

**JOB 6**

JOB 6:1

1 ¶ But Job answered and said,

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2 Oh that my grief were throughly weighed, and my calamity laid in the balances together!

JOB 6:3

3 For now it would be heavier than the sand of the sea: therefore my words are swallowed up.

JOB 6:4

4 For the arrows of the Almighty *are* within me, the poison whereof drinketh up my spirit: the terrors of God do set themselves in array against me.

JOB 6:5

5 Doth the wild ass bray when he hath grass? or loweth the ox over his fodder?

JOB 6:6

6 Can that which is unsavoury be eaten without salt? or is there *any* taste in the white of an egg?

JOB 6:7

7 The things *that* my soul refused to touch *are* as my sorrowful meat.

JOB 6:8

8 ¶ Oh that I might have my request; and that God would grant *me* the thing that I long for!

JOB 6:9

9 Even that it would please God to destroy me; that he would let loose his hand, and cut me off!

JOB 6:10

10 Then should I yet have comfort; yea, I would harden myself in sorrow: let him not spare; for I have not concealed the words of the Holy One.

JOB 6:11

11 What *is* my strength, that I should hope? and what *is* mine end, that I should prolong my life?

JOB 6:12

12 *Is my strength the strength of stones? or is my flesh of brass?*

JOB 6:13

13 *Is not my help in me? and is wisdom driven quite from me?*

JOB 6:14

14 ¶ *To him that is afflicted pity should be shewed from his friend; but he forsaketh the fear of the Almighty.*

JOB 6:15

15 *My brethren have dealt deceitfully as a brook, and as the stream of brooks they pass away;*

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16 *Which are blackish by reason of the ice, and wherein the snow is hid:*

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17 *What time they wax warm, they vanish: when it is hot, they are consumed out of their place.*

JOB 6:18

18 *The paths of their way are turned aside; they go to nothing, and perish.*

JOB 6:19

19 *The troops of Tema looked, the companies of Sheba waited for them.*

JOB 6:20

20 *They were confounded because they had hoped; they came thither, and were ashamed.*

JOB 6:21

21 *For now ye are nothing; ye see my casting down, and are afraid.*

JOB 6:22

22 ¶ *Did I say, Bring unto me? or, Give a reward for me of your substance?*

JOB 6:23

23 *Or, Deliver me from the enemy's hand? or, Redeem me from the hand of the mighty?*

JOB 6:24

24 Teach me, and I will hold my tongue: and cause me to understand wherein I have erred.

JOB 6:25

25 How forcible are right words! but what doth your arguing reprove?

JOB 6:26

26 Do ye imagine to reprove words, and the speeches of one that is desperate, *which are as wind?*

JOB 6:27

27 Yea, ye overwhelm the fatherless, and ye dig *a pit* for your friend.

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28 Now therefore be content, look upon me; for *it is* evident unto you if I lie.

JOB 6:29

29 Return, I pray you, let it not be iniquity; yea, return again, my righteousness *is* in it.

JOB 6:30

30 Is there iniquity in my tongue? cannot my taste discern perverse things?