#### Job-The Story of Victory

Let God Turn Suffering and Loss Into Joy and Gain

#### **TEXT FOR CONSIDERATION:**

- 23 Why is light given to a man whose way is hidden, and whom God has hedged in?
- 24 For my sighing comes before I eat, and my groanings pour out like water.
- For the thing I greatly feared has come upon me, and what I dreaded has happened to me.
- 26 I am not at ease, nor am I quiet; I have no rest, for trouble comes. NKJV

#### <u>Job 1:1-3</u>

There was a man in the land of Uz, whose name was Job; and that man was perfect and upright, and one that feared God, and eschewed evil. And there were born unto him seven sons and three daughters. His substance also was seven thousand sheep, and three thousand camels, and five trundred yoke of oxen, and five hundred she asses, and a very great household; so that this man was the greatest of all the men of the east.

#### "Greatest

## of all the people of the East!"

Job Was Very Rich!

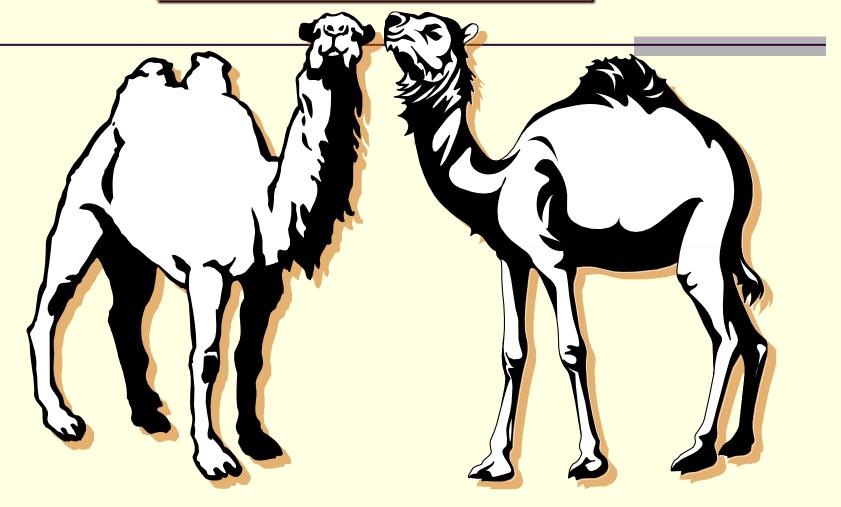
How rich!? - vs. 3

#### 7000 Sheep -



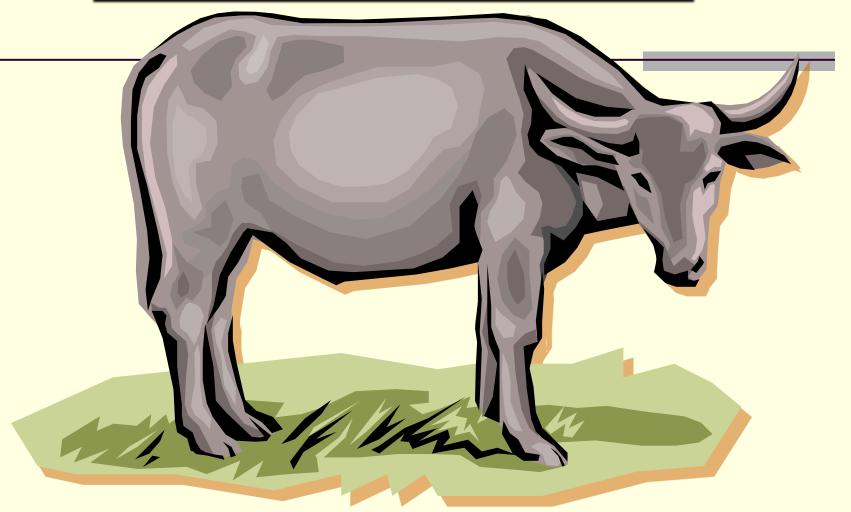
#### Manufacturing Business

#### 3000 Camels -



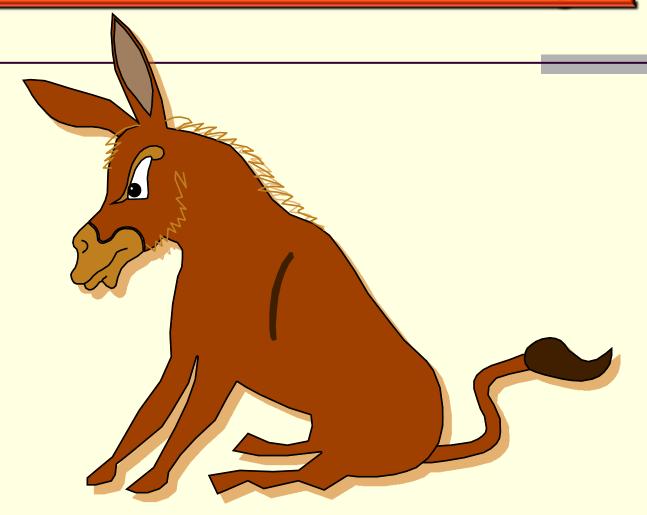
**Export Business** 

#### 500 Yoke of Oxen -



Farming Business

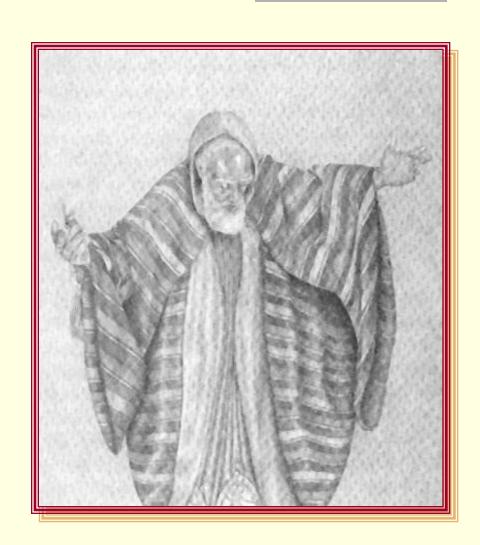
#### 500 Female Donkeys -



**Transportation Business** 

#### JOB WAS RICH

- Business Entrepreneur
- Herder
- Clothing Manufacturer
- Trucking
- Farming
- Food Distribution
