Job 9

Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs



1 Then Job^{H347} answered^{H6030} and said^{H559}, **2** I know^{H3045} it is so of a truth^{H551}: but how should man^{H582} be just^{H6663} with God^{H410}?¹ **3** If he will^{H2654} contend^{H7378} with him, he cannot answer^{H6030} him one^{H259} of a thousand^{H505}. **4** He is wise^{H2450} in heart^{H3824}, and mighty^{H533} in strength^{H3581}: who hath hardened^{H7185} himself against him, and hath prospered^{H7999}? **5** Which removeth^{H6275} the mountains^{H2022}, and they know^{H3045} not: which overturneth^{H2015} them in his anger^{H639}. **6** Which shaketh^{H7264} the earth^{H776} out of her place^{H4725}, and the pillars^{H5982} thereof tremble^{H6426}. **7** Which commandeth^{H5186} the heavens^{H8064}, and treadeth^{H1869} upon the waves^{H1116} of the sea^{H3220.2} **9** Which maketh^{H6213} Arcturus^{H5906}, Orion^{H3685}, and Pleiades^{H3598}, and the chambers^{H2315} of the south^{H8486.3} **10** Which doeth^{H6213} great things^{H1419} past^{H369} finding out^{H2714}; yea, and wonders^{H6381} without number^{H4557}. **11** Lo, he goeth^{H5674} by me, and I see^{H7200} him not: he passeth on^{H2498} also, but I perceive^{H995} him not. **12** Behold, he taketh away^{H2862}, who can hinder^{H7725} him? who will say^{H559} unto him, What doest^{H6213} thou?⁴ **13** If God^{H433} will not withdraw^{H7725} his anger^{H639}, the proud^{H7293} helpers^{H5826} do stoop^{H7817} under him.⁵

14 How much less shall I answer^{H6030} him, and choose out^{H977} my words^{H1697} to reason with him? **15** Whom, though I were righteous^{H6663}, yet would I not answer^{H6030}, but I would make supplication^{H2603} to my judge^{H8199}. **16** If I had called^{H7121}, and he had answered^{H6030} me; yet would I not believe^{H539} that he had hearkened^{H238} unto my voice^{H6963}. **17** For he breaketh^{H7779} me with a tempest^{H8183}, and multiplieth^{H7235} my wounds^{H6482} without cause^{H2600}. **18** He will not suffer^{H5414} me to take^{H7725} my breath^{H7307}, but filleth^{H7646} me with bitterness^{H4472}. **19** If I speak of strength^{H3581}, lo, he is strong^{H533}: and if of judgment^{H4941}, who shall set^{H3259} me a time to plead? **20** If I justify^{H6663} myself, mine own mouth^{H6310} shall condemn^{H7561} me: if I say, I am perfect^{H8535}, it shall also prove me perverse^{H6140}. **21** Though I were perfect^{H8535}, yet would I not know^{H3045} my soul^{H5315}: I would despise^{H3988} my life^{H2416}.

22 This is one^{H259} thing, therefore I said^{H559} it, He destroyeth^{H3615} the perfect^{H8535} and the wicked^{H7563}. **23** If the scourge^{H7752} slay^{H4191} suddenly^{H6597}, he will laugh^{H3932} at the trial^{H4531} of the innocent^{H5355}. **24** The earth^{H776} is given^{H5414} into the hand^{H3027} of the wicked^{H7563}: he covereth^{H3680} the faces^{H6440} of the judges^{H8199} thereof; if not, where^{H645}, and who is he?

25 Now my days^{H3117} are swifter^{H7043} than a post^{H7323}: they flee away^{H1272}, they see^{H7200} no good^{H2896}. **26** They are passed away^{H2498} as^{H5973} the swift^{H16} ships^{H591}: as the eagle^{H5404} that hasteth^{H2907} to the prey^{H400}.⁶ **27** If I say^{H559}, I will forget^{H7911} my complaint^{H7879}, I will leave off^{H5800} my heaviness^{H6440}, and comfort^{H1082} myself: **28** I am afraid^{H3025} of all my sorrows^{H6094}, I know^{H3045} that thou wilt not hold me innocent^{H5352}. **29** If I be wicked^{H7561}, why then labour^{H3021} I in vain^{H1892}? **30** If I wash^{H7364} myself with^{H7950} snow water^{H4325 H1119}, and make my hands^{H3709} never^{H1252 H1253} so clean^{H2141}; **31** Yet^{H227} shalt thou plunge^{H2881} me in the ditch^{H7845}, and mine own clothes^{H8008} shall abhor^{H8581} me.⁷ **32** For he is not a man^{H376}, as I am, that I should answer^{H6030} him, and we should come^{H935} together^{H3162} in judgment^{H4941}. **33** Neither is^{H3426} there any daysman^{H3198} betwixt us, that might lay^{H7896} his hand^{H3027} upon us both^{H8147.89} **34** Let him take^{H5493} his rod^{H7626} away^{H5493} from me, and let not his fear^{H367} terrify^{H1204} me: **35** Then would I speak^{H1696}, and not fear^{H3372} him; but it is not so with me.¹⁰

Fußnoten

with God: or, before God?
waves: Heb. heights

3. Arcturus...: Heb. Ash, Cesil, and Cimah

- 4. hinder ...: Heb. turn him away?
- 5. proud...: Heb. helpers of pride, or, strength
- 6. swift...: or, ships of Ebeh: Heb. ships of desire
- 7. abhor...: or, make me to be abhorred
- 8. any...: Heb. one that should argue
- 9. daysman: or, umpire
- 10. it is...: Heb. I am not so with myself