



Messengers: Habakkuk





Habakkuk 1:1-4

Habakkuk 1:5-11





God is going to use the Chaldeans,
more commonly known as
the Babylonians, to crush the
people of Judah





In the middle of ALL these questions,
Habakkuk rehearses what he knows
about God's character

Habakkuk 1:12-13





Habakkuk: I Know You, God





No where does Habakkuk
entertain the idea of abandoning his
faith in God (what he saw, drove him
MORE to God)

Habakkuk 1:12-13





Trying to make sense of what
was just shared by God, Habakkuk
meditates on the attributes and
names of God





Attribute #1 – God is Eternal
(He's from everlasting to everlasting)

From age to age, God's dealings
with us are always good





Name #1 – “Lord” (YHWH;
Jehovah; means God is self-existent)
God is self-sustaining and possesses
perfect fellowship with Himself
(therefore, He is in NO NEED
of ANY creation)





Name #2 – “God” (Elohim;
means strength or power)

God is actively at work and somehow
that pain is part of God’s perfect
purpose and plan for our lives





Name #3 – “My Holy One”

(God is set apart; He’s unique;
He’s in a class ALL by Himself... because
God is Holy, He CAN’T make a mistake)

Few situations put a spotlight on our
Savior, like how we choose to handle
that “light momentary affliction”





Attribute #2 – “We will NOT die”
(better translated in Hebrew
“you will NOT die”)

John 3:16-18





NOT ONLY is God everlasting,
but through faith in the person and
work of Jesus, we too are offered
everlasting life





Attribute #3 – “You, O Lord,
have appointed them to judge”
(this judgment comes from God –
the ONLY One qualified to judge)

Sometimes, God brings wake up calls
into our lives to shake us awake

Habakkuk 1:12-13





Name #4 – “O Rock” (God is an impenetrable safe stronghold; He’s a secure fortress This speaks to God’s strength, endurance and reliability
Confusion and concern carries Habakkuk to the character of God

