

## Job 42:1-6 (ESV)

### Job's Confession and Repentance

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<sup>3</sup> ‘Who is this that hides counsel without knowledge?’

Therefore I have uttered what I did not understand,  
things too wonderful for me, which I did not know.

<sup>4</sup> ‘Hear, and I will speak;

I will question you, and you make it known to me.’

<sup>5</sup> I had heard of you by the hearing of the ear,  
but now my eye sees you;

<sup>6</sup> therefore I despise myself,  
and repent<sup>[a]</sup> in dust and ashes.”

**Integrity in God's presence**  
**God speaks: Are You Listening?**  
Job 42:1-7



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8 For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the Lord.

9 For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

**-- Isaiah 55**

