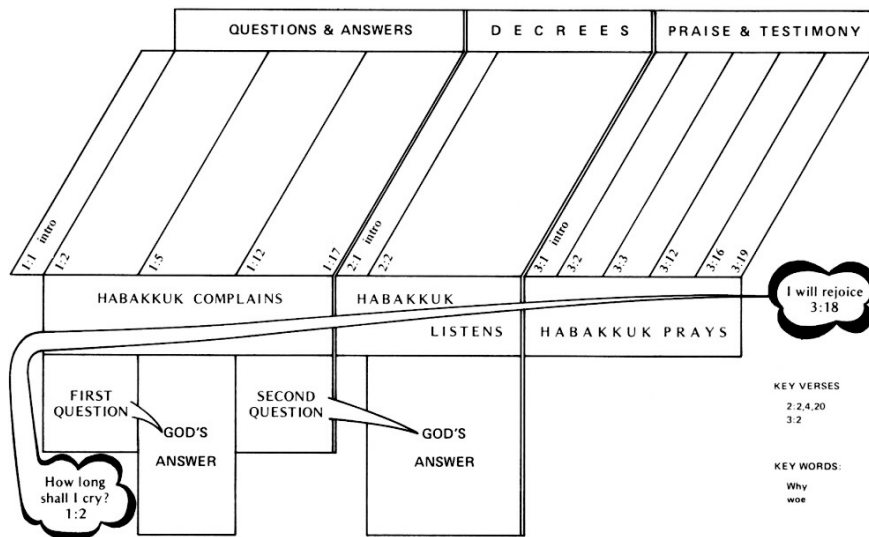


# Habakkuk 1 Resources



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Verse by Verse Commentary  
Literal, conservative in depth interpretation  
Bruce Hurt

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### COMMENTARIES NOTE

THESE ARE IN NO PARTICULAR ORDER

[Bible Knowledge Commentary - Old Testament](#) - 1608 pages. Dallas Theological Seminary Faculty

**James Rosscup** - Hannah, John D. "Zephaniah," in Bible Knowledge Commentary, A good conservative, premillennial short study of Zephaniah by a good scholar. The work is well-informed in history, and explains verses competently within a good outline.

[From fear to faith : studies in the book of Habakkuk](#) By: Lloyd-Jones, David Martyn - 84 page book

[Habakkuk and Zephaniah](#) By: Barber, Cyril J

**James Rosscup** - Barber, perhaps best known for his *The Minister's Library*, gives a knowledgeable introduction of Habakkuk with a clear outline of the book. Synopses at the outset of sections offer perspective, he deals with verses well and has some help on problems. He sees the gazelle in 3:19 as picturing the sure-footedness and freedom in a life of faith. He is helpful on the Day of the Lord, seeing it as both near and far and involving both judgment and blessing (pp. 79–81). He is premillennial on [Zephaniah 3:9–20](#).

[The Minor Prophets - borrow this well done commentary](#) by Charles Feinberg (see also [The Major Messages of the Minor Prophets](#))

**Cyril Barber** - A forthright study denouncing formalism and heartlessness in worship.

[The Minor Prophets : an expositional commentary](#) by Boice, James Montgomery, 292 pages

**James Rosscup**: The large, two-column pages contain much good material on the relevance of the words for then and for now, dealing with such topics as love, repentance, and sincerity (Hosea 6). A prolonged contemplation of these pages and an application of their principles will produce substantial Christian growth. The author could improve the work by being more definite sometimes in specifying in what framework God will bless Israel in the future (e.g., Hosea 14). Vagueness such as in [Joel 2:1-11](#), where he says the invader is neither locusts nor a human army, is a drawback. Wordiness and wandering in his discussions is another shortcoming, as in using [Joel 2:28](#) to take off into a long discussion of clericalism. He finds fulfillment of [Joel 2:28](#) at Pentecost, yet it would help to point out some aspects that were [\(Rosscup\)](#)

[The prophets of Israel](#) by [Wood, Leon James](#)

**James Rosscup** - This quite readable work by a premillennialist covers the overall range of Old Testament prophets, various key subjects under "Prophetism" such as what "to prophesy" means, the prophets' function, early prophets, Samuel, monarchy prophets, and writing prophets both major and minor. Wood has solid sections on Elijah and Elisha (their spiritual features, episodes, miracles). The Elisha part surveys each miracle. Some sections, as on Hosea, even discuss in some detail leading problems such as whether Gomer was tainted before marriage or became unfaithful later. But sections on the books do not delve into nearly the detail Chisholm gives. Wood does sum up the message well, has an outline on each book, and organizes much on background, character qualities and work of each prophet. He deals with each prophet in relation to the reign he fitted into. Chisholm and Freeman deal more with various problems. Cf. Hobart Freeman, *Introd. to the Old Testament Prophets*, available now only in some theological libraries.

[Enjoying the Minor Prophets](#) - a devotional commentary - By: MacDonald, William - same author of *Believer's Bible Commentary* (see [note](#))

[Hearing God's voice above the noise](#) - The Twelve Minor Prophets By: Briscoe, D. Stuart

[The Layman's Bible commentary](#) By: Kelly, Balmer H. (Micah through Malachi)

[Living prophecies: the Minor prophets paraphrased with Daniel and the Revelation](#) (The Living Bible paraphrase) By: Taylor, Kenneth Nathaniel

[Interpreting the Minor Prophets](#) By: Chisholm, Robert B - conservative, premillennial.

[Nahum, Habakkuk, and Zephaniah : an introduction and commentary](#) By: Baker, David W. (David Weston)

**Cyril Barber** - Tyndale Old Testament Commentary. Downers Grove, IL: InterVarsity Press, 1988. This readily comprehensible commentary treats with admirable skill God's prediction concerning Nineveh, the Neo-Babylonian empire's chastening of Judah, and Zephaniah's prediction of the Day of the Lord. Approaches the prophetic portions of these books first from an historical point of view, and then from the perspective of amillennial hermeneutics.

**James Rosscup** - As Baker did in Obadiah in this series, he again presents a brief introduction and a well-studied survey of each book with a good outline, handling most things rather carefully, in a conservative stance. He sees the "Day" of Zephaniah 3 as one of wrath and also hope and help (p. 116), but is very general and vague about when and where and in what form the blessed state will be realized. He is typical of many who do not nail down things in any framework so as to clarify just where he stands.

[The books of Nahum, Habakkuk, and Zephaniah](#) New International Commentary on the Old Testament By: Robertson, O. Palmer

**Walter C. Kaiser, Jr.** "[This] is a first-class theological commentary with unique applications to the present day.

His conclusions are balanced and well aimed with regard to the particulars of the immediate historical situation as well as with regard to the overall canonical stance of the ongoing drama of revelation."

**James Rosscup** - This is a very good conservative work, both perceptive on issues and in lucid style. The writer provides a good translation and commentary, often graphic. He looks at [Habakkuk 2:4](#) from many angles (pp. 173–83), and also clearly catches the picture of living by faith in 3:19 that ties in with 2:4b. To a large extent the explanations of verses are full enough and satisfying. At times, however, questions in serious minds are not dealt with. For example, why make a sweeping statement in [Zephaniah 3:12](#) about no deceit in the future remnant if this is in a state of imperfection and believers still have some deceit when less than absolutely perfect?

[Nahum, Zephaniah, Habakkuk: minor prophets of the seventh century B.C.](#) By: Freeman, Hobart E

**James Rosscup** - A helpful survey by the author of the very fine Introduction to the Old Testament Prophets.

[Obadiah, Nahum, Habakkuk and Zephaniah: introduction and commentary](#) By: Eaton, J. H. (John Herbert)

**James Rosscup** - This is a good exegesis of these books, with much help.

[The books of Joel, Obadiah, Jonah, Nahum, Habakkuk, and Zephaniah](#) Published: 1975 John D W Watts

**James Rosscup** - Watts uses the NEB and gives brief introductions (1–3 pp.) and expositions. He late dates Joel. On problem verses he is usually succinct. Locusts are literal in both chapters, but in the latter case Watts sees them as symbolic of the Lord's "true Mighty army" (p. 26), whatever that means. He sees a future for Israel in [Joel 2:18–27](#) but leaves vaguely obscure what this means. He refers to use of Joel 2 in Acts 2 but does not discuss the problem of some details not seeming to have been realistically fulfilled in Acts 2. He discusses [Joel 3:9ff.](#) in a general haze, and is mediocre among commentaries on these books.

