

c. Job

(1) Authorship..unknown but lots of thoughts

(2) Outline

- I. Prologue 1-2
- II. Arguments 3-41
- III. Epilogue 42

(3) Trust in God brings victory...

(4) Particular items:

--Why the righteous suffer is not the great theme of Job.

--Note the role of Satanic forces and the influence thereof.

--Remember the speeches of Job's three friends and the Lord's words that they had not spoken the truth about Him.

--Resurrection is plainly taught in Job.

--The date of the book and the time of the events discussed...these are all unknown..we have some ideas...

2. The Megilloth...the rolls

These are five small books called..the "rolls" and were most notably used in Jewish festival readings. They occur in the Hebrew canon in chronological order. I can mention only a few things about them as you understand...

a. Ruth

--contemporary with Judges

--a great picture of the redemption laws in action.

b. Song of Solomon

--by Solomon, a picture of love in the ideal