|strong = "H2450" man|strong = "H0376"  
who|strong = "H0376" hears|strong = "H8085" me|strong = "H3824":

35'Job|strong = "H0347" speaks|strong = "H1696"  
without|strong = "H3808" knowledge|strong = "H1847".

**H** is|strong = "H3808" words|strong = "H1697" are|strong = "H1697"  
without|strong = "H3808" wisdom.'

36I|strong = "H5704" wish that|strong = "H5704" Job|strong = "H0347"  
were|strong = "H0376" tried|strong = "H0974" to|strong = "H5704"  
the|strong = "H5921" end|strong = "H5331",

**b** ecause|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H0376" his|strong = "H5921"  
answering like|strong = "H5704" wicked|strong = "H0205"  
men|strong = "H0376".

37For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" adds|strong = "H3254"  
rebellion|strong = "H6588" to|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921"  
sin|strong = "H2403".

**H** e|strong = "H3588" claps|strong = "H5606" his|strong = "H5921" hands  
amongst us|strong = "H5921",

**a** nd|strong = "H3254" multiplies his|strong = "H5921"  
words|strong = "H0561" against|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H0410".'

35Moreover Elihu|strong = "H0453" answered|strong = "H0559",

2'Do you|strong = "H6664" think|strong = "H2803" this|strong = "H2063"  
to|strong = "H0559" be your|strong = "H0559" right|strong = "H4941",

**o** r|strong = "H2803" do you|strong = "H6664" say|strong = "H0559",  
'My|strong = "H0559" righteousness|strong = "H6664" is|strong = "H0410"  
more than God's|strong = "H0410",'

3that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" ask|strong = "H0559",  
 'What|strong = "H4100" advantage will|strong = "H4100" it|strong = "H3588"  
 be|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H0559" you|strong = "H3588"?'

W hat|strong = "H4100" profit|strong = "H3276" will|strong = "H4100"  
 I|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588", more|strong = "H3588"  
 than|strong = "H3588" if|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 had|strong = "H3588" sinned|strong = "H2403"?'

4I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H0589" answer|strong = "H7725"  
 you|strong = "H7725",

a nd|strong = "H7725" your|strong = "H7725" companions  
 with|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H7725".

5Look|strong = "H7200" to|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
 skies|strong = "H7834", and|strong = "H8064" see|strong = "H7200".

S ee|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200" skies|strong = "H7834", which  
 are|strong = "H8064" higher|strong = "H1361" than|strong = "H4480"  
 you|strong = "H7200".

6If|strong = "H0518" you|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H0518"  
 sinned|strong = "H2398", what|strong = "H4100" effect do|strong = "H6213"  
 you|strong = "H0518" have|strong = "H0518" against|strong = "H2398"  
 him|strong = "H2398"?'

I f|strong = "H0518" your|strong = "H0518"  
 transgressions|strong = "H6588" are|strong = "H4100"  
 multiplied|strong = "H7231", what|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H6213"  
 you|strong = "H0518" do|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H0518"  
 him|strong = "H2398"?'

7If|strong = "H0518" you|strong = "H5414" are|strong = "H4100"  
 righteous|strong = "H6663", what|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100"  
 you|strong = "H5414" give|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H5414"?'

O r|strong = "H0176" what|strong = "H4100" does|strong = "H4100"  
 he|strong = "H0518" receive|strong = "H3947" from|strong = "H3027"  
 your|strong = "H5414" hand|strong = "H3027"?'

8Your|strong="H1121" wickedness|strong="H7562"  
 may|strong="H0376" hurt a|strong="H3644" man|strong="H0376"  
 as|strong="H3644" you|strong="H3644" are|strong="H0376",

**a** nd|strong="H1121" your|strong="H1121"  
 righteousness|strong="H6666" may|strong="H0376" profit  
 a|strong="H3644" son|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121"  
 man|strong="H0376".

9“By|strong="H7230" reason of|strong="H7230" the|strong="H7230"  
 multitude|strong="H7230" of|strong="H7230"  
 oppressions|strong="H6217" they|strong="H6217" cry|strong="H2199"  
 out|strong="H2199".

**T** hey|strong="H6217" cry|strong="H2199" for|strong="H7768"  
 help|strong="H7768" by|strong="H7230" reason of|strong="H7230"  
 the|strong="H7230" arm|strong="H2220" of|strong="H7230"  
 the|strong="H7230" mighty|strong="H7230".

10But|strong="H3808" no|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3808"  
 says|strong="H0559", ‘Where|strong="H0335" is|strong="H0433"  
 God|strong="H0433" my|strong="H5414" Maker,

**w** ho|strong="H0559" gives|strong="H5414" songs|strong="H2158"  
 in|strong="H5414" the|strong="H0559" night|strong="H3915",

11who|strong="H0776" teaches|strong="H0502" us|strong="H0502"  
 more than the|strong="H0776" animals|strong="H0929"  
 of|strong="H0776" the|strong="H0776" earth|strong="H0776",

**a** nd|strong="H0776" makes|strong="H2449" us|strong="H0502"  
 wiser|strong="H2449" than the|strong="H0776" birds|strong="H5775"  
 of|strong="H0776" the|strong="H0776" sky|strong="H8064"?”

12There|strong="H8033" they|strong="H8033" cry|strong="H6817",  
 but|strong="H3808" no|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3808"  
 answers|strong="H6030",

**b** ecause|strong="H6440" of|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440"  
 pride|strong="H1347" of|strong="H6440" evil|strong="H7451" men.

13 Surely God will not hear an empty cry,

**n** either Almighty will the Almighty regard it.

14 How much less when you say you don't see him.

**T** he before you wait him!

15 But he has visited anger,

**n** either greatly regard arrogance,

16 therefore Job his mouth with empty talk,

**a** nd he multiplies words without knowledge.

36 Elihu also continued, and said,

2 "Bear with me a little, and I will show you;

**f** or I still have something to say on God's behalf.

3I will get my knowledge from afar,

and will ascribe righteousness to my Maker.

4For truly my words are not false.

One who is perfect in knowledge is with you.

5“Behold, God is mighty, and doesn’t despise anyone.”

He is in strength of understanding.

6He doesn’t preserve the life of the wicked,

but gives justice to the afflicted.

7He doesn’t withdraw from the righteous,

but with kings on the throne,

he sets them forever, and they are exalted.

8If they are bound in fetters,

**a** nd|strong = "H0631" are taken|strong = "H3920" in|strong = "H0631"  
the|strong = "H0518" cords|strong = "H2256" of afflictions,

9then|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" shows them|strong = "H1992"  
their|strong = "H1992" work|strong = "H6467",

**a** nd|strong = "H5046" their|strong = "H1992"  
transgressions|strong = "H6588", that|strong = "H3588"  
they|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H3588" behaved  
themselves|strong = "H1992" proudly.

