

¹Then answered Bildad the Shuhite, and said, ²Dominion and fear are with him, he maketh peace in his high places. ³Is there any number of his armies? and upon whom doth not his light arise? ⁴How then can man be justified with God? or how can he be clean that is born of a woman? ⁵Behold even to the moon, and it shineth not; yea, the stars are not pure in his sight. ⁶How much less man, that is a worm? and the son of man, which is a worm?

فَاجَابَ بِلْدَدُ الشُّوحِيُّ، السُّلْطَانُ وَالْهَبِيبَةُ عِنْدَهُ. هُوَ صَانِعُ السَّلَامِ فِي أَعْالَيْهِ. ³هَلْ مِنْ عَدِّ لِجُنُودِهِ، وَعَلَى مَنْ لَا يُشْرِقُ نُورُهُ. ⁴وَكَيْفَ يَتَّسِرُ الْإِنْسَانُ عِنْهُ اللَّهِ، وَكَيْفَ يَرْكُو مَوْلُودَ الْمَرْأَةِ. ⁵هُوَدَا تَفْسُنُ الْقَمَرِ لَا يُضِيِّعُ، وَالْكَوَاكِبُ عَيْنُ تَفَقَّهَةٍ فِي عَيْنِهِ. ⁶فَكَمْ بِالْحَرِّيِّ الْإِنْسَانُ الرِّمَمَةُ وَإِنْ آدَمَ الدَّوْدُ.