

# The Book of Job

## Chapter 1

Job lived in Southern Israel.  
He had 7 sons and 3 daughters.  
He owned thousands of animals.  
He loved God and was a good man.

Satan, one of the fallen angels,  
challenged God to let Job be put to the test.  
God gave permission to Satan to test Job.

On one day,  
all Job's animals were captured by raiders,  
and all his children died in a storm.

Job tore his clothes, shaved his head,  
bowed to the ground and prayed:  
"Naked I came from my mother's womb,  
naked I shall return to the womb of the earth.  
The Lord gave, the Lord has taken back.  
Blessed be the name of the Lord."

Dear God, please give us courage and faith  
when life is difficult