10He|strong = "H3588" also|strong = "H3588" opens|strong = "H1540"  
their|strong = "H3588" ears|strong = "H0241" to|strong = "H0559"  
instruction|strong = "H4148",

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" commands|strong = "H0559" that|strong = "H3588"  
they|strong = "H3588" return|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H7725"  
iniquity|strong = "H0205".

11If|strong = "H0518" they|strong = "H0518" listen|strong = "H8085"  
and|strong = "H3117" serve|strong = "H5647" him|strong = "H5647",

**t** hey|strong = "H0518" will|strong = "H3117" spend|strong = "H3615"  
their|strong = "H8085" days|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H8141"  
prosperity|strong = "H2896",

**a** nd|strong = "H3117" their|strong = "H8085" years|strong = "H8141"  
in|strong = "H8141" pleasures.

12But|strong = "H0518" if|strong = "H0518" they|strong = "H0518"  
don't|strong = "H3808" listen|strong = "H8085", they|strong = "H0518"  
will|strong = "H3808" perish|strong = "H1478" by|strong = "H3808"  
the|strong = "H8085" sword;

**t** hey|strong = "H0518" will|strong = "H3808" die|strong = "H1478"  
without|strong = "H3808" knowledge|strong = "H1847".

13"But|strong = "H3588" those|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H3588"  
are|strong = "H3820" godless|strong = "H2611" in|strong = "H3808"  
heart|strong = "H3820" lay|strong = "H7760" up|strong = "H7760"  
anger|strong = "H0639".



**T** hey|strong = "H3588" don't|strong = "H3808" cry|strong = "H7768"  
for|strong = "H3588" help|strong = "H7768" when|strong = "H3588"  
he|strong = "H3588" binds|strong = "H0631" them|strong = "H7760".

14They|strong = "H5315" die|strong = "H4191" in|strong = "H4191"  
youth|strong = "H5290".

**T** heir|strong = "H4191" life|strong = "H5315" perishes amongst  
the|strong = "H4191" unclean.

15He delivers the|strong = "H1540" afflicted|strong = "H6041"  
by|strong = "H6040" their|strong = "H1540" affliction,

**a** nd|strong = "H6041" opens|strong = "H1540" their|strong = "H1540"  
ear|strong = "H0241" in|strong = "H6041" oppression|strong = "H3906".

16Yes|strong = "H0637", he|strong = "H3808" would  
have|strong = "H3808" allured you|strong = "H3808" out of|strong = "H8478"  
distress|strong = "H6862",

**i** nto a|strong = "H3808" wide|strong = "H6310" place|strong = "H8478",  
where|strong = "H8478" there|strong = "H8478" is|strong = "H6310"  
no|strong = "H3808" restriction.

**T** hat|strong = "H3808" which is|strong = "H6310" set|strong = "H4390"  
on|strong = "H8478" your|strong = "H3808" table|strong = "H7979" would  
be|strong = "H3808" full|strong = "H4390" of|strong = "H8478"  
fatness|strong = "H1880".

17"But|strong = "H7563" you are|strong = "H7563" full|strong = "H4390"  
of|strong = "H4390" the|strong = "H4390" judgement of|strong = "H4390"  
the|strong = "H4390" wicked|strong = "H7563".

**J** udgement and|strong = "H4941" justice|strong = "H4941"  
take|strong = "H8551" hold|strong = "H8551" of|strong = "H4390" you.

18Don't|strong = "H0408" let|strong = "H0408" riches  
entice|strong = "H5496" you|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H2534"  
wrath|strong = "H2534",

**n** either|strong = "H0408" let|strong = "H0408" the|strong = "H3588"  
great|strong = "H7227" size of|strong = "H2534" a|strong = "H3588"  
bribe|strong = "H3724" turn|strong = "H5186" you|strong = "H3588"  
aside|strong = "H5186".

19Would|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
wealth|strong = "H3808" sustain|strong = "H6186" you|strong = "H3605"  
in|strong = "H3808" distress,

**o** r|strong = "H3808" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
might|strong = "H3581" of|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
strength|strong = "H3581"?

20Don't|strong = "H0408" desire the|strong = "H8478"  
night|strong = "H3915",

**w** hen|strong = "H5927" people|strong = "H5971" are|strong = "H5927" cut  
off|strong = "H5927" in|strong = "H8478" their|strong = "H8478"  
place|strong = "H8478".

21Take|strong = "H8104" heed|strong = "H8104", don't|strong = "H0408"  
regard|strong = "H6437" iniquity|strong = "H0205";

**f** or|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588"  
chosen|strong = "H0977" this|strong = "H2088" rather|strong = "H3588"  
than|strong = "H5921" affliction|strong = "H0205".

22Behold|strong = "H2005", God|strong = "H0410" is|strong = "H4310"  
exalted|strong = "H7682" in|strong = "H0410" his power|strong = "H3581".

**W** ho|strong = "H4310" is|strong = "H4310" a|strong = "H3644"  
teacher|strong = "H3384" like|strong = "H3644" him|strong = "H3384"?

23Who|strong = "H4310" has|strong = "H4310" prescribed  
his|strong = "H5921" way|strong = "H1870" for|strong = "H5921"  
him|strong = "H5921"?

**O** r|strong = "H1870" who|strong = "H4310" can|strong = "H4310"  
say|strong = "H0559", 'You|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H5921"  
committed|strong = "H6485" unrighteousness|strong = "H5766"?'

24"Remember|strong = "H2142" that|strong = "H0834"  
you|strong = "H0834" magnify his|strong = "H0834" work|strong = "H6467",

**a** bout which|strong = "H0834" men|strong = "H0376"  
have|strong = "H0834" sung|strong = "H7891".

25All|strong = "H3605" men|strong = "H0120" have|strong = "H3605"  
looked|strong = "H5027" on|strong = "H5027" it|strong = "H3605".

**M** an|strong = "H0120" sees|strong = "H2372" it|strong = "H3605"  
afar|strong = "H7350" off|strong = "H7350".

26Behold|strong = "H2005", God|strong = "H0410" is|strong = "H0410"  
great, and|strong = "H8141" we|strong = "H2005" don't|strong = "H3808"  
know|strong = "H3045" him|strong = "H3045".

**T** he|strong = "H3045" number|strong = "H4557" of|strong = "H8141"  
his|strong = "H3045" years|strong = "H8141" is|strong = "H0410"  
unsearchable.

27For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" draws|strong = "H1639" up  
the|strong = "H3588" drops of|strong = "H4325" water|strong = "H4325",

**w** hich|strong = "H4325" distill|strong = "H2212" in|strong = "H4325"  
rain|strong = "H4306" from|strong = "H1639" his|strong = "H3588" vapour,

28which|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0834" skies|strong = "H7834"  
pour|strong = "H5140" down|strong = "H5140"

**a** nd|strong = "H0120" which|strong = "H0834" drop on|strong = "H5921"  
man|strong = "H0120" abundantly|strong = "H7227".