[The minor prophets](#) By: Lewis, Jack Pearl, 1919- Does not go into much depth.

[Be heroic : demonstrating bravery by your walk : OT commentary, minor prophets](#) By: Wiersbe, Warren W - Always worth checking! - Ezra, Haggai, Zechariah

[Be amazed](#) By: Wiersbe, Warren W - Some but not all the minor prophets - Hosea, Joel, Jonah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Malachi

[Be concerned](#) By: Wiersbe, Warren W - Some but not all the minor prophets - Amos, Obadiah, Micah, Zephaniah

[Bible Exposition Commentary - Old Testament](#)

[Wiersbe's Expository Outlines on the Old Testament](#) by Wiersbe, Warren W

"Even the most difficult Scriptures come alive as Warren Wiersbe leads you book-by-book through the Old Testament and helps you to see the "big picture" of God's revelation. In this unique volume, you will find: • Introductions and/or outlines for every Old Testament book • Practical expositions of strategic chapters • Special studies on key topics, relating the Old Testament to the New Testament • Easy-to-understand expositions that are practical, preachable, and teachable If you have used Dr. Wiersbe's popular BE series, you know how simple and practical his Bible studies are, with outlines that almost teach themselves. If not, you can now discover a wonderful new resource. This work is a unique commentary on every book of the Old Testament. It contains new material not to be found in the BE series.

[With the Word](#) - Devotional Commentary - Warren Wiersbe

[Twelve voices for truth confronting a falling world with hope : a study of the minor prophets](#) By: Hayford, Jack W

[Every prophecy of the Bible](#): Walvoord, John F

[Wrath and mercy : a commentary on the books of Habakkuk and Zephaniah](#) By: Eszenyei Szeles, Maria

James Rosscup - This is by Professor of Old Testament, United Protestant Theological Seminary, in Cluj-Napoca, Romania. The work has many thorough and good exegetical comments on the Hebrew drawn from much study, yet some thin and cursory statements. Often the book furnishes help on theological meaning. But the authoress at times reflects higher critical loyalties as in claiming arbitrarily that certain statements must be a redactor's later insertion if the writer does not grasp them. She is flimsy or non-existent in convincing proof of her biases (cf. on [Habakkuk 2:6–20](#) at p. 36; also cf. p. 41, etc.). A pastor or student using the work with good discernment can profit from it by exercising his own judgment.

[The Broadman Bible commentary](#) Volume: 7

[The Book Of Twelve Prophets Commonly Called The Minor](#) By: George Adam Smith

**James Rosscup** - Though old this is well-written and often cited, with many good statements on spiritual truths. Users will find much that is worthwhile, and sometimes may disagree, as when he sees the Jonah account as allegorical.

[The minor prophets](#) By: [Theo. Laetsch, D.D.](#)

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[Micah-Malachi](#) Volume: 32 in Word Biblical Commentary - By: Smith, Ralph L.

**Cyril Barber** - Adheres to the format established for this series. Handles textual problems adroitly. Discusses the theological implications of these writings, and provides a variety of insights into the text. **A necessary volume.**

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[Evangelical Commentary on the Bible](#) - Judges by Andrew Boling (20 pages); editor Walter Elwell (1989) 1239 pages

[Unger's Commentary on the Old Testament \(Volume 2 - Isaiah - Malachi\)](#) by Unger, Merrill Frederick, 1909- (1981) 972 pages.

[Understanding the Old Testament](#) by Scripture Union - All 12 minor prophets. 100 pages.

J.Sidlow Baxter: *Explore The Book* - pdf [Vol. 4 Ezekiel to Malachi](#)

[Thru the Bible with J. Vernon McGee](#) - Proverbs - Malachi

[Apologetics Study Bible - Zephaniah](#)

[The twelve minor prophets](#) By: Robinson, George L.

