Bible Alive 365 – Day #14

Job 38-39

Job 38:1-41 Then the LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind, and said, **2** Who *is* this that darkeneth counsel by words without knowledge? **3** Gird up now thy loins like a man; for I will demand of thee, and answer thou me. **4** Where wast thou when I laid the foundations of the earth? declare, if thou hast understanding. **5** Who hath laid the measures thereof, if thou knowest? or who hath stretched the line upon it? **6** Whereupon are the foundations thereof fastened? or who laid the corner stone thereof; **7** When the morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy? **8** Or *who* shut up the sea with doors, when it brake forth, *as if* it had issued out of the womb? **9** When I made the cloud the garment thereof, and thick darkness a swaddlingband for it, **10** And brake up for it my decreed *place,* and set bars and doors, **11** And said, Hitherto shalt thou come, but no further: and here shall thy proud waves be stayed? **12** Hast thou commanded the morning since thy days; *and* caused the dayspring to know his place; **13** That it might take hold of the ends of the earth, that the wicked might be shaken out of it? **14** It is turned as clay *to* the seal; and they stand as a garment. **15** And from the wicked their light is withholden, and the high arm shall be broken. **16** Hast thou entered into the springs of the sea? or hast thou walked in the search of the depth? **17** Have the gates of death been opened unto thee? or hast thou seen the doors of the shadow of death? **18** Hast thou perceived the breadth of the earth? declare if thou knowest it all. **19** Where *is* the way *where* light dwelleth? and *as for* darkness, where *is* the place thereof, **20** That thou shouldest take it to the bound thereof, and that thou shouldest know the paths *to* the house thereof? **21** Knowest thou *it,* because thou wast then born? or *because* the number of thy days *is* great? **22** Hast thou entered into the treasures of the snow? or hast thou seen the treasures of the hail, **23** Which I have reserved against the time of trouble, against the day of battle and war? **24** By what way is the light parted, *which* scattereth the east wind upon the earth? **25** Who hath divided a watercourse for the overflowing of waters, or a way for the lightning of thunder; **26** To cause it to rain on the earth, *where* no man *is; on* the wilderness, wherein *there is* no man; **27** To satisfy the desolate and waste *ground;* and to cause the bud of the tender herb to spring forth? **28** Hath the rain a father? or who hath begotten the drops of dew? **29** Out of whose womb came the ice? and the hoary frost of heaven, who hath gendered it? **30** The waters are hid as *with* a stone, and the face of the deep is frozen. **31** Canst thou bind the sweet influences of Pleiades, or loose the bands of Orion? **32** Canst thou bring forth Mazzaroth in his season? or canst thou guide Arcturus with his sons? **33** Knowest thou the ordinances of heaven? canst thou set the dominion thereof in the earth? **34** Canst thou lift up thy voice to the clouds, that abundance of waters may cover thee? **35** Canst thou send lightnings, that they may go, and say unto thee, Here we *are?* **36** Who hath put wisdom in the inward parts? or who hath given understanding to the heart? **37** Who can number the clouds in wisdom? or who can stay the bottles of heaven, **38** When the dust groweth into hardness, and the clods cleave fast together? **39** Wilt thou hunt the prey for the lion? or fill the appetite of the young lions, **40** When they couch in *their* dens, *and* abide in the covert to lie in wait? **41** Who provideth for the raven his food? when his young ones cry unto God, they wander for lack of meat.

Job 39:1-30 Knowest thou the time when the wild goats of the rock bring forth? *or* canst thou mark when the hinds do calve? **2** Canst thou number the months *that* they fulfil? or knowest thou the time when they bring forth? **3** They bow themselves, they bring forth their young ones, they cast out their sorrows. **4** Their young ones are in good liking, they grow up with corn; they go forth, and

return not unto them. **5** Who hath sent out the wild ass free? or who hath loosed the bands of the wild ass? **6** Whose house I have made the wilderness, and the barren land his dwellings. **7** He scorneth the multitude of the city, neither regardeth he the crying of the driver. **8** The range of the mountains *is* his pasture, and he searcheth after every green thing. **9** Will the unicorn be willing to serve thee, or abide by thy crib? **10** Canst thou bind the unicorn with his band in the furrow? or will he harrow the valleys after thee? **11** Wilt thou trust him, because his strength *is* great? or wilt thou leave thy labour to him? **12** Wilt thou believe him, that he will bring home thy seed, and gather *it into* thy barn? **13** *Gavest thou* the goodly wings unto the peacocks? or wings and feathers unto the ostrich? **14** Which leaveth her eggs in the earth, and warmeth them in dust, **15** And forgetteth that the foot may crush them, or that the wild beast may break them. **16** She is hardened against her young ones, as though *they were* not hers: her labour is in vain without fear; **17** Because God hath deprived her of wisdom, neither hath he imparted to her understanding. **18** What time she lifteth up herself on high, she scorneth the horse and his rider. **19** Hast thou given the horse strength? hast thou clothed his neck with thunder? **20** Canst thou make him afraid as a grasshopper? the glory of his nostrils *is* terrible. **21** He paweth in the valley, and rejoiceth in *his* strength: he goeth on to meet the armed men. **22** He mocketh at fear, and is not affrighted; neither turneth he back from the sword. **23** The quiver rattleth against him, the glittering spear and the shield. **24** He swalloweth the ground with fierceness and rage: neither believeth he that *it is* the sound of the trumpet. **25** He saith among the trumpets, Ha, ha; and he smelleth the battle afar off, the thunder of the captains, and the shouting. **26** Doth the hawk fly by thy wisdom, *and* stretch her wings toward the south? **27** Doth the eagle mount up at thy command, and make her nest on high? **28** She dwelleth and abideth on the rock, upon the crag of the rock, and the strong place. **29** From thence she seeketh the prey, *and* her eyes behold afar off. **30** Her young ones also suck up blood: and where the slain *are,* there *is* she.