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Book of Job Chapter 36

18\_JOB\_36\_01 Elihu also proceeded, and said,

18\_JOB\_36\_02 Suffer me a little, and I will show thee that [I have] yet to speak on God's behalf.

18\_JOB\_36\_03 I will fetch my knowledge from afar, and will ascribe righteousness to my Maker.

18\_JOB\_36\_04 For truly my words [shall] not [be] false: he that is perfect in knowledge [is] with thee.

18\_JOB\_36\_05 Behold, God [is] mighty, and despiseth not [any: he is] mighty in strength [and] wisdom.

18\_JOB\_36\_06 He preserveth not the life of the wicked: but giveth right to the poor.

18\_JOB\_36\_07 He withdraweth not his eyes from the righteous: but with kings [are they] on the throne; yea, he doth establish them for ever, and they are exalted.

18\_JOB\_36\_08 And if [they be] bound in fetters, [and] be holden in cords of affliction;

18\_JOB\_36\_09 Then he sheweth them their work, and their transgressions that they have exceeded.

18\_JOB\_36\_10 He openeth also their ear to discipline, and commandeth that they return from iniquity.

18\_JOB\_36\_11 If they obey and serve [him], they shall spend their days in prosperity, and their years in pleasures.

18\_JOB\_36\_12 But if they obey not, they shall perish by the sword, and they shall die without knowledge.

18\_JOB\_36\_13 But the hypocrites in heart heap up wrath: they cry not when he bindeth them.

18\_JOB\_36\_14 They die in youth, and their life [is] among the unclean.

18\_JOB\_36\_15 He delivereth the poor in his affliction, and openeth their ears in oppression.

18\_JOB\_36\_16 Even so would he have removed thee out of the strait [into] a broad place, where [there is] no straitness; and that which should be set on thy table [should be] full of fatness.

18\_JOB\_36\_17 But thou hast fulfilled the judgment of the wicked: judgment and justice take hold [on thee].

18\_JOB\_36\_18 Because [there is] wrath, [beware] lest he take thee away with [his] stroke: then a great ransom cannot deliver thee.

18\_JOB\_36\_19 Will he esteem thy riches? [no], not gold, nor all the forces of strength.

18\_JOB\_36\_20 Desire not the night, when people are cut off in their place.

18\_JOB\_36\_21 Take heed, regard not iniquity: for this hast thou chosen rather than affliction.

18\_JOB\_36\_22 Behold, God exalteth by his power: who teacheth like him?

18\_JOB\_36\_23 Who hath enjoined him his way? or who can say, Thou hast wrought iniquity?

18\_JOB\_36\_24 Remember that thou magnify his work, which men behold.

18\_JOB\_36\_25 Every man may see it; man may behold [it] afar off.

18\_JOB\_36\_26 Behold, God [is] great, and we know [him] not, neither can the number of his years be searched out.

18\_JOB\_36\_27 For he maketh small the drops of water: they pour down rain according to the vapour thereof:

18\_JOB\_36\_28 Which the clouds do drop [and] distil upon man abundantly.

18\_JOB\_36\_29 Also can [any] understand the spreadings of the clouds, [or] the noise of his tabernacle?

18\_JOB\_36\_30 Behold, he spreadeth his light upon it, and covereth the bottom of the sea.

18\_JOB\_36\_31 For by them judgeth he the people; he giveth meat in abundance.

18\_JOB\_36\_32 With clouds he covereth the light; and commandeth it [not to shine] by [the cloud] that cometh betwixt.

18\_JOB\_36\_33 The noise thereof sheweth concerning it, the cattle also concerning the vapour.