

UPHELD, UPHOLD, UPHOLDEN, UPHOLDEST, UPHOLDETH, UPHOLDING, UPHOLDS

The words of Job **upheld** those who were falling and in trouble. (In other words, Job strengthened and encouraged them.)

- **Job 4:4:** "Thy words have upholden him that was falling, and thou hast strengthened the feeble knees."

The Lord **upholds** the righteous.

- **Psalm 37:17:** "For the arms of the wicked shall be broken: but the LORD upholdeth the righteous."

The reason the saints of God aren't cast down when they fall is because the Lord **upholds** them with His hand.

- **Psalm 37:24:** "Though he fall, he shall not be utterly cast down: for the LORD upholdeth him with his hand."

God **upholds** us through our integrity. (In other words, integrity is important.)

- **Psalm 41:12:** "And as for me, thou upholdest me in mine integrity, and settest me before thy face for ever."

When David sinned, he prayed that God would **uphold** him with His spirit. (David wanted the Holy Spirit to uphold him.)

- **Psalm 51:12:** "Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation; and uphold me with thy free spirit."

David said God was with those who **upheld** his soul. (In other words, God was with those who helped him.)

- **Psalm 54:4:** "Behold, God is mine helper: the Lord is with them that uphold my soul."

David said that God's right hand **upheld** him.

- **Psalm 63:8:** "My soul followeth hard after thee: thy right hand upholdeth me."

The psalmist said that God **upheld** him from the womb (before he was even born).

- **Psalm 71:6:** "By thee have I been holden up from the womb: thou art he that took me out of my mother's bowels: my praise shall be continually of thee."

The psalmist prayed that God would **uphold** him according to His word.

- **Psalm 119:116:** "Uphold me according unto thy word, that I may live: and let me not be ashamed of my hope."

The psalmist prayed that God would **uphold** him so he could live.

- **Psalm 119:116:** "Uphold me according unto thy word, that I may live: and let me not be ashamed of my hope."

God is the one who **upholds** us when we fall.

- **Psalm 145:14:** "The LORD upholdeth all that fall, and raiseth up all those that be bowed down."

Honor **upholds** those who are humble.

- **Proverbs 29:23:** "A man's pride shall bring him low: but honour shall uphold the humble in spirit."

The reason we must not be afraid is because God will **uphold** us with the right hand of His righteousness.

- **Isaiah 41:10:** "Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness."

God promised that He would **uphold** the Messiah.

- **Isaiah 42:1:** "Behold my servant, whom I uphold; mine elect, in whom my soul delighteth; I have put my spirit upon him: he shall bring forth judgment to the Gentiles."

The person who was coming from Edom (the Messiah) was **upheld** by His fury.

- **Isaiah 63:5:** "And I looked, and there was none to help; and I wondered that there was none to uphold: therefore mine own arm brought salvation unto me; and my fury, it upheld me."

God requires rulers to keep their oaths, and **uphold** the covenants that they make.

- **Ezekiel 17:15-16:** "But he rebelled against him in sending his ambassadors into Egypt, that they might give him horses and much people. Shall he prosper? shall he escape that doeth such things? or shall he break the covenant, and be delivered? As I live, saith the Lord God, surely in the place where the king dwelleth that made him king, whose oath he despised, and whose covenant he brake, even with him in the midst of Babylon he shall die."

When the day of the Lord draws near (the tribulation), those who **uphold** Egypt will fall.

- **Ezekiel 30:3, 6:** "For the day is near, even the day of the Lord is near, a cloudy day; it shall be the time of the heathen. ... Thus saith the LORD; They also that uphold Egypt shall fall; and the pride of her power shall come down: from the tower of Syene shall they fall in it by the sword, saith the Lord GOD."

Jesus **upholds** all things by the word of His power.

- **Hebrews 1:3:** "Who being the brightness of his glory, and the express image of his person, and upholding all things by the word of his power, when he had by himself purged our sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high:"