29Indeed|strong = "H0637", can|strong = "H0518" anyone  
understand|strong = "H0995" the|strong = "H0518"  
spreading|strong = "H4666" of|strong = "H0995" the|strong = "H0518"  
clouds|strong = "H5645"

**a** nd|strong = "H0995" the|strong = "H0518" thunderings  
of|strong = "H0995" his|strong = "H0518" pavilion|strong = "H5521"?

30Behold|strong = "H2005", he|strong = "H5921" spreads|strong = "H6566"  
his|strong = "H5921" light|strong = "H0216" around|strong = "H5921"  
him|strong = "H5921".

**H** e|strong="H5921" covers|strong="H3680" the|strong="H5921" bottom of|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" sea|strong="H3220".

31For|strong="H3588" by|strong="H5414" these|strong="H5971" he|strong="H3588" judges|strong="H1777" the|strong="H3588" people|strong="H5971".

**H** e|strong="H3588" gives|strong="H5414" food|strong="H0400" in|strong="H5414" abundance.

32He|strong="H5921" covers|strong="H3680" his|strong="H5921" hands|strong="H3709" with|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" lightning|strong="H0216",

**a** nd|strong="H3709" commands|strong="H6680" it|strong="H5921" to|strong="H5921" strike|strong="H6293" the|strong="H5921" mark|strong="H6293".

33Its|strong="H5921" noise|strong="H7452" tells|strong="H5046" about|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921",

**a** nd|strong="H4735" the|strong="H5921" livestock|strong="H4735" also|strong="H0637", concerning|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" storm that|strong="H5927" comes|strong="H5927" up|strong="H5927".

37"Yes|strong="H0637", at|strong="H0637" this|strong="H2063" my|strong="H0637" heart|strong="H3820" trembles|strong="H2729",

**a** nd|strong="H4725" is|strong="H3820" moved|strong="H2063" out|strong="H4725" of|strong="H3820" its place|strong="H4725".

2Hear|strong="H8085", oh, hear|strong="H8085" the|strong="H8085" noise|strong="H6963" of|strong="H6963" his|strong="H8085" voice|strong="H6963",

**t** he|strong="H8085" sound|strong="H6963" that|strong="H8085" goes|strong="H3318" out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H6963" his|strong="H8085" mouth|strong="H6310".

3He|strong="H5921" sends it|strong="H5921" out|strong="H5921" under|strong="H8478" the|strong="H3605" whole|strong="H3605" sky|strong="H8064",

**a** nd|strong="H0776" his|strong="H3605" lightning|strong="H0216"  
to|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" ends|strong="H3671"  
of|strong="H0776" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776".

4After|strong="H0310" it|strong="H3588" a|strong="H3588"  
voice|strong="H6963" roars|strong="H7580".

**H** e|strong="H3588" thunders|strong="H7481" with|strong="H8085"  
the|strong="H3588" voice|strong="H6963" of|strong="H6963"  
his|strong="H8085" majesty.

**H** e|strong="H3588" doesn't|strong="H3808" hold back|strong="H0310"  
anything|strong="H3808" when|strong="H3588" his|strong="H8085"  
voice|strong="H6963" is|strong="H6963" heard|strong="H8085".

5God|strong="H0410" thunders|strong="H7481" marvellously  
with|strong="H3045" his|strong="H3045" voice|strong="H6963".

**H** e|strong="H6213" does|strong="H6213" great|strong="H1419"  
things|strong="H1419", which we|strong="H6213" can't|strong="H3808"  
comprehend|strong="H3045".

6For|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" says|strong="H0559"  
to|strong="H0559" the|strong="H0559" snow|strong="H7950", 'Fall  
on|strong="H0776" the|strong="H0559" earth|strong="H0776",'

**I** likewise to|strong="H0559" the|strong="H0559"  
shower|strong="H1653" of|strong="H0776" rain|strong="H4306",

**a** nd|strong="H0776" to|strong="H0559" the|strong="H0559"  
showers|strong="H1653" of|strong="H0776" his|strong="H3588"  
mighty|strong="H5797" rain|strong="H4306".

7He|strong="H0376" seals|strong="H2856" up|strong="H2856"  
the|strong="H3605" hand|strong="H3027" of|strong="H0376"  
every|strong="H3605" man|strong="H0376",

**t** hat|strong="H3045" all|strong="H3605" men|strong="H0376" whom  
he|strong="H0376" has|strong="H0376" made|strong="H3045"  
may|strong="H0376" know|strong="H3045" it|strong="H3045".

8Then|strong="H0935" the|strong="H0935" animals|strong="H2416"  
take|strong="H0935" cover,

a nd|strong = "H0935" remain|strong = "H7931" in|strong = "H0935"  
their|strong = "H0935" dens|strong = "H4585".

9Out|strong = "H4480" of|strong = "H4480" its|strong = "H0935"  
room|strong = "H2315" comes|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0935" storm,

a nd|strong = "H0935" cold|strong = "H7135" out|strong = "H4480"  
of|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H0935" north.

10By|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" breath|strong = "H5397"  
of|strong = "H4325" God|strong = "H0410", ice|strong = "H7140"  
is|strong = "H0410" given|strong = "H5414",

a nd|strong = "H4325" the|strong = "H5414" width|strong = "H7341"  
of|strong = "H4325" the|strong = "H5414" waters|strong = "H4325"  
is|strong = "H0410" frozen|strong = "H4164".

11Yes|strong = "H0637", he|strong = "H7377" loads|strong = "H2959"  
the|strong = "H0637" thick|strong = "H5645" cloud|strong = "H6051"  
with|strong = "H0637" moisture|strong = "H7377".

H e|strong = "H7377" spreads abroad the|strong = "H0637"  
cloud|strong = "H6051" of|strong = "H0216" his|strong = "H5645"  
lightning|strong = "H0216".

12It|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H0834" turned|strong = "H2015"  
around|strong = "H5921" by|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H3605"  
guidance|strong = "H8458",

t hat|strong = "H0834" they|strong = "H0834" may|strong = "H0776"  
do|strong = "H6680" whatever|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834"  
commands|strong = "H6680" them|strong = "H5921"

o n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" surface|strong = "H6440"  
of|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H3605" habitable world|strong = "H8398",

13whether|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H0518" is|strong = "H0776"  
for|strong = "H0776" correction|strong = "H7626", or|strong = "H0518"  
for|strong = "H0776" his|strong = "H0518" land|strong = "H0776",

o r|strong = "H0518" for|strong = "H0776" loving  
kindness|strong = "H2617", that|strong = "H0776" he|strong = "H0518"  
causes it|strong = "H0518" to|strong = "H0776" come|strong = "H4672".

