

The Joy of Repentance

"I had heard of you by the hearing of the ear, but now my eye sees you."

1. What comes to your mind when you think of confession and repentance?

Job's Confession

2. What is the one question God asks that Job *can* answer?

3. Job friends believe God upholds a strict principle of _____. Job, denies this but accuses God of being _____.

4. If we realize that God created the world and all that is in it—and governs it all with wisdom and care—then we can realize that _____ (even when it is beyond our understanding) is under his same governance of wisdom and care.

5. What often gives us comfort in times of suffering? _____

Job's Repentance

6. Why did God repeat "I will question you, and you make it known to me" twice?

- i. Job did not hear it the first time.
- ii. God is copying Job's friends and how they spoke.
- iii. Job's first response (silence) was not true repentance.

7. Job did not "see" the reason for his suffering, he saw _____.

8. In repentance, Job takes back what he said about God and his injustice. (Yes/No)

9. True repentance begins with the knowledge of _____.

10. Job's repentance demonstrates that it was his sin that led to his suffering. (Yes/No)

11. List the three "joys" of that come with Job's repentance:
