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Week Eight--The God of the Impossible

"The God of My Community"

Job 42

*"As you know, we consider blessed those who have persevered. You have heard of Job's perseverance and have seen what the Lord finally brought about. The Lord is full of compassion and mercy."
James 5:11*

1. Job Looks Inward

- v. 1 Job had been listening to God!
- v. 2 Job acknowledged that God can do all things --even the impossible. (omnipotence)
- v. 3 Job acknowledged that God knows all things--even the unknowable (omniscience)
- v. 4 Job acknowledged that God was present in the world and present in his own life (omnipresence)
- v. 5 Job acknowledged that his relationship with God had grown
- v. 6 Job was humbled

<Now God Can Really Use Him>

2. Job Looks Outward

- v. 7 God convicts Job's friends
- v. 8 God uses Job as an intercessor
- v. 9 God vindicates Job
- v. 10 God restores Job
- v. 11 God comforts Job
- v. 12-17 God blesses Job

"No discipline seems pleasant at the time, but painful. Later on, however, it produces a harvest of righteousness and peace for those who have been trained by it." Hebrews 12:11

Q: Whose salvation will you pray for next year?