Studies in Job Job's Lament: Cursed be the Day I was Born (Job 3:1-25)

Review

Introduction: Job is going to break the silence

I. Job Curses the Day of His Birth (3:1-10) A. Job opens his mouth (1-2)

B. Job's curses (3-10)

II. Job Curses His Life (11-19)

- A. He wishes that he would have been still born (11)
- B. He wishes his parents would have discarded him (12)
- C. Death is pictured as desirable rest (13-19)

III. Job Desires Death (20-26)

- A. Why does God give life to those who want death? (20-23)
- B. Job's restless agony (24-26)

Summary