

Suffering Of The Righteous

Job 30.1-10

1. The plight of a good man afflicted

- a. has become powerless
- b. not respected by those around him
- c. goodness forgotten

2. Lower than the lowest

- a. **Job 30.1** - they that are younger than I have me in derision
- b. **Jas 2.1-4** - judges of evil thoughts
- c. **Lev 19.32** - honour the face of the old man
- d. **Lev 25.35** - then thou shalt relieve him
- e. **Isa 53.3** - we esteemed him not
- f. **Job 30.8** - they were viler than the earth
- g. **Job 30.1** - whose fathers I would have disdained
- h. **Isa 53.12** - numbered with the transgressors

3. Stranger to the world

- a. **Job 30.9-10** - I am their byword ... spare not to spit in my face
- b. **Heb 11.36-38** - being destitute, afflicted, tormented
- c. **1 Cor 4.9-11** - but we are despised
- d. **2 Tim 3.12** - godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution
- e. **Heb 11.16** - But now they desire a better country

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2. Lower than the lowest

Job 30.1 - But now they that are younger than I have me in derision,

Jas 2.1-4 - My brethren, have not the faith of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Lord of glory, with respect of persons. 2: For if there come unto your assembly a man with a gold ring, in goodly apparel, and there come in also a poor man in vile raiment; 3: And ye have respect to him that weareth the gay clothing, and say unto him, Sit thou here in a good place; and say to the poor, Stand thou there, or sit here under my footstool: 4: Are ye not then partial in yourselves, and are become judges of evil thoughts?

Lev 19.32 - Thou shalt rise up before the hoary head, and honour the face of the old man, and fear thy God: I am the LORD.

Lev 25.35 - And if thy brother be waxen poor, and fallen in decay with thee; then thou shalt relieve him: yea, though he be a stranger, or a sojourner; that he may live with thee.

Isa 53.3 - He is despised and rejected of men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief: and we hid as it were our faces from him; he was despised, and we esteemed him not.

Job 30.8 - They were children of fools, yea, children of base men: they were viler than the earth.

Job 30.1 - whose fathers I would have disdained to have set with the dogs of my flock.

Isa 53.12 - Therefore will I divide him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he hath poured out his soul unto death: and he was numbered with the transgressors; and he bare the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

3. Stranger to the world

Job 30.9-10 - And now am I their song, yea, I am their byword. 10: They abhor me, they flee far from me, and spare not to spit in my face.

Heb 11.36-38 - And others had trial of cruel mockings and scourgings, yea, moreover of bonds and imprisonment: 37: They were stoned, they were sawn asunder, were tempted, were slain with the sword: they wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins; being destitute, afflicted, tormented; 38: (Of whom the world was not worthy:) they wandered in deserts, and in mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth.

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1 Cor 4.9-11 - For I think that God hath set forth us the apostles last, as it were appointed to death: for we are made a spectacle unto the world, and to angels, and to men. 10: We are fools for Christ's sake, but ye are wise in Christ; we are weak, but ye are strong; ye are honourable, but we are despised. 11: Even unto this present hour we both hunger, and thirst, and are naked, and are buffeted, and have no certain dwellingplace;

2 Tim 3.12 - Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution.

Heb 11.16 - But now they desire a better country, that is, an heavenly: wherefore God is not ashamed to be called their God: for he hath prepared for them a city.

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