

# “Through the Bible: Job 38-41 (God’s Speech)”

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## I. God’s Speech: He Directs His Attention to Job (Job 38)

- A. “Then the LORD answered Job out of the \_\_\_\_\_, and said, Who is this that darkeneth counsel by words without \_\_\_\_\_? Gird up now thy loins like a \_\_\_\_\_; for I will \_\_\_\_\_ of thee, and \_\_\_\_\_ thou me” (Job 38:1-3).
- B. Job 38 :4-41 is an elongated series of questions of the Lord directed to Job. Take notice of the following.
1. Job 38:4-7 deal with earth and the sky. Specifically, the “\_\_\_\_\_” of the earth and the “\_\_\_\_\_” of it.
  2. Job 38:8-11 have to do with the seas and oceans. God ends by asking who said, “Hitherto shalt thou \_\_\_\_\_, but no further: and here shall thy proud waves be \_\_\_\_\_?”
  3. Later, God talks about the “\_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_” (Job 38:22) and the “\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_” (Job 38:25).
  4. God makes reference to what heavenly constellations in Job 38:31-32?  
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  5. Lasty in Job 38:39-41, God refers to the care and concern of what animals?  
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## II. God’s Speech: More Question for Job (Job 39)

- A. God persists in his questioning of Job in Job 39.
- B. God speaks a lot about animals in this part of the Bible. Read the following verses and make a note of the animal mentioned.
1. Job 39:1 \_\_\_\_\_
  2. Job 39:5 \_\_\_\_\_
  3. Job 39:9 \_\_\_\_\_
  4. Job 39:13 \_\_\_\_\_
  5. Job 39:19 \_\_\_\_\_
  6. Job 39:26 \_\_\_\_\_
  7. Job 39:27 \_\_\_\_\_

## III. God’s Speech: Powerful Words Exchanged (Job 40)

- A. God opens this chapter by asking Job, “Shall he that contendeth with the Almighty \_\_\_\_\_ him? he that \_\_\_\_\_ God, let him \_\_\_\_\_ it” (Job 40:2)?
- B. How does Job respond to the Lord’s inquiry (Job 40:4-5)? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- C. Job 40:6-14 are God’s way of displaying to Job he (nor any other man) is equal to or with God. What two questions does God ask in Job 40:9 to prove His point?  
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- D. Job 40:15-24 tell of an animal referred to as “\_\_\_\_\_.”
- E. “His \_\_\_\_\_ are as strong pieces of \_\_\_\_\_; his \_\_\_\_\_ are like bars of \_\_\_\_\_” (Job 40:18) and “he drinketh up a \_\_\_\_\_” (Job 40:23).

**IV. God’s Speech: His Final Thoughts in this Book (Job 41)**

- A. God uses these final thoughts to display His power through His creation of an animal referred to as “\_\_\_\_\_” (Job 41:1). No man has the power to create such an enormous beast, let alone control it, but only God!
- B. Observe a few of the facts concerning this animal.
1. If drawn out, it must be with a “\_\_\_\_\_” and “\_\_\_\_\_” (Job 41:1).
  2. “\_\_\_\_\_ is so \_\_\_\_\_ that \_\_\_\_\_ him up” (Job 41:10).
  3. What does God say about this animal’s mouth, nostrils, and breath in Job 41:19-21? \_\_\_\_\_  
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  4. Which weapons appear to be useless against this creature (Job 41:26)? \_\_\_\_\_
  5. “The \_\_\_\_\_ cannot make him flee: \_\_\_\_\_ are turned with him into \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ are counted as \_\_\_\_\_: he \_\_\_\_\_ at the shaking of a \_\_\_\_\_” (Job 41:28-29).
  6. It is said, “Upon earth there is \_\_\_\_\_ his \_\_\_\_\_” (Job 41:33).