

WHERE IS GOD?

A STUDY IN THE BOOK OF HABAKKUK

“Where Is God? Introducing the Book of Habakkuk” Selected Scriptures

INTRODUCTION

- Some Big Questions
 1. Why does God not seem to care?
 2. Why do the righteous suffer and the unrighteous prosper?
 3. Why does God use unrighteous nations to judge righteous people?
 4. Where was God when _____?

EXPOSITION

- **Who Was Habakkuk?**

- **When Was Habakkuk Written?**

- **Purpose of the Book:** to show God's _____ by demonstrating His _____

- **Outline of the Book:**
 - I. An “_____” of God (Chapters 1-2)
 - A. The Prophet Is Perplexed with God (Chapter 1)

1. About God's _____ (1:1-4)
 - a. How can God be indifferent? (1:1-2)
 - b. How can God be insensitive? (1:3-4)
 2. About God's _____ (1:5-2:1)
 - a. When will God discipline? (1:5-11)
 - b. Why would God use the evil to discipline the wicked? (1:12-15)
 - c. Why would God excuse idolatry? (1:16-2:1)
- B. The Prophet Waits on God (Chapter 2)
1. By _____ God's Word (2:2-3)
 2. By _____ God's Word (2:4-5)
 3. By _____ God's Word (2:6-20)
- II. An _____ to God (Chapter 3)
- A. A Faith That Surrenders (3:1-2)
 - B. A Faith That Sees (3:3-15)
 - C. A Faith That Soars (3:16-19)

The Deplorable Condition of God's People (vs. 1-6)

- A. No Godly Fellowship (vs. 1-2)
- B. _____ in Society (vs. 3-6)

CONCLUSION

TAKE IT A STEP FURTHER

- 1) What are some of the "toughest" questions you have asked God?
- 2) Did you ever get answers? Why or why not?
- 3) Book Recommendation: *If God Is Good* by Randy Alcorn