

## **Outline and structure of Job**

### Part 1: Job and what happened to him

Introducing Job	1:1-5
What happened to Job	1:6-2:10

### Part 2: Job's friends and their speeches

Introducing Job's friends	2:11-13
Job's first lament	ch.3
1 <sup>st</sup> cycle of speeches	ch's 4-14
2 <sup>nd</sup> cycle of speeches	ch's 15-21
3 <sup>rd</sup> cycle of speeches	ch's 22-28
Job's final defence	29:1-31:40
Elihu's speech	32:1-37:24

### Part 3: God answers Job

1 <sup>st</sup> answer and Job's response	38:1-40:5
2 <sup>nd</sup> answer and Job's response	40:6-42:6

Conclusion 42:7-17

A book of poetry except 1:1-2:10, 32:1-5 and 42:7-17