14“Listen|strong = ”H0238” to|strong = ”H5975” this|strong = ”H2063”,  
Job|strong = ”H0347”.

**S** tand|strong = ”H5975” still|strong = ”H5975”, and|strong = ”H5975”  
consider|strong = ”H0995” the|strong = ”H0995” wondrous|strong = ”H6381”  
works|strong = ”H6381” of|strong = ”H0410” God|strong = ”H0410”.

15Do you|strong = ”H5921” know|strong = ”H3045” how|strong = ”H3045”  
God|strong = ”H0433” controls them|strong = ”H5921”,

**a** nd|strong = ”H3045” causes the|strong = ”H5921”  
lightning|strong = ”H0216” of|strong = ”H5921” his|strong = ”H5921”  
cloud|strong = ”H6051” to|strong = ”H5921” shine|strong = ”H3313”?

16Do you|strong = ”H5921” know|strong = ”H3045” the|strong = ”H5921”  
workings of|strong = ”H5921” the|strong = ”H5921” clouds|strong = ”H5645”,

**t** he|strong = ”H5921” wondrous works|strong = ”H5921”  
of|strong = ”H5921” him|strong = ”H5921” who|strong = ”H8549”  
is|strong = ”H8549” perfect|strong = ”H8549” in|strong = ”H5921”  
knowledge|strong = ”H3045”?

17You|strong = ”H0834” whose|strong = ”H0834”  
clothing|strong = ”H0899” is|strong = ”H0834” warm|strong = ”H2525”

**w** hen|strong = ”H0834” the|strong = ”H0834” earth|strong = ”H0776”  
is|strong = ”H0834” still|strong = ”H8252” by|strong = ”H0776”  
reason|strong = ”H0834” of|strong = ”H0776” the|strong = ”H0834”  
south|strong = ”H1864” wind?

18Can you|strong = ”H5973”, with|strong = ”H5973”  
him|strong = ”H5973”, spread|strong = ”H7554” out|strong = ”H3332”  
the|strong = ”H5973” sky|strong = ”H7834”,

**w** hich is|strong = ”H7834” strong|strong = ”H2389” as a  
cast|strong = ”H3332” metal mirror|strong = ”H7209”?

19Teach|strong = ”H3045” us|strong = ”H3045” what|strong = ”H4100” we  
will|strong = ”H3808” tell|strong = ”H0559” him|strong = ”H6440”,

**f** or **w**e can't **m**ake **o**ur **c**ase by **r**eason of **t**he **d**arkness.

**W**ill **i**t **b**e **t**old **h**im **t**hat **I** **w**ould **s**peak?

**O**r **s**hould **a** **m**an **w**ish that **h**e **w**ere **s**wallowed **u**p?

**N**ow **m**en don't **s**ee **t**he **l**ight **wh**ich **i**s **b**right **i**n **t**he **s**kies,

**b**ut **t**he **w**ind **p**asses **a**nd **c**lears **t**hem.

**O**ut **o**f **t**he **n**orth **c**omes **a** golden **s**plendour.

**W**ith **G**od **i**s **a**wesome **m**ajesty.

**W**e **c**an't **r**each **t**he **A**lmighty.

**H**e **i**s **e**xalted **i**n **p**ower.

**I**n **j**ustice **a**nd **g**reat **r**ighteousness **h**e **w**ill **n**ot **o**ppress.

**T**herefore **m**en **r**evere **h**im.



H e|strong="H3651" doesn't|strong="H3808" regard|strong="H7200"  
any|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605" are|strong="H0376"  
wise|strong="H2450" of|strong="H0376" heart|strong="H3820".

38Then|strong="H6030" the|strong="H0853" LORD|strong="H3068"  
answered|strong="H0559" Job|strong="H0347" out|strong="H4480"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H0853" whirlwind,

2“Who|strong="H4310" is|strong="H2088" this|strong="H2088"  
who|strong="H4310" darkens|strong="H2821" counsel|strong="H6098”

b y words|strong="H4405" without|strong="H1097"  
knowledge|strong="H1847”?

3Brace yourself|strong="H3045" like a|strong="H7592"  
man|strong="H1397”,

f or|strong="H7592" I|strong="H3045" will|strong="H1397"  
question|strong="H7592" you|strong="H3045”, then|strong="H3045"  
you|strong="H3045" answer me|strong="H4994”!

4“Where|strong="H0375" were|strong="H1961" you|strong="H0518"  
when|strong="H1961" I|strong="H0518" laid|strong="H3245"  
the|strong="H3045" foundations|strong="H3245" of|strong="H0776"  
the|strong="H3045" earth|strong="H0776”?

D eclare|strong="H5046”, if|strong="H0518" you|strong="H0518"  
have|strong="H1961" understanding|strong="H0998”.

5Who|strong="H4310" determined|strong="H7760" its|strong="H5921"  
measures, if|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" know|strong="H3045”?

O r|strong="H0176" who|strong="H4310" stretched|strong="H5186"  
the|strong="H5921" line on|strong="H5921" it|strong="H7760”?

6What|strong="H4100" were|strong="H0068" its|strong="H5921"  
foundations fastened on|strong="H5921”?

O r|strong="H0176" who|strong="H4310" laid|strong="H3384"  
its|strong="H5921" cornerstone|strong="H6438”,

7when|strong="H1121" the|strong="H3605" morning|strong="H1242"  
stars|strong="H3556" sang|strong="H7442" together|strong="H3162",

a nd|strong="H1121" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
sons|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121" God|strong="H0430"  
shouted|strong="H7321" for|strong="H7442" joy|strong="H7442"?

8“Or|strong="H1817" who shut up|strong="H3220"  
the|strong="H3318" sea|strong="H3220" with|strong="H3318"  
doors|strong="H1817",

w hen|strong="H3318" it broke|strong="H1518" out|strong="H3318"  
of|strong="H3220" the|strong="H3318" womb|strong="H7358",

9when|strong="H6051" I|strong="H7760" made|strong="H7760"  
clouds|strong="H6051" its|strong="H7760" garment|strong="H3830",

a nd|strong="H6051" wrapped it|strong="H7760" in|strong="H3830"  
thick|strong="H6205" darkness|strong="H6205",

10marked out|strong="H5921" for|strong="H5921" it|strong="H7760"  
my|strong="H7760" bound,

s et|strong="H7760" bars|strong="H1280" and|strong="H2706"  
doors|strong="H1817",

11and|strong="H0935" said|strong="H0559", ‘You|strong="H5704"  
may|strong="H3254" come|strong="H0935" here|strong="H6311",  
but|strong="H3808" no|strong="H3808" further|strong="H3254”.

