

## Job 29

1. This chapter describes what time in Job's life?
2. In chapter 22:1-9, Eliphaz had suggested that Job had wronged and mistreated weak and vulnerable people. How is that claim answered in this chapter?
3. According to verse 2 (in the KJV, NKJV, ASV, NASB, ESV, NIV and others), how much time had passed since Job was first afflicted?
4. In verses 2-5, Job used various expressions to describe God's view of him at the time prior to his affliction. Give a brief summary of Job's point about God's view of him at that time:
  - a. Thought question: Had God's view of Job really changed?
5. Verses 6 and 7 describe how much better Job's life was *physically* and *socially* prior to his affliction. Explain this difference:
6. In verses 8-10 and 21, Job describes the past views of various classes of people towards him. How was Job viewed by:
  - a. The young men (8)?
  - b. The princes (9)?
  - c. The nobles (10)?
  - d. The men (21)?

- e. What did it mean that the men kept silence at his council (22)?
7. According to verses 12-17, what classes of people were helped by Job?
  8. What did Job mean when he said that he (had supposed) that he would “die in his nest?”
  9. What was Job’s point when he said that his roots were spread out to the waters?
    - a. In Psalm 1:3, what type of person did David describe as being like a tree planted by streams of water?
  10. Job said that the people “waited” for him “as for rain.” In this context, what did they “wait” for him to do?
  11. How did the people react if Job mocked them?
  12. According to verse 25, how respected was Job among the people?