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**Book of Job Chapter 34**

18\_JOB\_34\_01 Furthermore Elihu answered and said,

18\_JOB\_34\_02 Hear my words, O ye wise [men]; and give ear unto me, ye that have knowledge.

18\_JOB\_34\_03 For the ear trieth words, as the mouth tasteth meat.

18\_JOB\_34\_04 Let us choose to us judgment: let us know among ourselves what [is] good.

18\_JOB\_34\_05 For Job hath said, I am righteous: and God hath taken away my judgment.

18\_JOB\_34\_06 Should I lie against my right? my wound [is] incurable without transgression.

18\_JOB\_34\_07 What man [is] like Job, [who] drinketh up scorning like water?

18\_JOB\_34\_08 Which goeth in company with the workers of iniquity, and walketh with wicked men.

18\_JOB\_34\_09 For he hath said, It profiteth a man nothing that he should delight himself with God.

18\_JOB\_34\_10 Therefore hearken unto me, ye men of understanding: far be it from God, [that he should do] wickedness; and [from] the Almighty, [that he should commit] iniquity.

18\_JOB\_34\_11 For the work of a man shall he render unto him, and cause every man to find according to [his] ways.

18\_JOB\_34\_12 Yea, surely God will not do wickedly, neither will the Almighty pervert judgment.

18\_JOB\_34\_13 Who hath given him a charge over the earth? or who hath disposed the whole world?

18\_JOB\_34\_14 If he set his heart upon man, [if] he gather unto himself his spirit and his breath;

18\_JOB\_34\_15 All flesh shall perish together, and man shall turn again unto dust.

18\_JOB\_34\_16 If now [thou hast] understanding, hear this: hearken to the voice of my words.

18\_JOB\_34\_17 Shall even he that hateth right govern? and wilt thou condemn him that is most just?

18\_JOB\_34\_18 [Is it fit] to say to a king, [Thou art] wicked? [and] to princes, [Ye are] ungodly?

18\_JOB\_34\_19 [How much less to him] that accepteth not the persons of princes, nor regardeth the rich more than the poor? for they all [are] the work of his hands.

18\_JOB\_34\_20 In a moment shall they die, and the people shall be troubled at midnight, and pass away: and the mighty shall be taken away without hand.

18\_JOB\_34\_21 For his eyes [are] upon the ways of man, and he seeth all his goings.

18\_JOB\_34\_22 [There is] no darkness, nor shadow of death, where the workers of iniquity may hide themselves.

18\_JOB\_34\_23 For he will not lay upon man more [than right]; that he should enter into judgment with God.

18\_JOB\_34\_24 He shall break in pieces mighty men without number, and set others in their stead.

18\_JOB\_34\_25 Therefore he knoweth their works, and he overturneth [them] in the night, so that they are destroyed.

18\_JOB\_34\_26 He striketh them as wicked men in the open sight of others;

18\_JOB\_34\_27 Because they turned back from him, and would not consider any of his ways:

18\_JOB\_34\_28 So that they cause the cry of the poor to come unto him, and he heareth the cry of the afflicted.

18\_JOB\_34\_29 When he giveth quietness, who then can make trouble? and when he hideth [his] face, who then can behold him? whether [it be done] against a nation, or against a man only:

18\_JOB\_34\_30 That the hypocrite reign not, lest the people be ensnared.

18\_JOB\_34\_31 Surely it is meet to be said unto God, I have borne [chastisement], I will not offend [any more]:

18\_JOB\_34\_32 [That which] I see not teach thou me: if I have done iniquity, I will do no more.

18\_JOB\_34\_33 [Should it be] according to thy mind? he will recompense it, whether thou refuse, or whether thou choose; and not I: therefore speak what thou knowest.

18\_JOB\_34\_34 Let men of understanding tell me, and let a wise man hearken unto me.

18\_JOB\_34\_35 Job hath spoken without knowledge, and his words [were] without wisdom.

18\_JOB\_34\_36 My desire [is that] Job may be tried unto the end because of [his] answers for wicked men.

18\_JOB\_34\_37 For he addeth rebellion unto his sin, he clappeth [his hands] among us, and multiplieth his words against God.