

THE RIGHTEOUS PERSON WILL LIVE BY HIS FAITHFULNESS

Habakkuk 1:1-2:20

Key Verse: 2:4

“See, the enemy is puffed up; his desires are not upright — but the righteous person will live by his faithfulness —”

1. Who was Habakkuk and what were his times like (1-4; 2Ki 24:1-4; Jer 22:3,13-17)? What questions did he pose to the Lord, and what does this show about his inner agony?
2. What surprising answer did the Lord give (5-11)? How would the Lord punish his people for their sins? How are the invaders described?
3. What further questions did Habakkuk have (12-17)? What does he know about the Lord God? Do you ever have similar questions as Habakkuk? What did he do (2:1)?
4. What did the Lord command him to do first and why (2-3)? When wicked people seem to prevail, what does the righteous person do (4-5; Ro 1:17; Heb 10:38)?
5. What woes are proclaimed, on whom and why (5-19)? Who would carry this out and with what result (13-14, 20)? What can you learn about the Lord and apply to your life as a Christian?