

Introduction

List the times Job asked to speak with God and the times Job's friends said he could not or would not get audience with God.

Compare what Job thought he would experience talking with God to what happened.

How does this perspective ensure we exalt God and keep man in his place?

The Context

- How are we to read God's speech?
- What God ______ say is as significant as what He says. God doesn't ______ why Job ______.
- What is God's ______ toward Job?
- What is Job's _____ toward God?

The Speech

Introduction to the speech. (38:1–3)

- God _____ Job. (38:1, cf. 40:6)
- The whirlwind (cf. 2 Kings 2:1, 11)

Questions from God (38:4–41)

38:4–11. Where were you when I _____?

38:12–15. Have you ever in your life ______ the morning?

38:16–30. Have you ever seen the inner workings of the mysteries of nature?

- The depths of the sea.
- The place where lightning dwells.
- The source of floods.

38:31–33. Can you show dominion over the _____?

- **38:34–35**. Do you have power over _____?
- **38:36–38**. God the giver of wisdom and understanding.
- **38:39–41**. God provides for the ______.