Y our|strong="H0935" proud|strong="H1347" waves|strong="H1530"  
shall|strong="H3808" be|strong="H3808" stopped|strong="H0935" here’?

12“Have|strong="H3045" you|strong="H6680"  
commanded|strong="H6680" the|strong="H3117"  
morning|strong="H1242" in|strong="H3117" your|strong="H3045"  
days|strong="H3117",

a nd|strong="H3117" caused the|strong="H3117" dawn|strong="H7837"  
to|strong="H3117" know|strong="H3045" its|strong="H3045"  
place|strong="H4725",

13that it might take  
hold of the  
ends of the  
earth,

and shake the  
wicked out of it?

14It is changed  
as clay under the seal,

and presented as  
a garment.

15From the wicked,  
their light is  
withheld.

The high arm  
is broken.

16“Have you entered  
into the springs  
of the sea?”

Or have you  
walked in the  
recesses of the  
deep?”

17Have the gates  
of death been  
revealed to you?

Or have you  
seen the gates  
of the shadow  
of death?”

18Have you comprehended  
the earth in  
its width?

**D** eclare|strong = "H5046", if|strong = "H0518" you|strong = "H0518"  
know|strong = "H3045" it|strong = "H0518" all|strong = "H3605".

19“What|strong = "H2088" is|strong = "H2088" the|strong = "H1870"  
way|strong = "H1870" to|strong = "H1870" the|strong = "H1870"  
dwelling|strong = "H7931" of|strong = "H1870" light|strong = "H0216"?”

**A** s|strong = "H2088" for|strong = "H4725" darkness|strong = "H2822",  
where|strong = "H0335" is|strong = "H2088" its place|strong = "H4725",

20that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H3588"  
take|strong = "H3947" it|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H0413"  
its|strong = "H3947" bound,

**t** hat|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H3588"  
discern|strong = "H0995" the|strong = "H3588" paths|strong = "H5410"  
to|strong = "H0413" its|strong = "H3947" house|strong = "H1004"?”

21Surely|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H3045",  
for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" were|strong = "H3117"  
born|strong = "H3205" then|strong = "H0227",

**a** nd|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3588" number|strong = "H4557"  
of|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H3045" days|strong = "H3117"  
is|strong = "H3117" great|strong = "H7227"!”

22Have|strong = "H7200" you|strong = "H0935" entered|strong = "H0935"  
the|strong = "H0413" storehouses|strong = "H0214" of|strong = "H0935"  
the|strong = "H0413" snow|strong = "H7950",

**o** r|strong = "H7200" have|strong = "H7200" you|strong = "H0935"  
seen|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H0413" storehouses|strong = "H0214"  
of|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0413" hail|strong = "H1259",

23which|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0834" have|strong = "H0834"  
reserved|strong = "H2820" against|strong = "H4421" the|strong = "H0834"  
time|strong = "H6256" of|strong = "H3117" trouble|strong = "H6862",

**a** gainst|strong = "H4421" the|strong = "H0834" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3117" battle|strong = "H4421" and|strong = "H3117"  
war|strong = "H4421"?”

24By what way  
is the lightning  
distributed,

o r the east  
wind scattered on  
the earth?

25Who has cut a  
channel for the flood  
water,

o r the path  
for the thunderstorm,

26to cause it to  
rain on a  
land where there is  
no man,

o n the wilderness,  
in which there is  
no man,

27to satisfy the  
waste and desolate  
ground,

t o cause the tender  
grass to grow?

28Does the rain  
have a father?

O r who fathers  
the drops of  
dew?

29Whose womb did  
the ice come  
out of?

Who has given birth to the frost of the sky?  
 Who has given birth to the grey frost of the sky?

The waters become hard like stone,

when the surface of the deep is frozen.

“Can you bind the cluster of the Pleiades,

or loosen the cords of Orion?

Can you lead the constellations out in their season?

Or can you guide the Bear with her cubs?

Do you know the laws of the heavens?

Can you establish its dominion over the earth?

“Can you lift up your voice to the clouds,

that the waters may cover you?

35 Can you send out lightning, that they may go?

Do they report to you, 'Here we are'?

36 Who has put wisdom in the inward parts?

Or who has given understanding to the mind?

37 Who can count the clouds by wisdom?

Or who can pour out the containers of the sky,

38 when the dust runs into a mass,

and the clods of earth stick together?

39 "Can you hunt for the prey lioness,

or satisfy the appetite of the young lions,

40 when they crouch in their dens,

and lie in wait in the thicket?

41 Who provides for the raven his prey,

w hen his young ones cry to God,

a nd wander for lack of food?

39 “Do you know the time when the mountain goats give birth?”

D o you watch when the doe bears fawns?

2 Can you count the months that they fulfil?

O r do you know the time when they give birth?

3 They bow themselves. They bear their young.

T hey end their labour pains.

4 Their young ones become strong.

T hey grow up in the open field.

T hey go out, and don't return again.



5“Who has set  
the wild donkey  
free?”

- O r who has loosened  
the bonds of  
the swift donkey,

6whose home I  
have made the  
wilderness,

a nd the salt  
land his dwelling  
place?

7He scorns the  
tumult of the  
city,

n either does he  
hear the shouting of  
the driver.

8The range of the  
mountains is his  
pasture.

H e searches after  
every green thing.

9“Will the wild  
ox be content to  
serve you?”

O r will he  
stay by your  
feeding  
trough?

10Can you hold the  
wild ox in  
the furrow with  
his harness?

O r|strong = "H0518" will|strong = "H0518" he|strong = "H0518" till  
the|strong = "H0310" valleys|strong = "H6010" after|strong = "H0310"  
you|strong = "H0518"?

11Will you|strong = "H3588" trust|strong = "H0982"  
him|strong = "H0413", because|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588"  
strength|strong = "H3581" is|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H7227"?

O r|strong = "H3588" will you|strong = "H3588" leave|strong = "H5800"  
to|strong = "H0413" him|strong = "H0413" your|strong = "H3588" labour?

12Will|strong = "H2233" you|strong = "H3588" confide  
in|strong = "H0539" him|strong = "H7725", that|strong = "H3588"  
he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H2233" bring|strong = "H7725"  
home|strong = "H7725" your|strong = "H7725" seed|strong = "H2233",

a nd|strong = "H7725" gather|strong = "H0622" the|strong = "H3588"  
grain|strong = "H2233" of|strong = "H2233" your|strong = "H7725"  
threshing|strong = "H1637" floor|strong = "H1637"?

13"The|strong = "H0518" wings|strong = "H3671" of|strong = "H3671"  
the|strong = "H0518" ostrich wave proudly,

b ut|strong = "H0518" are they|strong = "H0518" the|strong = "H0518"  
feathers|strong = "H5133" and|strong = "H3671" plumage|strong = "H5133"  
of|strong = "H3671" love?

