Job 10

- 1. What does Job continue to complain about in this chapter?
- 2. In this speech, Job increases his speculations about God's actions and motives: (verses 3, 13 and 16 make this obvious)
 - a. What does he accuse God of doing in verse 2?
 - b. What does he accuse God of favoring in verse 3?
 - c. What does he accuse God of *knowing* in verse 7?
 - d. According to verses 16 and 17, what did Job presume that God would do (return to doing) if Job recovered? (there are 2 or 3 chief things)
- 3. Job well understood the difference between God and man (verses 4-ff), but Job's misconception about God's interactions with man caused him to conclude what about God? (verses 8 & 10)
- 4. From verse 9, what seemed inconsistent to Job?

- 5. What did Job presume that God had "hid" in His heart in the past?
- 6. In verses 14 and 15, Job describes the possible conditions in which he could be and not be any better off in the one than in the other. What were these two conditions?
- 7. Verse 18 brings back the laments of his first speech in chapter 3. What does he again wish had happened:
 - a. Prior to his birth?
 - b. And carried straight from the womb to the
- 8. As we have seen from earlier speeches, Job and his friends all assumed that Job's condition was God's direct action (though Job disagreed with his friends as to God's *purpose*). From verse 20, what does Job assume would happen to him if God simply left him alone?
- 9. The book of Job represents Job as having some view of an afterlife, though not entirely accurate. What view does he have of the afterlife according to verses 21 and 22?