**James Rosscup** - This is a reprint of the 1926 edition (New York: Harper and Brothers). He devotes a chapter to each prophet, "Hosea the Prophet of Love," etc. The studies are terse summaries. On Hosea he lists and comments on steps in Israel's downfall and has five points on the message to men today. He packs a lot of information in and organizes it well. His word portrait of Jonah is choice (pp. 74-75), and he has interesting accounts of great fish swallowing men. Though brief, the book has frequent material a preacher can use.

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[Believer's Bible Commentary](#) - OT and NT - MacDonald, William (1995) 2480 pages. Conservative. Literal. Often has very insightful comments. John MacArthur, says "Concise yet comprehensive - the most complete single-volume commentary I have seen." Warren Wiersbe adds "For the student who is serious about seeing Christ in the Word." One hour limit.

**James Rosscup** - This work, originally issued in 1983, is conservative and premillennial, written to help teachers, preachers and people in every walk of life with different views, explanation and application.

[New Bible Commentary](#) - (1994) [See user reviews](#)

[Compact Bible commentary](#) by Radmacher, Earl D; Allen, Ronald Barclay; House, H Wayne, et al - 954 pages. Multiple contributors to the comments which are often verse by verse. The comments are brief but meaty and can really help your study through a given book. A sleeper in my opinion.

## STUDY BIBLES, ETC

**Note: The first 3 resources have no time restriction and allow copy and paste function:**

(1) [KJV Bible Commentary](#) - Hindson, Edward E; Kroll, Woodrow Michael. Over 3000 pages of the entire OT/NT. Well done conservative commentary that interprets Scripture from a literal perspective. Pre-millennial. [User reviews](#) - it generally gets 4/5 stars from users.

Very well done conservative commentary that interprets Scripture from a literal perspective [user reviews](#)

The King James Version Bible Commentary is a complete verse-by-verse commentary. It is comprehensive in scope, reliable in scholarship, and easy to use. Its authors are leading evangelical theologians who provide practical truths and biblical principles. Any Bible student will gain new insights through this one-volume commentary based on the timeless King James Version of the Bible.

(2) [The King James Study Bible Second Edition](#) 2240 pages (2013) (Thomas Nelson) General Editor - Edward Hindson with multiple contributing editors. Pre-millennial. See [introduction on How to Use this Study Bible](#)

(3) [NKJV Study Bible: New King James Version Study Bible](#) (formerly "The Nelson Study Bible - NKJV") by Earl D Radmacher; Ronald Barclay Allen; Wayne H House. 2345 pages. (1997, 2007). Very helpful notes. Conservative. Pre-millennial.

[HCSB Study Bible : Holman Christian Standard Bible](#) - General Editor Jeremy Royal Howard (2010) 2360 pages. Conservative. Good notes. Include Holmans excellent maps. One hour limit

[Life Application Study Bible: Old Testament and New Testament](#) New Living Translation. Has some very helpful notes especially with application of texts. See also [Life application New Testament commentary](#) - Bruce Barton

[The MacArthur Study Bible](#) - John MacArthur. Brief but well done notes for conservative, literal perspective.

[ESV Study Bible](#) - Excellent resource but not always literal in eschatology and the nation of Israel

[Zondervan NIV Study Bible](#) - (2011) 2570 pages - Use this one if available as it has more notes than edition below.

[The David Jeremiah Study Bible](#) - (2013) 2208 pages. [Logos.com](#) - "Drawing on more than 40 years of study, Dr. David Jeremiah has compiled a legacy resource that will make an eternal impact on generations to come. 8,000 study notes. Hundreds of enriching word studies"50+ Essentials of the Christian Faith" articles."

[Wycliffe Bible Commentary](#) - Charles Pfeiffer - 1560 pages (1962). Less detailed than the KJV Bible Commentary. Conservative. Notes are generally verse by verse but brief.

Rosscup - Conservative and premillennial scholars here have been experts in their fields. The work contains brief introductions and attempts to give a verse-by-verse exposition, though it does skip over some verses. The treatments vary with the authors, but as a whole it is a fine one-volume commentary for pastors and students to use or give to a layman. Outstanding sections include, for example: Whitcomb on Ezra-Nehemiah-Esther; Culver on Daniel; Ladd on Acts; Harrison on Galatians; Johnson on I Corinthians; and Ryrie on the Johannine Epistles.

