"Some Questions from God" Job 38:1-3

Introduction

- I. How many of us have either wanted, or have asked God questions?
- II. Did you know that there have been occasions when God has asked men questions?
- III. Let us notice some questions from God.

Discussion

- I. "What doest thou here, Elijah" (1 Kings 19:9, 13)?
 - A. God actually asked Elijah the same question twice.
 - B. Elijah had let fear creep into his heart, and as such was not doing the work that he needed to be doing (1 Kings 19:1-15).
 - C. We need to trust God and do His will (1 John 4:18).
- II. "And which of you with taking thought can add to his stature one cubit? If ye then be not able to do that thing which is least, why take ye thought for the rest" (Luke 12:25-26)?
 - A. How many times have we let worry and anxiety hinder us in our lives?
 - B. Worrying never helps, but it certainly does hinder.
 - C. We should put our trust in God and understand that He is in control (Rom. 8:28; Phil. 4:6-7, 13; 1 Pet. 5:7; Heb. 13:6).
- III. "Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me" (Acts 9:4)?
 - A. Saul of Tarsus had been militantly determined to destroy the church (Acts 9:1-2).
 - B. He thought that he was serving God by doing such, but he was not (Acts 23:1; 1 Tim. 1:13).
 - C. Saul persecuted the Lord by persecuting the church, and we must do our parts not to harm the body of Christ (Eph. 5:27).
- IV. "Wilt thou be made whole" (John 5:6)?
 - A. This question might seem strange, after all, who would not want to be made better?
 - B. There are many who are sick with sin, but how many actually do what is necessary to be made whole?
 - C. Let us remember that the many refuse (Matt. 7:13-14; Acts 2:36-38; 8:22).

Conclusion

- I. We might have questions for God, but let us not forget that God has questions for us.
- II. Our reasoning and thoughts are not always the same as God's (Isa. 55:8-9).