

Job 9

1. Who is speaking in this chapter?
2. As suggested by the chapter headings in some Bibles, verse 33 seems to summarize the primary theme of this chapter — What is that theme?
3. Throughout man's existence, what has been the **general answer** to Job's question about justification? (v. 2)
 - a. Ecclesiastes 12:13 serves as a good example of this. What does it teach?
4. What reasons did Job give as to why man cannot "contend" with God? (feel free to summarize these reasons if you prefer)
 - a. What does Job describe in verse 9?
 - b. What attribute of God is described in verse 11?
 - c. Some translations have "cohorts" or "helpers of Rahab" in verse 13. This is not intended as a proper name. The word actually means "proud." In view of this, who are the "helpers of rehab?"

5. What does Job claim to be in verses 15, 20 and 21?
6. Once again, to whom does Job attribute his condition?
7. What had Job concluded about who God “destroyed?” (22)
8. What examples did Job cite to describe the swiftness of his days?
9. What kind of “face” did Job wear, but spoke of putting off?
10. What cleaning agent did Job speak of?
 - a. Note: Even though he washed with this strong cleaner, what would be his condition?
11. *Thought question:* How does verse 32 speak to Job’s attitude towards God? What was he unwilling to do with respect to God?
12. What was the “rod” that Job wanted God to remove?