

“My Redeemer lives!” by Roger Walkwitz

Who said this? Job said it. When? 4000 years ago, a contemporary of Abraham, about 2000 BCE!

My 80 yr old sister died Nov 8, 06. I did the Memorial Service for her in Ft. Myers, FL. Comments by Bible characters about their Faith for the future after death made up the message. Job 19:23-27 was a key part. It is amazing what Job knew, and what I learned as I studied it again!

Modern man, including Christians and maybe Messianics, have been heavily influenced by Evolution, which is a total fraud, a hoax, an attempt to deny the existence of God and therefore any accountability to Him. Literal Creation of 7 days of 24 hrs each is the only conclusion for Genesis 1-2 and related Scriptures elsewhere, including Exodus 20:8-11.

By believing Evolution, many assume that Adam & Eve and descendents were cave dwellers, not very intelligent nor progressive. Actually, Adam was a super genius, being able to categorize the animal kingdom in a couple hours on the day he was created, before God put him asleep to take out a rib and make Eve for him. In addition, the sons of Cain are credited as being skilled craftsmen, and Noah and sons built the ark with dimensions used by nautical engineers today, quite an achievement for a “cave man.”

How Job got his information is not revealed initially, but the last chapters indicate direct communication with God. Did Job know Salvation equal to what you and I know?

Yes, he did! By saying “my Redeemer,” Job admitted that he was a sinner that needed redemption by someone else, a redemption that he could not provide or pay for himself. He knew this so absolutely that his “friends” could not convince him otherwise. He knew that he had a personal Redeemer, “my Redeemer,” showing a personal acceptance. In addition, Job knew that his Redeemer lives! That shows that Job knew that his Redeemer had to die, shed his blood to pay for Job’s sins, and rise from the dead victoriously! Was it Yeshua, the Son of God, that talked with Job in the latter chapters, and previously had told him all about His coming incarnation, life on earth, sacrificial death, burial, resurrection and ascension?

Job also knew of the Return of his Redeemer to earth, to set up The Kingdom promised earlier. He also knew of the Resurrection of the dead, that he, Job, would be resurrected when his Redeemer returned to earth, and “in his flesh,” his resurrected body, he would actually see God, Yeshua in His resurrection body! No wonder Job’s faith was so strong, unshakeable, even with his wife’s lack of faith and criticism.

Here are Job’s words:

*For I know that my Redeemer lives, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth, and though after my skin worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God, whom I shall see for myself, and my eyes shall behold and not another.*

For a strong proclamation to his contemporaries and a testimony for future generations, Job wanted his words written in a scroll and engraved on a rock to last forever.

*Oh that my words were now written! Oh that they were printed in a scroll, that they were engraved with an iron pen and filled with lead, cut into a rock forever!*

Did Job get his wish? YES! How grateful, and thankful we are, that his words were written down in a scroll, preserved for 4000 yrs by faithful Jewish scribes, for our rejoicing and learning today! As for the rock inscription, maybe that will be found someday. Amazing discoveries are being made in The Land of Israel. Have you visited The Land of your future yet? If not, get on a Tour, this year! If you have a strong trust in Yeshua like Job had, Israel will be The Land of your future. With a complete Bible with all kinds of information, there is no excuse for anyone to not have such a Trust. Those who do not are “willfully ignorant” of Bible Truth and have sealed their own doom, believing man’s philosophies, man’s religion of evolution and other perversions.