

Son of man - Daniel 7:13-14
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As long as I am in the world, I am light of the world

ever opportunity of laying hold of him is limited

Verse 4 - work the works

① Glory of God lies in His compassion

② Affliction, pain, loss opportunity for God to show His grace.

- Someone who does not know God - may collapse

- Someone who walks with God - brings out strength, beauty, endurance of that person - God gives it

Sins of parents visited upon children

alcoholism

drug use

venereal disease

AIDS

God never hears the prayer of a bad man
a basic thought in OT

Psalms 66:18 - "If I had cherished iniquity in my heart, the Lord would not have listened."

Give the glory to God

a phrase used in cross-examination
meaning -

"Speak the truth in the name of God!"

Palestinian sheep folds were usually walled enclosures near the village. The shepherd would place their flock in the fold at night, and then would gather his own sheep in the morning and lead them out to pasture for the day. It is this morning activity of forming the flock around the shepherd

The shepherd in story represents Christ
fold - nation Israel - Judaism - religion system
in which God's people were kept
until Jesus came

Jesus was talking to the representatives of Judaism who had just seen the blind man removed from its membership.

The fold - does not represent heaven
(no thieves or robbers in heaven)
does not represent salvation & church
for the shepherd found his sheep
already in this fold & led them out