

God's Megaphone: Pain and Providence in the Book of Job

To Understand Suffering, Study Science

Job 38:1–40:5

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Job, his three friends, and Elihu have all expressed their opinions about God and the problem of pain. Throughout his suffering Job grows bolder in demanding an explanation from God, even suggesting that God has been unjust. Thus far, God has been silent, allowing everyone to enter their opinions into the public written record for all time. But now, God speaks and surprisingly answers Job's questions with questions of his own that invite Job to study science.

1. The _____ of creation argues for the existence of a Creator.
2. The _____ of creation argues for the omnipotence, omniscience, omnipresence, and omnibenevolence of God.
3. The _____ of creation (science) argues for our absolute dependence on the absolute sovereignty of God.