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# CELL DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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## HABAKKUK 2

IS ABOUT GOD REVEALING THE DETAILS OF HIS PLANS TO HABAKKUK IN A VISION.

THE PLANS ARE SPECIFICALLY REGARDING THE NATION OF JUDAH AND THE BABYLONIANS WHO WILL INVADE THE LAND. WE CAN DRAW PRINCIPLES HERE FOR OUR OWN LIVES AND ALSO OUR NATION OF MALAYSIA.

### **Get God's Vision Read Habakkuk 2: 1-4**

- Climb to the watchtower (come into God's presence( Watchtower means God's presence: Prov 18:10, Psalm 144:-1-2) 2. Write the Vision Down so that you can "run" with purpose 3. Wait for God's appointed time it will come 4. Walk by faith not sight: "the just shall live by faith" ( 2:4)
- Many of us have had Plan A broken; God's Plan B stands for "Better".

### **CGQ:**

1. Share what plans you may have had that have been broken in the past?
2. Share how God led you through it and share what plans He has given you since then that are "better"?
3. Encourage each other to get God's new plans for the coming years. What does God want you to do? If you have no plans are you clearer now as to how to get one?

### **Understand God's Perspective Habakkuk 2: 5 and Submit to God;s Judgement Habakkuk 2: 6-19**

- The rich are getting richer and evil is increasing and God does not seem to be "doing anything" We are tempted to take matters into our own hands and "avenge the poor" etc.

### **CGQ:**

1. Why does "taking matters into our own hands" and repaying evil for evil not work? What is the function of government? (Romans 12: 19, 13:1) even if it is corrupt and inefficient?
2. The five Woes are against financial corruption (v 6, 9), violence (v 12), drunkenness and immorality (v 15) and idolatry (v 18). How many of these are real issues in our nation and how are we to pray for Malaysia? Notice God will go after these people directly: "Woe are you!" or "Woe to him!"

## **CLOSE**

Read again Habakkuk 2:14 "For the earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the seas.."  
The seas are 100% covered with water. So too one day the earth shall be similarly filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord. Share what you think Habakkuk saw in his vision that made him say this? How does that encourage you? Pray as you end tonight that this WILL be so in our land and in the nations!