



The Gospel According to Job

March 29: Job Continues
His Reply to Zophar: Job 13
A Bible Study at St. John Lutheran Church

What are some of the ways we belittle the problems of others?

Why is loyalty such a lost virtue today?

Job 13:1-3

How does Job process the critique of his friends?

What does he desire as his next step?

Job 13:4-6

How does Job evaluate his friends?

^{NLT} Job 13:4 For you are smearing me with lies. As doctors, you are worthless quacks.

What does he desire of them?

Job 13:7-11

What is the implied answer to Job's rhetorical questions?

What is Job's evaluation of his friends before God?

Psalm 139:23-24 Search me, O God, and know my heart! Try me and know my thoughts! And see if there be any grievous way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting!

If we cannot deceive God, why do we pretend that we can?

What should God's majesty provoke in us?

Job 13:12-14

What does Job think of the clever sayings of his friends?

What does he want from them? Is Job willing to be responsible for his own words?

Job 13:15-16

Even if God slays Job, what has Job determined? What does Job still intend?

“Thou, O Lord, Thou bruisest me, but it is enough to know it is Thy hand.” – John Calvin

Psalm 23:4 Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

Job 13:17-19

To whom is Job speaking here?

Isaiah 50:7-8 But the Lord GOD helps me; therefore I have not been disgraced; therefore I have set my face like a flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame. He who vindicates me is near. Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together. Who is my adversary? Let him come near to me.

Job 13:20-22

What two things does Job desire?

Job 13:23-25

What does Job want to know?

Psalm 51:3 For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

Job 13:26-28

Are we responsible for the sins of our youth? According to Job, where has God left him?

Isaiah 40:7 The grass withers, the flower fades when the breath of the LORD blows on it; surely the people are grass.

April 5: Easter Sunday: No Class

April 12: Still Job: Job 14