14For|strong = "H3588" she|strong = "H3588" leaves|strong = "H5800"  
her|strong = "H5921" eggs|strong = "H1000" on|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H0776",

w arms|strong = "H2552" them|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" dust|strong = "H6083",

15and|strong = "H7704" forgets|strong = "H7911" that|strong = "H3588"  
the|strong = "H3588" foot|strong = "H7272" may|strong = "H7272"  
crush|strong = "H2115" them|strong = "H3588",

o r|strong = "H7704" that|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
wild|strong = "H7704" animal|strong = "H2416" may|strong = "H7272"  
trample|strong = "H1758" them|strong = "H3588".

16She deals harshly with her young ones, as if they were not hers.

Though her labour is vain, she is without fear,

17because God has deprived her of wisdom,

neither has he imparted to her understanding.

18When she lifts herself up on high,

she scorns the horse and his rider.

19“Have you given the horse might?”

Have you clothed his neck with a quivering mane?

20Have you made him to leap as a locust?

The glory of his snorting is awesome.

21He paws in the valley, and rejoices in his strength.

**H** e|strong="H3318" goes|strong="H3318" out|strong="H3318" to|strong="H3318" meet|strong="H7125" the|strong="H3318" armed men.

22He|strong="H3808" mocks at|strong="H7725" fear|strong="H6343", and|strong="H7725" is|strong="H6440" not|strong="H3808" dismayed|strong="H2865",

**n** either|strong="H3808" does|strong="H3808" he|strong="H3808" turn|strong="H7725" back|strong="H7725" from|strong="H7725" the|strong="H6440" sword|strong="H2719".

23The|strong="H5921" quiver|strong="H0827" rattles|strong="H7439" against|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921",

**t** he|strong="H5921" flashing|strong="H3851" spear|strong="H2595" and|strong="H2595" the|strong="H5921" javelin|strong="H3591".

24He|strong="H3588" eats up|strong="H0539" the|strong="H3588" ground|strong="H0776" with|strong="H0776" fierceness and|strong="H0776" rage|strong="H7267",

**n** either|strong="H3808" does|strong="H3808" he|strong="H3588" stand|strong="H0539" still|strong="H0539" at|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3588" sound|strong="H6963" of|strong="H0776" the|strong="H3588" shofar.

25As often|strong="H1767" as the|strong="H0559" shofar sounds he|strong="H0559" snorts, 'Aha|strong="H1889"!

**H** e|strong="H0559" smells the|strong="H0559" battle|strong="H4421" afar|strong="H7350" off|strong="H7350",

**t** he|strong="H0559" thunder|strong="H7482" of|strong="H8269" the|strong="H0559" captains|strong="H8269", and|strong="H8269" the|strong="H0559" shouting|strong="H8643".

26"Is|strong="H3671" it|strong="H6566" by your wisdom that the|strong="H6566" hawk|strong="H5322" soars|strong="H0082",

**a** nd|strong="H3671" stretches|strong="H6566" her|strong="H6566" wings|strong="H3671" towards the|strong="H6566" south|strong="H8486"?"

27Is it at your command that the eagle mounts up,

and nest on high?

28On the cliff he dwells and makes his home,

on the point of the cliff and the stronghold.

29From there he spies out the prey.

His eyes see afar off.

30His young ones also suck up blood.

Where the slain are, there he is.

40Moreover the LORD answered Job,

2“Shall he who argues contend with the Almighty?”

He who argues with God, let him answer it.”

3Then Job answered the LORD,

4“Behold, I am  
of strength small account. What  
will I answer you?”

I lay my  
hand on my  
mouth.

5I have spoken  
once, and I  
will not answer;

Yes, twice, but I  
will proceed no  
further.”

6Then the LORD  
answered Job out  
of the whirlwind:

7“Now brace yourself like  
a man.”

I will question  
you, and you  
will answer me.

8Will you even  
annul my judgement?

Will you condemn  
me, that you  
may be justified?

9Or do you  
have an arm  
like God?”

Can you thunder  
with a voice  
like him?”

10“Now|strong = ”H4994” deck yourself|strong = ”H3847”  
with|strong = ”H3847” excellency and|strong = ”H4994”  
dignity|strong = ”H1363”.

**A** rray|strong = ”H3847” yourself|strong = ”H3847” with|strong = ”H3847”  
honour and|strong = ”H4994” majesty|strong = ”H1926”.

11Pour out|strong = ”H7200” the|strong = ”H3605” fury|strong = ”H5678”  
of|strong = ”H3605” your|strong = ”H3605” anger|strong = ”H0639”.

**L** ook|strong = ”H7200” at|strong = ”H7200” everyone|strong = ”H3605”  
who|strong = ”H3605” is|strong = ”H3605” proud|strong = ”H1343”,  
and|strong = ”H7200” bring|strong = ”H8213” him|strong = ”H7200”  
low|strong = ”H8213”.

12Look|strong = ”H7200” at|strong = ”H7200” everyone|strong = ”H3605”  
who|strong = ”H3605” is|strong = ”H3605” proud|strong = ”H1343”,  
and|strong = ”H7200” humble|strong = ”H3665” him|strong = ”H7200”.

**C** rush|strong = ”H1915” the|strong = ”H3605” wicked|strong = ”H7563”  
in|strong = ”H7200” their|strong = ”H3605” place|strong = ”H8478”.

13Hide|strong = ”H2934” them|strong = ”H6440” in|strong = ”H6440”  
the|strong = ”H6440” dust|strong = ”H6083” together|strong = ”H3162”.

**B** ind|strong = ”H2280” their|strong = ”H6440” faces|strong = ”H6440”  
in|strong = ”H6440” the|strong = ”H6440” hidden|strong = ”H2934” place.

14Then|strong = ”H1571” I|strong = ”H0589” will|strong = ”H1571”  
also|strong = ”H1571” admit to|strong = ”H1571” you|strong = ”H3588”

**t** hat|strong = ”H3588” your|strong = ”H3588” own right|strong = ”H3225”  
hand|strong = ”H3225” can|strong = ”H3225” save|strong = ”H3467”  
you|strong = ”H3588”.

15“See|strong = ”H2009” now|strong = ”H4994”  
behemoth|strong = ”H0930”, which|strong = ”H0834” I|strong = ”H0834”  
made|strong = ”H6213” as|strong = ”H0834” well|strong = ”H0834”  
as|strong = ”H0834” you|strong = ”H0834”.

**H** e|strong = ”H0834” eats|strong = ”H0398” grass|strong = ”H2682”  
as|strong = ”H0834” an ox|strong = ”H1241”.

16 Look now, his strength is his thighs.

His force is in the muscles of his belly.

17 He moves his tail like a cedar.

The sinews of his thighs are knit together.

