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Job receives two-fold blessings

Scripture Reading: Job 42:10-17

And the Lord restored Job's losses when he prayed for his friends. Indeed the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before. The Lord blessed the latter *days* of Job more than his beginning; for he had fourteen thousand sheep, six thousand camels, one thousand yoke of oxen, and one thousand female donkeys. He also had seven sons and three daughters. In all the land were found no women *as* beautiful as the daughters of Job. After this Job lived one hundred and forty years, and saw his children and grandchildren *for* four generations.



Hello kids, isn't the twist interesting? What did you learn from the life and sufferings of Job?

1. Even during extreme hardship, Job never backslided from his faith on God. He overcame all the temptations of Satan.
2. He sought God's forgiveness for all the ignorant words he spoke.
3. He prayed for his friends.

Whenever we face trials and temptations, we should face it with patience and never murmur about it. We have to help those in suffering. Particularly, we have to pray for them. When we come across people who are suffering, we have to tell them about Job and how he handled his situation. Dear children, if you would just trust God and lean upon him, even your future will be blessed like Job's.

"Even if these three men, Noah, Daniel, and Job, were in it, they would deliver only themselves by their righteousness," says the Lord God." Ezekiel 14:14

Prayer

Loving, gracious, merciful heavenly Father. Thank you for engraving us in the palm of your hand. Just like Jesus, help us to be loving, gracious and merciful. Amen

