Job 1:20-22 *At this, Job got up and tore his robe and shaved his head. Then he fell to the ground in worship [21] and said: "Naked I came from my mother's womb, and naked I will depart. The LORD gave and the LORD has taken away; may the name of the LORD be praised." [22] In all this, Job did not sin by charging God with wrongdoing. (NIV)*

****In one day all of Job's ten children were killed, he lost all his wealth and investments, and was he left with few possessions. After hearing all of that bad news. Job tore his clothes and shaved his head which was a cultural reaction of overwhelming grief. We understand that kind of a response to this kind of news. But then he falls on his face before God and WORSHIPS. How is this possible? He goes on to admit that God has given him everything and that God has the right to take it all away. Job understood that God was Sovereign. God was in control of all things. He did not understand everything that happened behind the scenes, he must not have liked what was happening, he grieved and mourned. Yet in everything that happened Job continued to believe and trust GOD. WOW, that is amazing.

PRAYER: Lord God, please help me to WORSHIP You to focus on You and to admit and acknowledge in my heart as well as outwardly that You are the King of Kings. That you deserve my praise and worship no matter what the circumstances may be in my life. Please Lord, no matter how hard things may be for me today help me to Worship You to Acknowledge You as my Lord and God.

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