## The Book of Job Lesson 12 Job's Redeemer

Job 19:25–27; John 1:1–14; Job 10:4, 5; Luke 2:11; Gal. 4:19; Luke 9:22; Isa. 53:1–6.

**Isaiah 53:4** (NKJV) "Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted"

## **My Redeemer Liveth**

**Job 19:25–27** (*NKJV*) For I know that my Redeemer lives, And He shall stand at last on the earth; <sup>26</sup> And after my skin is destroyed, this I know, That in my flesh I shall see God, <sup>27</sup> Whom I shall see for myself, And my eyes shall behold, and not another. How my heart yearns within me!

**Isaiah 48:17** (*NKJV*) Thus says the Lord, your Redeemer, The Holy One of Israel: "I am the Lord your God, Who teaches you to profit, Who leads you by the way you should go.

**Revelation 1:7** (*NKJV*) *Behold, He is coming with clouds, and every eye will see Him,...* 

\***Revelation 22:4** (*NKJV*) *They shall see His face, and His name shall be on their foreheads.* 

#### How is Job like Jesus?

Like Melchizedek he appears from nowhere without genealogy. Job 23:11, 12 My foot has held fast to His steps; I have kept His way and not turned aside. I have not departed from the commandment of His lips.

John 15:10 If you keep My commandments, you will abide in My love, just as I have kept My Father's commandments and abide in His love.

**Job 23:12** *"I have treasured the words of His mouth more than my necessary food.* 

**Matthew 4:4** *"Man will not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God.* 

# Both are called servants of God

Job 2:3 The Lord said to Satan, have you considered My servant Job? Isaiah 42:1 (NKJV) "Behold! My Servant whom I uphold, My Elect One in whom My soul delights! I have put My Spirit upon Him; He will bring forth justice to the Gentiles.

## Jesus Himself said:

**Matthew 20:28** Just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many.

Job was a rich king with thousands of cattle, as of course is Jesus. Job 1:3 so that this man was the greatest of all the people of the East. Psalm 50:10 He owns "the cattle on a thousand hills".

#### Job was highly revered by the people of his region.

**Job 29:7–9** *"When I went out to the gate by the city, when I took my seat in the open square, the young men saw me and hid, and the aged arose and stood; the princes refrained from talking, and put their hand on their mouth"*.

**Job 29:10–12** "When the ear heard, then it blessed me, and when the eye saw, then it approved me; because I delivered the poor who cried out, the fatherless and the one who had no helper".

## Job was Christ-like in the way he helped others and in the way he lived.

Job 29:13, 14 "The blessing of a perishing man came upon me, and I caused the widow's heart to sing for joy. I put on righteousness, and it clothed me; my justice was like a robe and a turban".

## The ministry of Job sounds just like the work of Jesus while on earth

Job 29:15, 16 "I was eyes to the blind, and I was feet to the lame. I was a father to the poor, and I searched out the case that I did not know". Job 29:17 He also "broke the fangs of the wicked, and plucked the victim from his teeth".

## The Son of Man

**Job 10:4, 5** *Do You have eyes of flesh? Or do You see as man sees? Are Your days like the days of a mortal man? Are Your years like the days of a mighty man,* 

\*Hebrews 4:15 (NKJV) For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin.

God withdrew His protection from Job. I believe He did this in order to save future generations. Christ was also accused in an assembly of leaders. And we know that God withdrew protection from His Beloved Son that Jesus might become our sacrifice.

## Was Jesus physically disfigured?

**Isaiah 52:14** "Just as many were astonished at you, so His visage was marred more than any man, and His form more than the sons of men" **Job 2:12** "When they raised their eyes from afar, and did not recognize him, they lifted their voices and wept".

#### Forsaken by friends and family

Job 19:13, 14 "He has removed my brothers far from me, and my acquaintances are completely estranged from me. My relatives have failed, and my close friends have forgotten me". John 7:5 says, "Even His brothers did not believe in Him."

And Jesus' friends left Him in His hour of trial.

Matthew 26:56 *"Then all the disciples forsook Him and fled".* Job said to his friends:

**Job 6:27** (*NASB*) "You would even cast lots for the orphans, and barter over your friend". Did they cast lots around Jesus? Did Judas "barter" Him for 30 pieces of silver?

**Job 16:11** "God has delivered me to the ungodly, and turned me over to the hands of the wicked".

**John 19:16** [Pilate] "delivered Him to them to be crucified. Then they took Jesus and led Him away".

**Job 30:10** *"They abhor me, they keep far from me; they do not hesitate to spit in my face".* 

\*Matthew 26:67 "Then they spat in His face and beat Him; and others struck Him with the palms of their hands."

**Job 16:10** *"They gape at me with their mouth, they strike me reproachfully on the cheek".* 

Luke 22:64 And having blindfolded Him, they struck Him on the face. Job 13:24 "Why do You hide Your face, and regard me as Your enemy?"

Job 30:20 "I cry to You, but You do not answer me." Mark 15:34 "My God, My God, why have You forsaken Me?".

#### Jesus and Job were both stripped of their clothing.

**Job 1:21** "Naked I came from my mother's womb, and naked shall I return there. The Lord gave, and the Lord has taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord".

Matthew 27:28 "They stripped Him".

#### Mocking and taunting

Job 16:20 "My friends scorn me; my eyes pour out tears to God." Job 30:9 "I am their taunting song; yes, I am their byword".

**Psalm 22:7, 8** *"All those who see Me ridicule Me; they shoot out the lip, they shake the head, saying, 'He trusted in the Lord, let Him rescue Him; let Him deliver Him, since He delights in Him.* 

**Job 19:9** *Job said, "He has stripped me of my glory, and taken the crown from my head".* 

**Job 10:21, 22** "Before I go to the place from which I shall not return, to the land of darkness and the shadow of death, a land as dark as darkness itself, as the shadow of death, without any order, where even the light is like darkness."

Job 13:15 "Though He slay me, yet will I trust Him". Luke 23:46 "Father, into Your hands I commit My spirit".

#### Job and Jesus were merciful mediators

Job 42:8 "Now therefore, take for yourselves seven bulls and seven rams, go to My servant Job, and offer up for yourselves a burnt offering; and My servant Job shall pray for you. For I will accept him, lest I deal with you according to your folly; because you have not spoken of Me what is right, as My servant Job has".

**\*1 Timothy 2:5** For there is one God and one mediator between God and mankind, the man Christ Jesus,

# The Death of Christ

**1 John 2:6** (*NKJV*) *He who says he abides in Him ought himself also to walk just as He walked.* 

**Galatians 4:19** (*NKJV*) *My little children, for whom I labor in birth again until Christ is formed in you,* 

**1 Corinthians 11:1** (*NKJV*) *Imitate me, just as I also imitate Christ.* **Matthew 11:29** (*NKJV*) *Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.* 

The Sufferings of the Son of Man Isaiah 53:1-6

## Satan Unmasked

John 12:31–33 (NKJV) Now is the judgment of this world; now the ruler of this world will be cast out. <sup>32</sup> And I, if I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all peoples to Myself." <sup>33</sup> This He said, signifying by what death He would die. In the end Job wins over the leviathan and received a double blessing