

# It's All About Him!

## Seeing God on Every Page

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Habakkuk 2  
Book/Chapter

### INTENT

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### TRUTH

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#### God the Father, Son, & Holy Spirit

LORD Yehweh | God Elohim

- Appoints the times - the good and the bad!
- Always right on time!
  - His salvation is coming
- Seems like He's slow but
- He sees all that the evil do & will judge
- \* Glorious will cover the earth like water covers the sea
- And all will be silent before Him
- \* He is in His Holy Temple & lives forever! & rules!

#### Other Main Characters

Habakkuk

- Stands & watches for God's word & correction!
- Humble!
- Clings to Truth

The Proud

- Soul not right (No faith)
- Koe to you!
- Tail for fire
- Never satisfied
- murderer.
- arrogant
- "I will be God!"
- Thief
- Foolish
- Will be silent
- Will be disgraced!

Righteous

- Lives by faith
- Redemption is coming.
- Will be vindicated by God

### TRANSFORMATION

If I BELIEVE and ACT on what God has revealed, how will my heart be changed and my life be different tomorrow?

If I BELIEVE and ACT on what God has revealed, I WILL...

- Humble myself before God & seek His Truth to correct my wrong thinking!
- Desire God's glory more than my comfort
- Rejoice that He reigns & rules over all.
- Remember that He does indeed see ALL that concerns me - His answer & His work - salvation - will not delay - It will come at its appointed time
- I will wait patiently & with excitement over the glory He will receive
- I will keep my eyes off myself & watch for Him - He will care for me!

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### LORD/YAHWEH -- GOD/ELOHIM

- GOD'S WORD NEVER FAILS: "RECORD THE VISION" FOR ALL TO SEE - IT IS SURE!
- APPOINTS THE TIMES - SALVATION IS COMING
- SEES THE WICKED AND HIS CHILDREN
- BRINGS JUDGMENT UPON THE WICKED
- THE EVIL OF THE PROUD DOESN'T COMPARE TO THE GOODNESS OF GOD
- NO ONE CAN STOP HIS HAND
- REDEEMS THE RIGHTEOUS
- CONTROLS OUR DESTINY
- HIS PROMISES MAY SEEM SLOW BUT ALWAYS ON TIME - NO DELAY
- HE WILL FILL THE EARTH WITH HIS GLORY AS THE WATERS COVER THE SEAS - DEEP, WIDE, AND THOROUGHLY
- OUR GOD IS IN HIS TEMPLE FOREVER
- ALL THE EARTH WILL BE SILENT BEFORE HIM
- NO ARGUMENT, COMPLAINT, OR BOAST AGAINST HIM WILL STAND

Other Main Characters

### HABAKKUK

- EAGER FOR UNDERSTANDING & CORRECTION FROM GOD
- HUMBLE
- TRUSTS IN AND CLINGS TO GOD'S WORD

### RIGHTEOUS

- BY FAITH, SHE LIVES RELY LIVES!
- WAITS PATIENTLY FOR GOD'S APPOINTED TIMES
- WILL BE VINDICATED
- SALVATION IS COMING!

### THE PROUD

- SOUL IS NOT RIGHT BEFORE GOD
- ATTITUDE OF "I WILL BE GOD"
- CONDEMNED "WOE TO YOU!"
- NEVER SATISFIED
- PLUNDER(ED)/EVIL AMBITION
- COVETOUS (BRINGS SHAME ON SELVES)
- VIOLENT GAIN/MURDERER
- OPPRESSION
- WORKS WORTHLESS "ALL FOR FIRE"
- DISGRACE OTHERS (WILL BE DISGRACED)
- TRUSTS IN THEIR OWN HANDS (CREATE THEIR OWN GODS)
- WILL BE SILENT BEFORE THE LORD GOD

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- HUMBLE MYSELF AND SEEK UNDERSTANDING AND TRUTH
- WAIT PATIENTLY & TRUST GOD'S WORD OVER MY FEELINGS AND SIGHT - STEADFAST ON THE ROCK.
- DESIRE GOD'S GLORY MORE THAN MY COMFORT
- NOT GROW WEARY IN TRUSTING AND OBEYING
- BRING MY QUESTIONS/COMPLAINTS TO GOD AND HIS WORD FOR ANSWERS/CORRECTION
- NOT BE SHOCKED BY THE EVIL I SEE GROWING AROUND THE WORLD
- GUARD MY HEART BY STUDYING GOD IN HIS WORD
- TRUST GOD TO LIMIT EVIL AND TO USE IT FOR HIS GOOD PURPOSES AND GLORY (AND MY GOOD!)
- LIVE BY FAITH IN GOD'S CHARACTER, NATURE, AND WAYS - NOT IN MYSELF
- NOT COMPLAIN IF GOD CALLS MY LOVED ONES OR ME TO SUFFER FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS
- WON'T REACT TO WHAT I SEE BUT RESPOND LIKE CHRIST
- PRAY FOR THE PROUD AND THE RIGHTEOUS
- WAIT WITH EXCITED ANTICIPATION FOR WHAT GOD IS DOING - HIS SALVATION IS COMING