

**Sunday, October 14, 2018**

**Title: God is in Control**

**Habakkuk 1**

**Introduction:**

When I say that "God Is In Control" I am not suggesting that God is responsible...He is aware and will act according to His Holiness, Mercy and Love.

*Illustration: Learning to drive!*

Review of Habakkuk 1

**God Is Aware:**

a) 1 John 3:20

*"for whenever our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and he knows everything."*

b) Hebrews 4:13

*"And no creature is hidden from his sight, but all our naked and exposed to the eyes of him to whom we must give account."*

c) Isaiah 46:8 - 10

*"Remember this and stand firm, recall it to mind, you transgressors, remember the former things of old; for I am God, and there is no other; I am God and there is none like me, declaring the end from the beginning and from ancient times things not yet done, saying, 'My counsel shall stand, and I will accomplish all my purpose.'"*

**God Cares:**

a) Psalm 51:4

*"Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment."*

b) Genesis 6:5 - 6

*"The LORD saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth" and that every intent of his heart was only evil continually. And the LORD was sorry that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him to his heart."*

**God Often Appears To Be Silent:**

a) Consider Mary, Martha and Lazarus - John 11

b) Consider Paul - 2 Corinthians 12

**God Will Answer:**

God answers the Prophet in verses 5 to 11

God answered Mary and Martha

God answered Paul

Lesson - Isaiah 40:30 - 31