18 His bones are like tubes of bronze.

His limbs are like bars of iron.

19 He is the chief of the ways of God.

He who made him gives him his sword.

20 Surely the mountains produce food for him,

where all the animals of the field play.

21 He lies under the lotus trees,

in the covert of the reed, and the marsh.



22The lotuses cover him with their shade.

The willows of the brook surround him.

23Behold, if a river overflows, he doesn't tremble.

He is confident, though the Jordan swells even to his mouth.

24Shall any take him when he is on the watch,

or pierce through his nose with a snare?

41“Can you draw out Leviathan<sup>17</sup> with a fish hook,

or press down his tongue with a cord?

2Can you put a rope into his nose,

or pierce his jaw through with a hook?

3Will he make many petitions to you,

or will he speak soft words to you?

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<sup>17</sup> + 41:1 Leviathan is a name for a crocodile or similar creature.

4Will he make a covenant with you,

that you should take him for a servant forever?

5Will you play with him as with a bird?

Or will you bind him for your girls?

6Will traders barter for him?

Will they part him amongst the merchants?

7Can you fill his skin with barbed irons,

or his head with fish spears?

8Lay your hand on him.

Remember the battle, and do so no more.

9Behold, the hope of him is vain.

Won't one be cast down even at the sight of him?

10None is so fierce that he dare stir him up.

Who then is he who can stand before me?

11 Who has first given  
to me, that I  
should repay him?

Everything under the heavens is mine.

12 "I will not keep silence concerning  
his limbs,

nor his mighty strength, nor his goodly  
frame.

13 Who can strip off  
his outer garment?

Who will come  
within his jaws?

14 Who can open the doors  
of his face?

Around his teeth is  
terror.

15 Strong scales are  
his pride,

shut up together  
with a close seal.

16 One is so near to  
another,

that no air can come between them.

17 They are joined to one another.

They stick together, so that they can't be pulled apart.

18 His sneezing flashes out light.

**H** is eyes are like the eyelids  
of the morning.

19 Out of his mouth go burning  
torches.

**S** parks of fire leap out.

20 Out of his nostrils  
a smoke goes,

**a** s of a boiling pot  
over a fire of reeds.

21 His breath kindles coals.

**A** flame goes out of  
his mouth.

22 There is strength in  
his neck.

**T** error dances before him.

23 The flakes of his  
flesh are joined together.

**T** hey are firm on  
him.

**T** hey can't be moved.

24 His heart is as  
firm as a stone,

**y** es, firm as the lower millstone.

25 When he raises himself  
up, the mighty are  
afraid.

**T**hey retreat before his thrashing.

26If one attacks him with the sword, it can't prevail;

**n**or the spear, the dart, nor the pointed shaft.

27He counts iron as straw,

**a**nd bronze as rotten wood.

28The arrow can't make him flee.

**S**ling stones are like chaff to him.

29Clubs are counted as stubble.

**H**e laughs at the rushing of the javelin.

30His undersides are like sharp potsherds,

**l**eaving a trail in the mud like a threshing sledge.

31He makes the deep to boil like a pot.

**H**e makes the sea like a pot of ointment.

32He makes a path shine after him.

**O**ne would think the deep had white hair.

33On earth there is not his equal,

**t**hat is made without fear.

34He sees everything that is high.

**H**e is king over all the sons of pride.”

42Then|strong = "H6030" Job|strong = "H0347"  
answered|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0853" LORD|strong = "H3068":

2“I|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3588"  
you|strong = "H3588" can|strong = "H3201" do|strong = "H3201"  
all|strong = "H3605" things|strong = "H3605”,

**a** nd|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3588" no|strong = "H3808"  
purpose|strong = "H4209" of|strong = "H4480" yours can|strong = "H3201"  
be|strong = "H3808" restrained.

3You|strong = "H3045" asked, ‘Who|strong = "H4310" is|strong = "H2088"  
this|strong = "H2088" who|strong = "H4310" hides|strong = "H5956"  
counsel|strong = "H6098" without|strong = "H3808"  
knowledge|strong = "H1847”?’

**t** herefore|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3651" have|strong = "H3045"  
uttered|strong = "H5046" that|strong = "H3045" which|strong = "H4310"  
I|strong = "H3651" didn’t|strong = "H3808" understand|strong = "H0995”,

**t** hings|strong = "H6381" too|strong = "H4480" wonderful|strong = "H6381"  
for|strong = "H3045" me|strong = "H5046”, which|strong = "H4310"  
I|strong = "H3651" didn’t|strong = "H3808" know|strong = "H3045”.

4You|strong = "H3045" said|strong = "H1696”, ‘Listen|strong = "H8085”,  
now|strong = "H4994”, and|strong = "H8085" I|strong = "H0595"  
will|strong = "H8085" speak|strong = "H1696”;

**I** |strong = "H0595" will|strong = "H8085" question|strong = "H7592"  
you|strong = "H3045”, and|strong = "H8085" you|strong = "H3045"  
will|strong = "H8085" answer me|strong = "H4994”.’

5I|strong = "H6258" had|strong = "H5869" heard|strong = "H8085"  
of|strong = "H5869" you|strong = "H7200" by|strong = "H5869"  
the|strong = "H8085" hearing|strong = "H0241" of|strong = "H5869"  
the|strong = "H8085" ear|strong = "H0241”,

**b** ut|strong = "H7200" now|strong = "H6258" my|strong = "H8085"  
eye|strong = "H5869" sees|strong = "H7200" you|strong = "H7200”.

6Therefore|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3651" abhor  
myself|strong = "H5162",

a nd|strong = "H6083" repent|strong = "H5162" in|strong = "H5921"  
dust|strong = "H6083" and|strong = "H6083" ashes|strong = "H0665".