[Ryrie Study Bible Expanded Edition](#) (1994) 2232 pages

[The Defender's Study Bible : King James Version](#) by Morris, Henry M. Excellent notes by well known creationist.



[NLT Study Bible](#) (Illustration Version)

[Disciple's Study Bible: New international version](#) Not that helpful for verse by verse study. Focuses on application of Christian doctrines. 10,000 annotations; doctrinal summaries, "Life Helps" section relate doctrine to everyday discipleship.

[The Living Insights Study Bible : New International Version](#) - Charles Swindoll. Notes are good but somewhat sparse and not verse by verse.

[The Apologetics Study Bible Understand Why You Believe](#) by Norman Geisler - [Apologetics Study Bible on Haggai](#)

[NIV Archaeological Study Bible](#) (2005) 2360 pages (See also [Archaeology and the Bible - OT and NT](#))

[Zondervan Atlas of The Bible](#) By: Umair Mirza

[The Experiencing God Study Bible: the Bible for knowing and doing the will of God](#) - Blackaby, Henry (1996) 1968 pages - CHECK THIS ONE! Each chapter begins with several questions under the title "PREPARE TO MEET GOD." Then you will interesting symbols before many of the passages. The chapter ends with a "DID YOU NOTICE?" question. This might make a "dry chapter" jump off the page!

[Unger's bible handbook : a best-selling guide to understanding the bible](#) by Unger, Merrill F

[Encyclopedia of Bible difficulties](#) by Archer, Gleason L - or [here with no restrictions](#)

[Halley's Bible Handbook](#) Henry H. Halley - (2000) 2720 pages (much larger than original edition in 1965 and no time limit on use). ([Halley's Bible handbook : an abbreviated Bible commentary - one hour limit](#) 1965 872 pages)

Rosscup - A much-used older evangelical handbook bringing together a brief commentary on Bible books, some key archaeological findings, historical background, maps, quotes, etc. It is helpful to a lay Bible teacher, Sunday School leader, or pastor looking for quick, pertinent information on a Bible book. This is the 72nd printing somewhat revised. Halley packed in much information. Unger's is better overall, but that is not to say that Halley's will not provide much help on basic information.

[The Shaw Pocket Bible Handbook](#) - Editor - Walter Elwell (1984) 408 pages.

"This hardback is small in size but packed full of content: Brief summaries of every book of the bible, cultural, archaeological and historical info, word definitions, pictures, maps and charts." Worth checking!

## HEBREW WORD STUDY

[Theological Wordbook of the Old Testament](#) by Harris, R. Laird - (5/5 Stars) One of the best OT lexicons for laymen. no time limit on use and does allow copy and paste. Can be downloaded as PDF.

[Vine's Expository Dictionary of Old Testament and New Testament Words](#) - online pdf

[Nelson's Expository Dictionary of the Old Testament](#) by Unger, Merrill. Indexed by English word and then any related Hebrew nouns or verbs. Definitions are solid and geared to the lay person.

[Expository Dictionary of Bible Words](#) by Richards, Larry, It is does not go into great depth on the Greek or Hebrew words but does have some excellent insights.

## MORE SERMONS AND COMMENTARIES

### PAUL APPLE

- [Habakkuk - In Wrath Remember Mercy](#)

### JACK ARNOLD SERMONS

- [Habakkuk 1:1-11 The Mystery of History](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:12-2:1 Questions about God and Evil](#)

