

Job 37

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Elihu Proclaims God's Majesty

¹At this also my heart trembleth, And is moved out of its place.

²Hear attentively the noise of His voice, And the sound that goeth out of His mouth.

³He sendeth it forth under the whole heaven, And His lightning unto the ends of the earth.

⁴After it a voice roareth; He thundereth with the voice of His majesty; And He stayeth them not when His voice is heard.

- 5**God thundereth marvellously with His voice; Great things doeth He, which we cannot comprehend.
- 6**For He saith to the snow: 'Fall thou on the earth'; Likewise to the shower of rain, and to the showers of His mighty rain.
- 7**He sealet up the hand of every man, That all men whom He hath made may know it.
- 8**Then the beasts go into coverts, And remain in their dens.
- 9**Out of the Chamber cometh the storm; And cold out of the north.
- 10**By the breath of God ice is given, And the breadth of the waters is straitened.
- 11**Yea, He ladeth the thick cloud with moister, He spreadeth abroad the cloud of His lightning;
- 12**And they are turned round about by His guidance, That they may do whatsoever He commandeth them Upon the face of the habitable world:
- 13**Whether it be for correction, or for His earth, Or for mercy, that He cause it to come.
- 14**Hearken unto this, O Job; Stand still, and consider the wondrous works of God.
- 15**Dost thou know how God enjoineth them, And causeth the lightning of His cloud to shine?
- 16**Dost thou know the balancings of the clouds, The wondrous works of Him who is perfect in knowledge?
- 17**Thou whose garments are warm, When the earth is still by reason of the south wind;
- 18**Canst thou with Him spread out the sky, Which is strong as a molten mirror?
- 19**Teach us what we shall say unto Him; For we cannot order our speech by reason of darkness.
- 20**Shall it be told Him that I would speak? Or should a man wish that he were swallowed up?
- 21**And now men see not the light which is bright in the skies; But the wind passeth, and cleanseth them.
- 22**Out of the north cometh golden splendour, About God is terrible majesty.
- 23**The Almighty, whom we cannot find out, is excellent in power, Yet to judgment and plenteous justice He doeth no violence.
- 24**Men do therefore fear Him; He regardeth not any that are wise of heart.