

HABAKKUK'S PRAISE IN LIGHT OF GOD'S WAYS
(Habakkuk 3:1-2)

A. In Chp 1, we saw the prophet heavily _____ and in a _____ between himself & God

B. In Chp. 2, we see God answering Habakkuk through a _____ with a number of _____ times mentioned - 3 appointed times are stated:

1. Just like _____, there is a time yet appointed when _____ will _____ for her sins (2:5-13, & 15-19)

1 Peter 4:12-19

2. There is a time yet appointed (in the future) when "the whole earth will _____ with the _____ of the Lord" (2:14)

Daniel 2

a. In Daniel 2, is a prophecy of a period in God's Story called "The _____ of the _____"!

- When was this time period written about? (Dan. 2)

3. In the meantime, the _____ ones are appointed to _____ by their _____ & _____ the Lord in life (2:4)

C. Also in Chp. 2, ... _____ were pronounced by God upon Babylon for her _____ against humanity!!

"Woe" is used here as an interjection of _____ pronounced in the face of _____ or _____ coming on them for their sins/crimes!

- In light of all their ill-treatment & oppression, these woes are God's _____ to Habakkuk... assuring him that Babylon _____ for their crimes of aggression against humanity!

D. This revelation from God has so moved Habakkuk that. **in chp. 3**, he goes in _____ to _____ the God of heaven for what he has learned!

- What does this word “*Shigionoth*” mean?

- Habakkuk had heard God’s purposes: 1) to _____ Judah and 2) to eventually _____ Babylon for her sins!

a. This revelation or knowledge had filled Habakkuk with _____ toward God.

b. This is illustrated by the repeated phrase, “_____” ... it denotes _____ toward God!

c. This report he heard caused Habakkuk to _____!

- What is “*godly fear*” or “*the fear of the Lord*”?

- In Habakkuk’s prayer to God, in light of this report, he requests 3 things:

1) O Lord, _____ your work in the midst of the years.

2) O Lord, in the midst of the years make your _____!

3) O Lord, when you _____ in your wrath ... remember... _____!