

**Job's Second Response to Eliphaz:
Suffering, Ministry, Christ
Job 16-17**

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A. Our Ministry to One Another Through Our Suffering: Job 16:1-5

1. Suffering moves us away from self-pity
Job 16:5a, 1 Cor. 1:3-4
2. Suffering creates desire to help fellow sufferers
Job 16:5b, Acts 14:19-22

B. The Suffering Believer: Observing Job, David, Christ

1. Pain of loneliness and sense of abandonment

Job – Job 16:6-7, Job 16:10-11
Christ – Mark 14:43-50, Luke 22:60-61, Matt. 27:45-46
2. Extreme weariness of physical, emotional, spiritual pain

Job – Job 16:8-9; 12-14, Job 17:1-2
Christ – Luke 22:39-44, Matt. 27:27-31
3. Emotional pain producing a flood of sorrowing tears

Job – Job 16:16-17; 20
Christ – Hebrews 5:7-10
4. Pain of betrayal

Job – Job 16:20
Christ – Luke 22:19-21