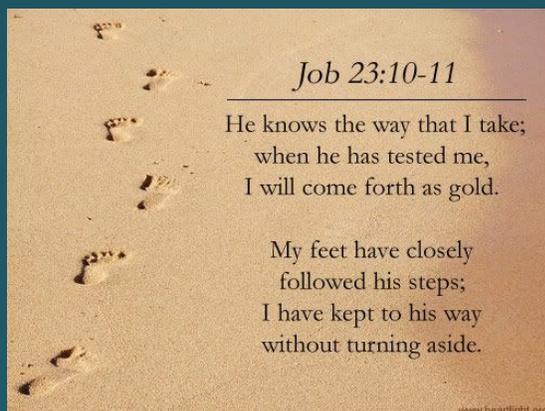


The Book of Job

~ Ian Mol

In Job 31: 35-37, Job calls for a mediator to speak on his behalf. Then Elihu steps forward. Do you think Elihu might think he is this mediator? Why or why not? How is Elihu different from the other 3 friends (32:1-5)? How does Elihu interpret Job's suffering? See 33:12-18, 36:15 and 37:23.

Yes, I do think he was kind of a mediator because he made the most sense about the matter. Elihu was kind of on the same side of Job's three friends. Job thought he was righteous in his own eyes but he wasn't. However the difference between him and Job's three friends is that he thought mocking Job didn't help him. Job isn't humble enough.



The Book of Proverbs

~ Joel Cramer

The book concludes with a heroic hymn on the "wife of noble character" (31:10-31). Read this poem and describe how important this wife and mother is in the life of her God-fearing husband and children. How can you aim to grow into that type of woman, OR how can you aim to grow into the type of man who can lead and support this woman?

The role of a wife/mother is a very important one because they mostly raise the children into what they are going to be when they grow up. Also the wife keeps the family together, she is very important in any husband's life. How I can aim to grow into the type of man who can support this woman is to cling to God for all my answers and to stay strong in faith, for it is very important to put God into your relationship. Also I am going to learn how to be a good husband and how to support the family by working.

The Book of Psalms

~ *Joanna Haveman*

Read “The Great Hallel” (Psalm 120-136). What is so unique about this collection of psalms?

The Great Hallel is a series of psalms that are songs of ascents, mostly sung at feasts. “Hallel” is the root word of “hallelujah.” It is called “The Great Hallel” because it was sung on festival occasions, such as Pentecost, the feast of Tabernacles, and the feast of Dedication. The Levites, standing before the altar, sang it verse by verse, the people responding by repeating the verses or by intones hallelujahs. It was also sung in private families at the feast of Passover.

From The Teacher’s Desk...

Wow, just like that our time together in grade nine has come to an end. It has been a really wonderful year full of learning (for the students AND me) and growing together in our faith.

These grade nines are a hard-working group. They balanced coming to school and learning from me, with learning through online courses, which is not always an easy task. I commend every one of our students for a job very well done.

As the oldest students in the school, we focused on being role models for the younger students and being involved with the rest of the school as much as we could. I was so pleased anytime I saw our students interacting with the younger group, and feel confident that they will grow into very capable and great leaders. I can’t wait to see them develop these skills more next year.

I wish all of our grade nines a fun, relaxing and blessed summer holiday. You have earned it!

~Ms. Indrevold

Don't let anybody look down on you because you are young, but set an example in speech, in life, in love, in faith, and in purity.
~1 Timothy 4:12

