

# **Job: Lessons from the Scene of Suffering**

## **Class 1 - June 23**

### **Introductory Material**

**When and where did Job live?**

**Who wrote Job?**

### **Structure and Summary of Job**

**Prologue, Job 1-2**

**Speeches by Job, Eliphaz, Bildad and Zophar, Job 3-31**

## **Speeches by Elihu, Job 32-37**

## **Speeches by God, Job 38-42:6**

## **Epilogue, Job 42:7-17**

# **The book of Job and the rest of the Bible**

## **A reading plan for Job**

- Handout/Web

## **Overview of our remaining classes**

- June 30 - Class 2 = Sharing/questions from **Job 1-10** (reading). The uniqueness of the book of Job - how it is one of the earliest revelations from God and as such how it establishes the trajectory for so many gospel thrusts.
- July 7 - Class 3 = Sharing/questions from **Job 11-20** (reading). Goals to strive for in suffering (lessons from the scene of suffering).
- July 14 - Class 4 = Sharing/questions from **Job 21-28** (reading). Realities to face in the scene of suffering (part 1).
- July 21 - Class 5 = Sharing/questions from **Job 29-35** (reading). Realities to face in the scene of suffering (part 2).
- July 28 - Class 6 = Sharing/questions from **Job 36-42** (reading). An overview of **Job 38-42**? An exposition of? Only **Job 42:7-17**?