

**Habakkuk**  
**Faith During Troubled Times**  
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**Introduction:**

Why Questions:

- Don't you care God?
- Historical background

**I. Wondering and Worrying (Ch. 1)**

A. Three Charges Against God (vs.2-4)

1. \_\_\_\_\_ vs.2
2. \_\_\_\_\_ vs. 3
3. \_\_\_\_\_ vs.4

B. God Answers (vs.5-11)

1. It's marvelous and you won't understand. (vs. 5)
2. The Babylonians are going to overtake you. (vs.6-11)

C. God, "You should be consistent"

1. \_\_\_\_\_ vs.12
2. \_\_\_\_\_ vs. 12
3. \_\_\_\_\_ vs.13

D. Let me remind you about the Babylonians (vs.13-17)

**II. Watching and Waiting (Ch.2)**

A. I will stand on my watch post. (vs.1)

B. Writing down the answer. (vs.2-3)

C. The wicked vs the righteous. (vs.4-19)

1. The wicked is proud. (vs.4)
2. The righteous live by faith vs.4 (Key Verse of Book)
3. The man who has no faith life is marked by five woes.
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_ (vs. 6-8)
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_ (vs.9-11)
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_ (vs.12-14)
  - d. \_\_\_\_\_ (vs.18-19)

D. Wait and See (vs.20)

⇒ God is in control

**II. Worshipping and Witnessing (Ch. 3)**

A. Shigionoth =ode meaning song.

A prayer put to music.

B. The prayer of Habakkuk

1. Revive us (vs.2)

2. Show mercy (vs.2)

C. The Power of God (vs.3-15)

D. The Triumph of Habakkuk's Faith (vs. 16-19)

**Take Away's From Habakkuk:**

1. Praise God regardless of the external circumstances.
2. Habakkuk recognized God as his strength.
3. God is always at work even if I can't see it.
4. God's ways are not our ways.
5. God does everything based on who He is.  
⇒ Everlasting, Pure, Holy.
6. God understands when we ask why.

