



It Can't Happen Here
Habakkuk 1-3

1. "Don't you _____ the evil?"

"_____ Me!"

2. "The bad can't _____ the better."

"_____ Me!"

3. "How will _____ get through this?"

"_____ Me!"

MY APPLICATION

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or small group.

1. Note the description of the problems in Judah in Habakkuk 1:2-4. Are there any parallels between ancient Judah and the United States today? What is the role of moral values and the role of law in a just society? Who is responsible to set the moral tone for a culture?
2. What are the two big questions asked by Habakkuk (Habakkuk 1:2-4 and 1:12-13), and the answers given by God (Habakkuk 1:5-6 and 2:2-19)? How did these questions mess with Habakkuk's theology? If the people of God have become worldly in the United States, would God use persecution by the godless to get our attention? (1 Peter 4:12-17)
3. Contrast God with the idols of the Babylonians in Habakkuk 2:18-20. Why does God "shush" the world? Do you find that the noise of complaining or the clatter of the culture (media, politics, entertainment, etc.) prevents you from being silent before God? How can you remedy this?
4. What should the followers of Jesus do to turn the tide of God's judgment on our nation? (2 Chronicles 7:14 and Matthew 28:18-20) Are you becoming "Woke" to Satan's strategies?

MEMORY VERSE

"But the Lord in his holy temple; let all the earth be silent before him."

Habakkuk 2:20