

## Labels

### *You're Not What Happened To You*

Job 1:1 In the land of Uz there lived a man whose name was Job. This man was blameless and upright; he feared God and shunned evil. (NIV)

Job 3:25 What I feared has come upon me; what I dreaded has happened to me. (NIV)

#### **1. Don't let critics get to you**

Job 8:4 When your children sinned against him, he gave them over to the penalty of their sin. (NIV)

Job 22:5 Is not your wickedness great? Are not your sins endless? (NIV)

Job 22:23 If you return to the Almighty, you will be restored: If you remove wickedness far from your tent (NIV)

Job 30:9–10 “And now those young men mock me in song; I have become a byword among them.<sup>10</sup> They detest me and keep their distance; they do not hesitate to spit in my face. (NIV)

#### **2. Don't let sin get around you**

Job 6:24 “Teach me, and I will be quiet; show me where I have been wrong. (NIV)

Job 31:4–6 Does he not see my ways and count my every step?<sup>5</sup> “If I have walked with falsehood or my foot has hurried after deceit—<sup>6</sup> let God weigh me in honest scales and he will know that I am blameless— (NIV)

Job 23:10 But he knows the way that I take; when he has tested me, I will come forth as gold. (NIV)

Job 2:9 His wife said to him, “Are you still maintaining your integrity? Curse God and die!” (NIV)

Job 27:5 I will never admit you are in the right; till I die, I will not deny my integrity. (NIV)

#### **3. Don't let bitterness get in you**

Job 42:5–6 My ears had heard of you but now my eyes have seen you.

<sup>6</sup> Therefore I despise myself and repent in dust and ashes.” (NIV)

Job 42:8 So now take seven bulls and seven rams and go to my servant Job and sacrifice a burnt offering for yourselves. My servant Job will pray for you, and I will accept his prayer and not deal with you according to your folly. You have not spoken the truth about me, as my servant Job has.” (NIV)

Job 42:10 After Job had prayed for his friends, the LORD restored his fortunes and gave him twice as much as he had before. (NIV)

Luke 6:27–28 “But to you who are listening I say: Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you,<sup>28</sup> bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you. (NIV)

#### **4. Don't let failure get on you**

Job 1:21 And he said: “Naked I came from my mother’s womb, And naked shall I return there. The LORD gave, and the LORD has taken away; Blessed be the name of the LORD.” (NKJV)

Job 13:15 Though He slay me, yet will I trust Him. Even so, I will defend my own ways before Him. (NKJV)

Job 19:25 I know that my redeemer lives, and that in the end he will stand on the earth. (NIV)