## BIBLE DICTIONARIES

- [Habakkuk Articles](#)
- [Habakkuk in Holman Bible Dictionary](#)
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- Bridgeway Bible Dictionary [Habakkuk](#)
- Easton's Bible Dictionary [Habakkuk](#)
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- Hitchcock Bible Names [Habakkuk](#)
- Hastings' Dictionary of the Bible [Habakkuk](#)
- Hawker's Poor Man's Dictionary [Habakkuk](#)
- People's Dictionary of the Bible [Habakkuk](#)
- Watson's Theological Dictionary [Habakkuk](#)
- 1911 Encyclopedia Britannica [Habakkuk](#)
- International Standard Bible Encyclopedia [Prayer of Habakkuk](#) [Habakkuk](#)
- Kitto Biblical Cyclopedia [Habakkuk](#)
- McClintock and Strong's Bible Encyclopedia [Habakkuk \(2\)](#) [Habakkuk](#)
- The Nuttall Encyclopedia [Habakkuk](#)
- The Jewish Encyclopedia [Habakkuk](#)
- Baker's Evangelical Dictionary of Biblical Theology [Habakkuk, Theology of](#)

## ALBERT BARNES

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## BRIAN BELL

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- [Habakkuk 1:2 O Lord How Long?](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:5-10 I Will Work A Work In Your Days.](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:12 Art Thou Not From Everlasting](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:13 Thou Art of Purer Eyes](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:13 Why dost Thou look with favor...](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:14-17 And Makest Me as Fish](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:14-17 The Baits of Satan](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:16 They Offer a Sacrifice to Their Net](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:16 The Worship of the Net](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:16 Conceit Born of Success \(John Calvin\)](#)



## JOHN CALVIN

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## RICH CATHERS

- [Habakkuk 1-3 Sermon Notes](#)

## ADAM CLARKE

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## STEVEN COLE

- [Habakkuk - The Man Who Rejoiced In Spite Of An Invasion](#)

## THOMAS CONSTABLE

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary](#)

## W A CRISWELL

- [Habakkuk 1-2 Seeking an Answer from God](#)

## A B DAVIDSON - CAMBRIDGE COMMENTARY

- [Introduction Habakkuk 1:1-2 Habakkuk 1:3-4 Habakkuk 1:5-7](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:6-9 Habakkuk 1:10-11 Habakkuk 1:12](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:13 Habakkuk 1:14-16 Habakkuk 1:17](#)

## DEFENDER'S STUDY BIBLE

- [Habakkuk 1:1 Habakkuk](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:5 ye will not believe](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:6 Chaldeans breadth of the land](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:9 sup up](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:10 heap dust](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:11 his god](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:12 from everlasting; judgment](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:13 look on iniquity](#)

## BOB DEFFINBAUGH

- [Habakkuk: The Just Shall Live By Faith](#)

## MARK DUNN

- [Habakkuk 1:1-3, 5-6, 13; 2:1, 4-6; 3:2, 17-19 Habakkuk: A Message of Faith](#)

## EXPLORE THE BIBLE

- [Habakkuk 1-2 God, His Covenant, and the Presence of Evil](#)

## EXPOSITOR'S BIBLE

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary](#)

## **DON FORTNER Sermons on Habakkuk**

Caveat: Be an Acts 17:11 Berean ([note](#)): Not always literal, especially on prophetic passages

- [Habakkuk 1:1-3:19 Habakkuk - The Wonder of Divine Providence](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:1-2:1 Light for Times of Great Darkness](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:3 The Sight of Sin](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:5 In Wrath Mercy Remembered](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:5 A Work You will not Believe](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:5 Behold](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:11-3:6 Five Stark Contrasts](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:12-17 Doesn't God Care](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:12-13 Eternity, Sovereignty and Holiness](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:13 The Only Explanation](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:13 Facts, Questions, and Conclusions](#)

## **JAMES FREEMAN**

- [Habakkuk 1:16 Worship of Weapons](#)

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- [Habakkuk 1:1-4 The Prophet's Cry to Jehovah](#)
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## **JOHN GILL**

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- [Concise Bible Commentary on Habakkuk](#)

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## **GOTQUESTIONS - always has excellent Biblically based answers**

- [Book of Habakkuk - Bible Survey](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:5-11 Does God sometimes use evil to accomplish His plans?](#)

## **CHARLES ELLICOTT**

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary for English Readers](#)

## **JOE GOETTSCHE**

- [Habakkuk: When Life Leaves You Confused](#)

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- [Habakkuk Study Notes](#)

## **DAVID GUZIK**

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary](#)

## DANNY HALL

- [Habakkuk The Perspective of Faith](#)

