February 4, 2018 THAT DAY – PART 5 Job 3, 6, 7, 13, 16, 19, 21, 29 Rocky Purvis, Senior Pastor

Job 3:1-26; Job 6:1-3, 6-9, 11-13; Job 7:13-16; Job 13:20-24; Job 16:7; Job 16:16, 17:7, 11; Job 19:13-19; Job 21:7-9; Job 29:1-5

1. GRIEF IS NORMAL.

Abraham grieved the death of his wife. David grieved the death of his son. Jesus grieved the death of his friend.

2. GRIEF IS HELPFUL.

Ecclesiastes 7:2-4 Better to spend your time at funerals than at parties. After all, everyone dies—so the living should take this to heart. Sorrow is better than laughter, for sadness has a refining influence on us. A wise person thinks a lot about death, while a fool thinks only about having a good time.

3. GOD CARES.

Psalm 56:8 You keep track of all my sorrows. You have collected all my tears in your bottle. You have recorded each one in your book.

Hebrews 4:14-15 So then, since we have a great High Priest who has entered heaven, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to what we believe. This High Priest of ours understands our weaknesses, for he faced all of the same testings we do, yet he did not sin.

4. GRIEF IS TEMPORARY.

Psalm 30:5 ...Weeping may last through the night, but joy comes with the morning.