- Est. Annual Income = \$65,000,000.00



## JOB WAS LIVING LARGE

# From Class to Crash in an Instant!





- When life falls apart on you in spite of all your efforts to maintain...
- When things go so totally bad that recovery seems to be out of the question...
- When you make a mistake(s) you thought you would never make....
- When your needs continue to outgrow your resources exponentially and unproportionally...
- When death invades and devastates your world by taking someone you love...
- When you wake up one day and realize you have allowed Satan to draw you so far from God – it seems as if you never knew Him...





### THE WORD OF POWER & RENEWAL...

#### Psalms 27:13-14

I had fainted, unless I had believed to see the goodness of the LORD in the land of the living. Wait on the LORD: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the LORD.

#### WHY WAIT?!

- W Witness God's "ANYHOW POWER"...
- A Allows you the atmosphere to see God's power at its best...
- I In the Word it says, "...In due season you will reap, IF YOU FAINT NOT."
- T THE BEST IS YET TO COME!

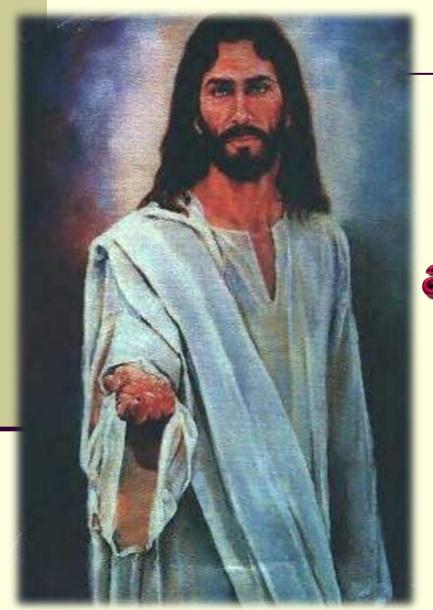


"And the Lord turned the captivity of Job...also the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before.

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- Job 42:10

#### God's HEALING word for all times...



"Come unto Me ALL YE that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest..."