

# Job 40

Neue englische Darby-Übersetzung



- 1 And Jehovah answered Job and said,
- 2 Shall he that will contend with the Almighty instruct *him*? he that reproves †God, let him answer it.
- 3 And Job answered Jehovah and said,
- 4 Behold, I am nothing: what shall I answer *you*? I will lay my hand upon my mouth.
- 5 Once have I spoken, and I will not answer; yes twice, but I will proceed no further.
- 6 And Jehovah answered Job out of the whirlwind and said,
- 7 Gird up now *your* loins like a man: I will demand of *you*, and inform *you* me.
- 8 Will *you* also annul my judgment? will *you* condemn me that *you* may be righteous?
- 9 Have *you* an arm like •God? or can *you* thunder with a voice like him?
- 10 Deck *yourself* now with glory and excellency, and clothe *yourself* with majesty and splendor.
- 11 Cast abroad the ragings of *your* anger, and look on every one that is proud, and abase him:
- 12 Look on every one that is proud, bring him low, and tread down the wicked in their place:
- 13 Hide them in the dust together; bind their faces in secret.
- 14 Then will I also praise *you*, because *your* right hand saves *you*.
- 15 See now the behemoth, which I made with *you*: he eats grass as an ox.
- 16 Behold now, his strength is in his loins, and his force is in the muscles of his belly.
- 17 He bends his tail like a cedar; the sinews of his thighs are woven together.
- 18 His bones are tubes of bronze, his members are like bars of iron.
- 19 He is the chief of •God's ways: he that made him gave him his sword.
- 20 For the mountains bring him forth food, where all the beasts of the field play.
- 21 He lies under lotus-bushes, in the covert of the reed and fen:

**22** Lotus-bushes cover him with their shade; the willows of the brook surround him.

**23** Lo, the river overflows—he startles not: he is confident though a Jordan break forth against his mouth.

**24** Shall he be taken in front? will they pierce through *his* nose in the trap?