

**Habakkuk # 16 “National and Personal Disaster” Job 5**

**God’s plan is revealed in Scripture and it’s worked out in our lives through applying biblical truth.**

The solution for every problem or disaster, whether personal or national, lies in **KNOWING God’s Word!**

*And knowing God’s Word begins with a positive response to it; first in salvation, then in the daily function of walking in His truth.*

**God manufactured something out of something from His essence, He manufactured a plan of grace.**

He provides definition for life and He outlines it entirely in the Word of God, so it comes our way by the teaching of the Word of God

*He will rescue; literally, He will cause you to be rescued and it’s His Word which actually does the rescuing.*

God provides biblical truth and He provided us with free-will responsibility and that combined with His Word is our rescue point.

**The life of the believer is delivered or purchased by the physical provision of God’s living-grace support.**

It may be in a national economic disaster which effects believer and unbeliever alike or it may be in a personal economic disaster during great national prosperity.

*The principle is God in His grace has a purpose for us in this life and if we’re fulfilling Job 5:8 seeking God through daily intake of His Word in our souls, we can count on it that we’re going to be preserved in disaster!*

No believer can be removed from life by disaster unless God permits it, so therefore, if this is a year of personal or economic disaster for you or a year of national economic disaster for all of us, God in His matchless grace will provide!

**The soul with biblical truth has great peace and blessing even when the body is in pain.**

To meet any and all disasters, we need to be building up biblical truth in our lives daily.

*Always remember, while these are serious problems to us, they’re not problems at all for God, whose grace provision of biblical truth is able to cope effectively with each one.*

**Wild animals which can kill man and stones which are weapons of destruction, together form instruments of death; yet all the instruments of death in this world cannot kill the believer in the Lord Jesus Christ until He permits.**

Therefore, we’re at peace with these things, meaning we’re safe from them.

*When we begin to die, there’s one thing that’s important – biblical truth; so we should already have accumulated it and now is the time to use that accumulation, whether it takes five minutes or five years to die.*

**Even though the body may be shackled with pain, the dying believer will have peace and inner happiness as a part of dying grace.**