

God-Sized Questions (4)

Waiting Patiently and Confidently

Habakkuk 3:1-19

Intro: Prayer Changes Me

I. Habakkuk's Prayer (v.1-2)

II. Theophany (v. 3-15)

III. Habakkuk's Response (v. 18-19)

Conclusion: Trusting God in a Crazy World

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Habakkuk's prayer became an ANTHEM for Israel during the Exile as they waited for God's promised deliverance. What is a song that became an anthem for you during a difficult time?
2. PD mentioned two Hebrew words for PRAISE. Yadah means to praise God for what He has done. And Towdah means to praise God for things not yet received. How does Yadah praise directly relate to our ability to praise God in difficult times (Towdah ... while we're still waiting for the answers)?
3. 70 years before the fall of Babylon and the return to the Promised Land, Habakkuk SEES the Lord marching out to defeat Babylon. What does this tell you about how God is working (even when we can't perceive it)?
4. Regarding Habakkuk's response to God's present work is "joy with trembling." Have you ever experienced something like this? How can we have JOY in God's Promises, even when our lives or our world looks like a disaster?