

## Talk It Over

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*Questions are prepared each week by the teaching pastor and are designed to prompt insights, questions, and the life experience of each listener. If these are used in a group immediately following the talk, it would be much the same as what was done in Israel at the time of the early church. They will also be useful to individuals who want a deeper understanding of the message.*

### WEEK 3

#### Discuss

1. Does God's response to Habakkuk in 1:5-11 surprise you? Why or why not? How would you have expected God to respond?
2. What problems or issues does God's response to Habakkuk raise in your mind? What would have been your response to what God said in Habakkuk 1:5-11?
3. How would you summarize Habakkuk's objection (Habakkuk 1:12-2:1) to God's response? What is Habakkuk's primary concern about what God is doing? Would this have been a concern for you also?
4. What do you think God will say in response to Habakkuk's objection? Skim through chapter 2 of Habakkuk. Is God's response what you expected?
5. How does Habakkuk chapter 1 model the importance of an authentic dialogue with God? In what ways does chapter 1 affirm that God is present, listening and active?
6. Is there a situation in your life about which you have been wrestling with God? Can you share that situation with the others if you are meeting in a group to discuss these questions? How have you been talking to God about this issue? How has God been speaking back to you? What has he been saying?

