

**John 16:21~** A woman, when she is giving birth, has grief, because her hour has arrived, but when she has brought forth the young child, she remembers the tribulation no more because of the joy, that a man has been born into the world.

**1· Jesus then compared their situation to a woman before giving birth, during which time she experiences great grief, because her hour has arrived. Yet when she has brought forth the young child, she quickly forgets the tribulation just past, because of the joy she has, that a man has been born into the world.**

**[Question]** What did Jesus then compare their situation over the next few days to by means of illustration?

**[Question]** What then, would come forth first for them, and then what would replace their sorrow?

**2· To the woman he said; I shall greatly increase the pain of your pregnancy, in birth pangs you will bring forth children, and your craving will be for your husband, and he will dominate you. (Genesis 3:16)**

**[Question]** What did Yehowah God tell Eve she would experience for her sin?

**3· Just as a pregnant woman draws near to giving birth, has labor pains, cries out in her birth pangs, so we have become because of you, O Yehowah. (Isaiah 26:17)**

**[Question]** How did Isaiah show how Yehowah God's people suffered through discipline, but to no avail?