

Answering Life's Toughest Questions

Lesson Four • Habakkuk 3:1-19

Will I Get Through This?

When Going Through Difficulties in Life:

What separates Christ-followers from the rest of the world is not WHAT they go through or WHEN they go through it, but HOW they handle it.

Will I Get Through This? Yes, But How?

1. Shift Your Focus from Complaining to PRAYING!

Habakkuk 3:1-2

What to Pray:

- Pray for REVERENCE for God's Word. vs. 2
- Pray for REVIVAL of God's Work. vs. 2
- Pray for RELIEF from God's Wrath. vs. 2

2. Shift Your Focus from Questioning to PONDERING!

Habakkuk 3:3-15

Ponder Habakkuk's Vision of God's Greatness:

- God came in SPLENDOR. vs. 3-5
- God stood in POWER. vs. 6-7
- God marched in VICTORY. vs. 8-15

3. Shift Your Focus from Worrying to PRAISING! *Habakkuk 3:16-19*

It's easy to begin a testimony of praise with the words:

"I praise God BECAUSE of..."

But a person of faith is able to say:

"I praise God IN SPITE of..."

You Know You've Shifted from Worrying to Praising When You Can Say:

- I will REST in the Lord. vs. 16
- I will REJOICE in the Lord. vs. 17-18
- I will RELY on the Lord. vs. 19

Habakkuk's Question:

Will I get through this?

The Answer:

Yes, when you shift your focus on GOD!

Lesson of Hope: You Can Turn What's Wrong into a Song!
Choose to EMBRACE God instead of becoming EMBITTERED with God!