



Notes:

1. Intro:

a. "Hope: Living Fearlessly in a Scary World" by David Jeremiah

b. Job experienced natural disasters

c. God is sovereign

d. Lesson learned from disaster

e. First 3 verses appear to fit 7 yr Tribulation

- Rev 8:14 (6th Seal) - Rev 16:20 (7th Bowl)

2. Repent of Sin (Luke 13)

a. Luke 13:1-5

- tragedy of Pilate killing Galilean

- Jews involving temple worship

- 18 dead when tower in Siloam fell

b. Lk 13:2, 4 Dead people worse sinners than others? Judgemental view

- survivor's relief, scorn

- but instead Jesus calls each person who lives to repentance - Lk 13:3, 5

c. Jesus lambasted for healing on Sabbath Day - Lk 13:14-16

- Jesus called them hypocrites

- even animals on Sabbath day get fed & led to water

- woman healed relieved of her pain

3. Remember God's Goodness

a. God works everything for good

- Rom 8:28 everything means all things

- All who love God

- All who called according to God's purpose

b. Parable of good Samaritan Remember example of Job's patience

- Job 14:14 Job waits for his coming change

- Job 19:23-27 Job's Redeemer lives & Job will see Him in his flesh after death

4. Help Others

a. Parable of good Samaritan Lawyer question

- Luke 10:25-27 tricky lawyer

x "What shall I do?"

x Lawyer quotes summation of Law

b. Parable of good Samaritan

- Lk 10:29-37

- Lawyer wants to justify himself with question, "Who is my neighbor?"

- Parable of good Samaritan is answer to his question

- Jesus counter questions, "Who is the neighbor?"

- Lawyer answers his first question & Jesus' question, "He who showed mercy."

5. Remember God's Promise

a. God promises

- Deut 31:6 God is the one who goes with you. He will never leave or forsake you - told to all Israel
- Josh 1:5 told to Joshua personally
- Heb 13:6 No fear because God is my Helper
- Ps 27:1 Lord is my Strength
- Ps 118:6 Lord is on my side

6. Rely on God's Presence & Power

a. God's presence in Christian life

- Gal 5:22-23 Holy Spirit giving 9 segmented single fruit

x love, joy, peace, etc

- Gal. 4:6 God sent Holy Spirit to cry out to God-adopted children

- x - Gal. 5:16 Walk in the Spirit

b. Remember Job's awareness of God's power in life

- Job 2:9 Accept both goodness from God, & also adversity in life
- God's commentary on Job's sorrows & questions

x Job 1:22, Job did not charge God with wrong

x Job 2:10 Job did not sin with his lips

- Job's afflictions

x Job 1:14-17 Job lost all his wealth

x Job 1:19 All of your children died - 7 sons & 3 daughters all grown

x Job 2:7 his health

c. But Job did not sin

- Job hoped in His living Redeemer & his coming resurrection from the dead (Job 19:23-27)

- Job 42:8 God will only accept Job's prayers for his friends

- Job 42:9 Because God had accepted Job