## SKIP HEITZIG

- [Transcript](#)

## EBENEZER HENDERSON Commentary

**James Rosscup** "This 1858 work supplies much help on matters of the text, word meaning, resolving some problems, etc. Some have found it one of the most contributive sources in getting at what a text means."  
([Commentaries for Biblical Expositors: An Annotated Bibliography of Selected Works](#))

- [Introduction](#)
- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary](#)

## MATTHEW HENRY

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary](#)

## HOLMAN CHRISTIAN SB

- [Holman Christian Std Bible Study Bible - enter Hab 1, see notes on right](#)

## DAVID HOLWICK

- [Habakkuk 1:2-4; 3:17-19 Where Was God?](#)

## HOMILETICAL COMMENTARY

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary - Critical Notes](#) - topics below
- Habakkuk 1:2 The Importunate Prayer
- Habakkuk 1:2-4 The Lamentable Sight
- Habakkuk 1:5 The Wonderful Work
- Habakkuk 1:5-10 The Wonderful Work Accomplished
- Habakkuk 1:8 Evening Wolves
- Habakkuk 1:11, 16 Success Abused
- Habakkuk 1:13 God's Character A Ground of Consolation in Distress
- Habakkuk 1:13 God Does Not Approve of Sin
- Habakkuk 1:13-17 The Enigmas of Life
- Habakkuk 1 Illustrations to Chapter 1

## H A IRONSIDE

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary](#)

## JAMIESON, FAUSSET, BROWN

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## S LEWIS JOHNSON

- [Habakkuk 1:1-11 The Unconcern of God](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:12-2:1 A Holy God and His Unholy Instrument](#)

## HAMPTON KEATHLEY IV

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## KEIL AND DELITZSCH

- [Habakkuk - Intro](#)
- [Habakkuk 1 - Chastisement of Judah Through the Chaldeans](#)

## JOHN KITTO

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## LANGE'S COMMENTARY

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary](#)

## DAVID LEGGE Sermons

- [Habakkuk 1:1-4 The God Bound Man of Burden](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:5-11 Answer, Yes! But That One? No!"](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:12-2:1 Watching and Waiting](#)

## JOHN MACARTHUR

- [Habakkuk - Introduction](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:1-11 The Strangeness of God's Ways](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:12-2:20 The Prophet's Perplexity](#)

## J VERNON MCGEE

- [Habakkuk - Introduction Habakkuk - The Writer](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:1 Commentary Habakkuk 1:2-4 Commentary](#)
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- [Habakkuk 1:14-17 Commentary](#)

## F B MEYER

- [Habakkuk 1:12 Devotional](#)

## JEFF MILLER

- [Habakkuk 1:1-4 When God Ignores Our Circumstances\)](#)
- [Habakkuk 1:5-11 When God Blesses Those Who Curse Us\)](#)
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## G CAMPBELL MORGAN

- [Habakkuk - Living Messages](#)

## NET BIBLE NOTES

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary](#)

## JOSEPH PARKER

- [Habakkuk 1:1-12 The Burden of Habakkuk](#)

## ROBERT PATTERSON

- [Habakkuk: Verse by Verse Commentary-recommended](#)
- [A Literary Look at Nahum, Habakkuk, and Zephaniah -- Richard Patterson](#)
- [The Psalm of Habakkuk -- Richard D. Patterson](#)

## WIL POUNDS

- [Habakkuk: Lord How Long? - Background Introduction](#)
- [Habakkuk: Pattern For Prayer](#)
- [Habakkuk: The Lord God is My Strength](#)
- [Prayer and the Prophet Habakkuk](#)

## PULPIT COMMENTARY

- [Habakkuk 1 Commentary \(scroll down this page for homilies or see below\)](#)
- Habakkuk 1:1 A Prophet's Burden
- Habakkuk 1:1 The Lamentation of a Good Man
- Habakkuk 1:5-11 Judgment on the Wing
- Habakkuk 1:12-17 The Triumph of Faith
- Habakkuk 1:1 The Title
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- Habakkuk 1:5-10 The Doom of a Nation of Conventional Religionists
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