

## “The Depth of Our Blessing”

Job 8-10

**Intro:** When we look back at the book of Job, we have to realize that Job took place *before* Moses led God’s people out of Egypt. No Scripture had been written prior to Job’s time. They knew what they knew had been passed down to them. Certainly about Adam and Eve up to Noah and the ark – this was a major portion about what they knew of God. Just think of how much more we know and have.

I. We can rely on God’s \_\_\_\_\_ - not experience (8:1-22)

- Bildad’s Perspective:

Calamity is caused by \_\_\_\_\_ (1-7)

The \_\_\_\_\_ shows us this (8-10)

The wicked \_\_\_\_\_, the righteous \_\_\_\_\_ (11-22)

But we know: Matthew 4:43-45, Romans 8:28-39

II. We can stand \_\_\_\_\_ before God (9:1-31)

- Not hopelessness, not maybe, not ‘hope so’
- Romans 8:1
  - Walking after the \_\_\_\_\_ - Trusting Christ fulfills God’s \_\_\_\_\_
  - Why? I John 1:7 – guaranteed cleansing

III. We have a \_\_\_\_\_ with God (9:32-10:7)

- I Timothy 2:3-6 – Perfect mediator:  
Paid the price, 1 with God, He desires salvation

IV. We know God’s \_\_\_\_\_ for our lives (10:8-22)

**Conclusion** – We are so blessed. With what we know, our trust of God should be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

## “The Value of Treasure”

Matthew 13:44-52

**Intro – Matthew 6:19-24. The Bible speaks very strongly against setting our hearts on treasure, in this world. It is almost strange to have Jesus talk so much about treasure in the parables. But God wants to program our hearts with the value of real treasure, not the ‘bling’ that the world sets before us.**

I. \_\_\_\_\_ is a treasure worth sacrificing all for. (44-46)

II. Heaven values \_\_\_\_\_ most of all (47-50)

III. Our treasures have the most value when \_\_\_\_\_ (51-52)

**Conclusion** – What can we do? Pursue God’s Kingdom, make deposits of righteousness, and share our treasures – with fellow Christians and with a world that is clinging to a cheap imitation of treasure.

## **JOB**

Intro:

- I. Word, sin, past, perish, prosper
- II. Pure, Spirit, Law
- III. Mediator
- IV. Plan

Conclusion: deeper, stronger

## **Matthew**

Intro:

- I. heaven
- II. righteousness
- III. shared