Zophar's Rebuke - Job 11

Accusations	Who Is God?	Rewards of the Righteous
 1-6 concluded that Job is guilty, unrepentant Empty talker, boastful, and a scoffer (2-3) You maintain your innocence - this is empty talk (4) 	 7-12 God's depths and limits are unknowable (7) Depths, height, length, breadth - more than we can ever comprehend (7-9) No one can restrain God (10) 	13-20 - devote yourself to God - Seek for forgiveness - Put sin far away from you - Don't let sin dwell in tents (13-14) IF you do this THEN (15-19)
 If God would speak He would agree with us (5) You need to understand the secrets of God (6) 	- God knows the false and sees injustice (11)	 lift up your face Forget your troubles Life would be brighter Darkness would be gone Trust, hope, rest securely No one would disturb you

Job's Response - Job 12-14

Job's Rebuttal (12:1-12; 13:4-12)	Power of God (12:13-13:3)	I Will Be Vindicated (13:13-14:22)
 surely wisdom will die with you, my friends (12:2) I know these things (12:3) The upright man has become a joke to you (12:4) I am contemptible to you (12:5) 	 wisdom, might, and understanding are with God (12:13) He controls the affairs of men (12:14, 16) 	 he is ready to die trusting in God (13:15) He still holds to his innocence (13:16) He desires to stand in God's court (13:17-19)
 Your reasoning is wrong (12:6) Let the animals teach you (12:7-10) Your advice goes against what we observe You hear and speak what suits you and your preconceived idea of my situation (12:11-12) Liars and worthless physicians (13:4) Your silence would be wisdom (13:5) The fear of God should fall on you (13:6-12) 	 He controls nature (12:15) He controls government and religious affairs (12:17-22) He controls the nations (12:23-25) I know all these things - but it isn't helping (13:1-2) I don't want to argue with you, I want my case to go before God (13:3) 	 Prayer remove Your hand (13:21) Call and I'll speak to You (13:22) Show me my sin so I can repent (13:23) Show me why You consider me Your enemy (13:24-28) God is in control of life - challenging the meaning of what is happening to him (14:1-12) Job wants to be hidden from God's wrath (14:13-17) Complaint about the hopelessness of his situation (14:18-22)