Job 4

Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs



1 Then Eliphaz^{H464} the Temanite^{H8489} answered^{H6030} and said^{H559}, **2** If we assay^{H5254} to commune^{H1697} with thee, wilt thou be grieved^{H3811}? but who can^{H3201} withhold^{H6113} himself from speaking^{H4405}?¹² **3** Behold, thou hast instructed^{H3256} many^{H7227}, and thou hast strengthened^{H2388} the weak^{H7504} hands^{H3027}. **4** Thy words^{H4405} have upholden^{H6965} him that was falling^{H3782}, and thou hast strengthened^{H553} the feeble^{H3766} knees^{H1290}. **5** But now it is come^{H935} upon thee, and thou faintest^{H3811}; it toucheth^{H5060} thee, and thou art troubled^{H926}. **6** Is not this thy fear^{H3374}, thy confidence^{H3690}, thy hope^{H8615}, and the uprightness^{H8537} of thy ways^{H1870}?

7 Remember^{H2142}, I pray thee, who ever perished^{H6}, being innocent^{H5355}? or where^{H375} were the righteous^{H3477} cut off^{H3582}? **8** Even as I have seen^{H7200}, they that plow^{H2790} iniquity^{H205}, and sow^{H2232} wickedness^{H5999}, reap^{H7114} the same. **9** By the blast^{H5397} of God^{H433} they perish^{H6}, and by the breath^{H7307} of his nostrils^{H639} are they consumed^{H3615}.³ **10** The roaring^{H7581} of the lion^{H738}, and the voice^{H6963} of the fierce lion^{H7826}, and the teeth^{H8127} of the young lions^{H3715}, are broken^{H5421}. **11** The old lion^{H3918} perisheth^{H6} for lack^{H1097} of prey^{H2964}, and the stout lion's^{H3833} whelps^{H1121} are scattered abroad^{H6504}.

12 Now a thing^{H1697} was secretly brought^{H1589} to me, and mine ear^{H241} received^{H3947} a little^{H8102} thereof.⁴ **13** In thoughts^{H5587} from the visions^{H2384} of the night^{H3915}, when deep sleep^{H8639} falleth^{H5307} on men^{H582}, **14** Fear^{H6343} came^{H7122} upon me, and trembling^{H7461}, which made all^{H7230} my bones^{H6106} to shake^{H6342.56} **15** Then a spirit^{H7307} passed^{H2498} before my face^{H6440}; the hair^{H8185} of my flesh^{H1320} stood up^{H5568}: **16** It stood still^{H5975}, but I could not discern^{H5234} the form^{H4758} thereof: an image^{H8544} was before mine eyes^{H5869}, there was silence^{H1827}, and I heard^{H8085} a voice^{H6963}, saying,⁷ **17** Shall mortal man^{H582} be more just^{H6663} than God^{H433}? shall a man^{H1397} be more pure^{H2891} than his maker^{H6213}? **18** Behold, he put no trust^{H539} in his servants^{H5650}; and his angels^{H4397} he charged^{H7760} with folly^{H8417.8} **19** How much less^{H637} in them that dwell^{H7931} in houses^{H1004} of clay^{H2563}, whose foundation^{H3247} is in the dust^{H6083}, which are crushed^{H1792} before^{H6440} the moth^{H6211}? **20** They are destroyed^{H3807} from morning^{H1242} to evening^{H6153}: they perish^{H6} for ever^{H5331} without any regarding^{H7760} it.⁹ **21** Doth not their excellency^{H3499} which is in them go away^{H5265}?

Fußnoten

- 1. to ...: Heb. a word
- 2. withhold ...: Heb. refrain from words?
- 3. by the breath ...: that is, by his anger
- 4. secretly: Heb. by stealth
- 5. came ...: Heb. met
- 6. all: Heb. the multitude of
- 7. there...: or, I heard a still voice
- 8. and his...: or, nor in his angels, in whom he put light
- 9. destroyed: Heb. beaten in pieces