

Studies in Job
Yahweh Vindicates and Blesses Job
42:7-17

I. Yahweh Vindicates Job (42:7-9)

A. Yahweh rebukes Eliphaz and his two friends (42:7)

B. Job mediates and intercedes (42:8)

C. Job, the Substitute (42:9)

II. Yahweh Restores and Blessed Job (42:10-17)

A. Restored and doubled possessions (42:10)

B. Restored to friends and family (42:11)

C. Yahweh blesses the end more than the beginning (42:12-15)

D. Job's epitaph (42:16-17)

*Be still, my soul: when dearest friends depart,
And all is darkened in the vale of tears,
Then shalt thou better know His love, His heart,
Who comes to soothe thy sorrow and thy fears.
Be still, my soul: thy Jesus can repay
From His own fullness all He takes away.*

*When he is finished with his art,
The silent worship of our heart.
When God creates a humble hush,
And makes Leviathan his brush,
It won't be long until the rod
Becomes the tender kiss of God.*