7It|strong = "H3588" was|strong = "H1961" so|strong = "H1961",  
that|strong = "H3588" after|strong = "H0310" the|strong = "H0853"  
LORD|strong = "H3068" had|strong = "H3068" spoken|strong = "H1696"  
these|strong = "H0428" words|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H0413"  
Job|strong = "H0347", the|strong = "H0853" LORD|strong = "H3068"  
said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413" Eliphaz|strong = "H0464"  
the|strong = "H0853" Temanite|strong = "H8489", "My|strong = "H3068"  
wrath|strong = "H0639" is|strong = "H3068" kindled|strong = "H2734"  
against|strong = "H0413" you|strong = "H3588", and|strong = "H3068"  
against|strong = "H0413" your|strong = "H3068" two|strong = "H8147"  
friends|strong = "H7453"; for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
have|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H3808" spoken|strong = "H1696"  
of|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0853"  
thing|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H3068"  
right|strong = "H3559", as|strong = "H1697" my|strong = "H3068"  
servant|strong = "H5650" Job|strong = "H0347" has|strong = "H3068". <sup>8</sup>  
Now|strong = "H6258" therefore|strong = "H6258", take|strong = "H3947"  
to|strong = "H0413" yourselves|strong = "H5375" seven|strong = "H7651"  
bulls|strong = "H6499" and|strong = "H5650" seven|strong = "H7651"  
rams|strong = "H0352", and|strong = "H5650" go|strong = "H5927"  
to|strong = "H0413" my|strong = "H5921" servant|strong = "H5650"  
Job|strong = "H0347", and|strong = "H5650" offer|strong = "H5927"  
up|strong = "H5927" for|strong = "H3588" yourselves|strong = "H5375"  
a|strong = "H3947" burnt|strong = "H5930" offering|strong = "H5927";  
and|strong = "H5650" my|strong = "H5921" servant|strong = "H5650"  
Job|strong = "H0347" shall|strong = "H3808" pray|strong = "H6419"  
for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588", for|strong = "H3588"  
I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5650" accept|strong = "H3947"  
him|strong = "H0413", that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
not|strong = "H3808" deal|strong = "H6213" with|strong = "H5973"  
you|strong = "H3588" according|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H0413"  
your|strong = "H5921" folly|strong = "H5039". For|strong = "H3588"  
you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H5650" not|strong = "H3808"  
spoken|strong = "H1696" of|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H0413"  
the|strong = "H6440" thing|strong = "H5039" that|strong = "H3588"  
is|strong = "H5650" right|strong = "H3559", as|strong = "H3588"  
my|strong = "H5921" servant|strong = "H5650" Job|strong = "H0347"  
has|strong = "H5650".

9So|strong = "H6213" Eliphaz|strong = "H0464" the|strong = "H0853" Temanite|strong = "H8489" and|strong = "H3068" Bildad|strong = "H1085" the|strong = "H0853" Shuhite|strong = "H7747" and|strong = "H3068" Zophar|strong = "H6691" the|strong = "H0853" Naamathite|strong = "H5284" went|strong = "H0413" and|strong = "H3068" did|strong = "H6213" what|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0853" LORD|strong = "H3068" commanded|strong = "H1696" them|strong = "H0413", and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H0853" LORD|strong = "H3068" accepted Job|strong = "H0347".

10The|strong = "H3605" LORD|strong = "H3068" restored|strong = "H7725" Job's|strong = "H0347" prosperity when|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834" prayed|strong = "H6419" for|strong = "H1157" his|strong = "H3605" friends|strong = "H7453". The|strong = "H3605" LORD|strong = "H3068" gave|strong = "H7725" Job|strong = "H0347" twice|strong = "H4932" as|strong = "H0834" much|strong = "H0834" as|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H3068" before. <sup>11</sup> Then|strong = "H0853" all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" brothers|strong = "H0251", all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" sisters|strong = "H0269", and|strong = "H0935" all|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H0834" of|strong = "H1004" his|strong = "H3605" acquaintance before|strong = "H6440", came|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413" him|strong = "H0413" and|strong = "H0935" ate|strong = "H0398" bread|strong = "H3899" with|strong = "H5973" him|strong = "H0413" in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004". They|strong = "H0834" comforted|strong = "H5162" him|strong = "H0413", and|strong = "H0935" consoled|strong = "H5110" him|strong = "H0413" concerning|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" evil|strong = "H7451" that|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H3605" LORD|strong = "H3068" had|strong = "H3068" brought|strong = "H0935" on|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H0413". Everyone|strong = "H3605" also|strong = "H3068" gave|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H0413" a|strong = "H5414" piece|strong = "H7192" of|strong = "H1004" money|strong = "H7192", <sup>18</sup> and|strong = "H0935" everyone|strong = "H3605" a|strong = "H5414" ring|strong = "H5141" of|strong = "H1004" gold|strong = "H2091".

12So|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H0853" LORD|strong = "H3068" blessed|strong = "H1288" the|strong = "H0853" latter|strong = "H0319" end|strong = "H0319" of|strong = "H3068" Job|strong = "H0347" more than his|strong = "H3068" beginning|strong = "H7225". He|strong = "H3068" had|strong = "H3068" fourteen|strong = "H6240" thousand|strong = "H0505"

<sup>18</sup> + 42:11 literally, kesitah, a unit of money, probably silver



sheep|strong = "H6629", six|strong = "H8337" thousand|strong = "H0505"  
 camels|strong = "H1581", one|strong = "H1961" thousand|strong = "H0505"  
 yoke|strong = "H6776" of|strong = "H3068" oxen|strong = "H1241",  
 and|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H1961" thousand|strong = "H0505"  
 female|strong = "H0860" donkeys|strong = "H0860". <sup>13</sup> He|strong = "H1121"  
 had|strong = "H1961" also seven|strong = "H7658" sons|strong = "H1121"  
 and|strong = "H1121" three|strong = "H7969" daughters|strong = "H1323".  
<sup>14</sup> He|strong = "H0259" called|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H7121"  
 name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H8034" the|strong = "H7121"  
 first|strong = "H0259", Jemimah|strong = "H3224"; and|strong = "H8034"  
 the|strong = "H7121" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H8034"  
 the|strong = "H7121" second|strong = "H8145", Keziah|strong = "H7103";  
 and|strong = "H8034" the|strong = "H7121" name|strong = "H8034"  
 of|strong = "H8034" the|strong = "H7121" third|strong = "H7992", Keren  
 Happuch. <sup>15</sup> In|strong = "H0776" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 land|strong = "H0776" were|strong = "H1992" no|strong = "H3808"  
 women|strong = "H0802" found|strong = "H4672" so|strong = "H5414"  
 beautiful|strong = "H3303" as|strong = "H3303" the|strong = "H3605"  
 daughters|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H0776" Job|strong = "H0347".  
 Their|strong = "H3605" father|strong = "H0001" gave|strong = "H5414"  
 them|strong = "H5414" an|strong = "H5414" inheritance|strong = "H5159"  
 amongst their|strong = "H3605" brothers|strong = "H0251". <sup>16</sup>  
 After|strong = "H0310" this|strong = "H2063" Job|strong = "H0347"  
 lived|strong = "H2421" one|strong = "H1121" hundred|strong = "H3967"  
 and|strong = "H1121" forty|strong = "H0705" years|strong = "H8141",  
 and|strong = "H1121" saw|strong = "H7200" his|strong = "H7200"  
 sons|strong = "H1121", and|strong = "H1121" his|strong = "H7200"  
 sons'|strong = "H1121" sons|strong = "H1121", to|strong = "H1121"  
 four|strong = "H0702" generations|strong = "H1755". <sup>17</sup>  
 So|strong = "H4191" Job|strong = "H0347" died|strong = "H4191", being  
 old|strong = "H2205" and|strong = "H3117" full|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3117" days|strong = "H3117".