

**Habakkuk: Trusting God in Troubled Times**  
**Pt 1 – Why, O Lord, and How Long?**  
**Habakkuk 1:1-11**

Historical Context:

The Question v.1-4

- How can a good and all \_\_\_\_\_ God stand by and watch all the \_\_\_\_\_ in the world?

God’s Answer v.5-11

Lessons from the text

- Take your questions to \_\_\_\_\_ v.2
- God is \_\_\_\_\_ v.5
- Why doesn’t God do something about all this evil?
  - God \_\_\_\_\_
  - God \_\_\_\_\_
  - God is \_\_\_\_\_

My Response:

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Discussion Questions

***Weekly Memory Verse: Therefore if you have been raised up with Christ, keep seeking the things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Col 3:1***

In what ways do you think our world looks very much like Habakkuk’s world? When you know judgment was right around the corner for Judah what might God be saying to us?

Who do we bring our questions about life to other than to God? How does our world answer those questions with wrong answers about God?

How might you see the world (suffering, evil, struggle) differently if you asked God the right questions?

How are our “cares, disappointments, failures, heartaches and heartbreaks “soothed when we see them in the light of the sovereign workings of God? Romans 8:28

Are you prepared with a response to people’s questions about evil in the world around us? What has God done, what will God do, and what is God doing to help you answer that question?