

# **JOB PROCLAIMS HIS INNOCENCE**

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- I. Job's life was pure (vv. 1-12).
  - A. God was his portion (vv. 1-4).
  - B. He kept his path from evil (vv. 5-8).
  - C. He purposed to remain faithful (vv. 9-12).

- II. Job was polite toward others (vv. 13-23).**
  - A. He did not show partiality (vv. 13-15).**
  - B. He shared with others plentifully (vv. 16-23).**

**III. Job's relationship with God was a priority (vv. 24-34).**

**A. He is not deserving of punishment (vv. 24-28).**

**B. He did not take pleasure in wickedness (vv. 29-34).**

**IV. Job desired to bring his petition to God  
(vv. 35-40).**

**A. He wanted to present his case (vv. 35-37).**

**B. He was just in protection of the land  
(vv. 38-40).**

**We would all do well to take an inventory of our own lives:**

- **How are you doing with your thoughts?**
- **Do you treat others with decency and respect?**
- **Are you generous with those who are less fortunate?**
- **Do you see your assets as resources to be used for God's glory?**
- **Is your relationship with God a priority?**
- **Do you reach out to show hospitality to others?**