

IMPOSSIBILITIES Job 9- 10

“Job tends to state a position boldly, then abandons it when he sees its difficulty and jump to another idea, which is also quickly abandoned.” – Walton

“Reciting these lines keep alive his longing to have fellowship with God restored. And recitation of these hymns also enables him to cope with his bitterest feelings. That is why he can keep looking to God for help despite God’s apparent hostility.” – Walton

Keep looking in the _____

Turn statements of confusion into statements of _____

It’s Impossible: How can a man be declared innocent by God? Job 9:2-4 “Job ponders the possibility of challenging his plaintiff, God, to enter into debate in order that the causes of God’s hostility against him may be faced and removed.” - Hartley

What is the answer to Job’s question? Romans 3:23-24

It’s Impossible: How can a man be declared innocent by God?

The Greek word – justified – means the same as the Hebrew word... it means _____

The impossibility of being declared innocent of all wrong, being acquitted of any crimes, and being made right with God – is possible through the grace of God as He puts _____, and puts all of Jesus’ righteousness _____.

1st Hymn of Praise : Job 9:5-10 - Impossible for man!

He removes mountains without their knowledge, overturning them in His anger. _____

He shakes the earth from its place so that its pillars tremble.

He commands the sun not to shine and seals off the stars. _____

He alone stretches out the heavens and treads on the waves of the sea. _____

He makes the stars: the Bear, Orion, the Pleiades, and the constellations of the southern sky. _____

He performs great and unsearchable things, wonders without number.

Egyptian hieroglyphs: “impossibility” depicted by image of _____

Jesus is the one who can accomplish impossible things and makes it possible for man to join Him.

Matthew 14:25-31

Job emphasizes the _____ of God as well as His _____

It's impossible - *how* can Job speak with God or argue with Him? Job 9:11-15

It seemed impossible: Job knew he needed _____ from his Judge.

The Hebrew - *hanan* - depicts a heartfelt response by someone who has something to _____
to one who has a _____ Hebrews 4:14-16

An impossible situation: Job 9:32-33 Job despaired that there was _____
between them to bring about _____.

God did what was impossible to _____.... With a heartfelt response to our need,
He _____ to us. John 1:14, Colossians 1:19-20, 1 Timothy 2:5-6

Job makes profound statements and requests... which everyone on earth should consider and recognize
as their _____

Part 2 of Job's Speech – Job 10 is his _____ another outpouring of grief and confusion and pain.

He _____ directly as he thinks about the impossible, hopeless situation he is in.

He makes _____ statements about Who God is and What He does.

The impossible questions of Job are _____ by Jesus, the God-man who _____ our sin,
and _____ our sin. John 10:28,

The 2nd Hymn of Praise – Job 10:8-12

Job has knowledge and the _____ understanding of the _____ of life,
and even understands the amazing act of conception.

Job is wrestling with trying to understand God's _____ providence with His _____
prerogative.

Matthew 26:38-39 It is _____ for us to be justified / made right with God /
reconciled to Him / forgiven by Him BY any other way than Jesus' suffering, sacrifice, death.