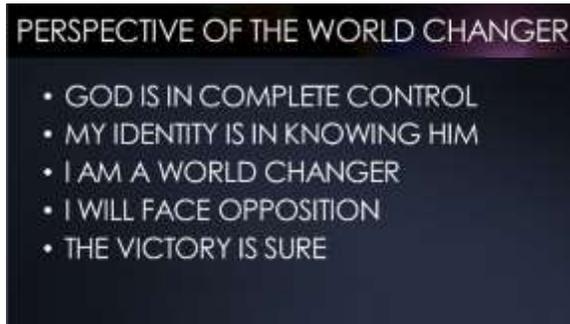
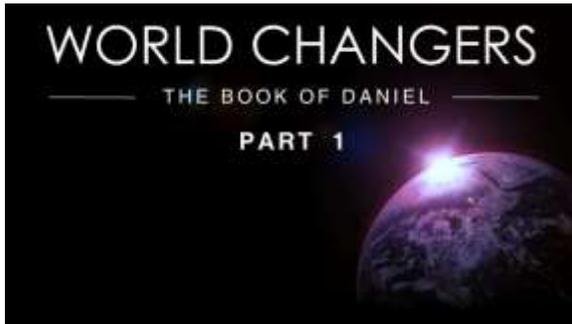


Perspective of the World Changer September 26, 2021 Discussion Notes

Everyone is encouraged to bring a Bible

(Phone apps are good for reading together in the same translation. Study Bibles give help with interpretation.)



Questions:

1. Icebreaker question: How would you describe your overall perspective about our world today?
2. The sermon was based on Daniel 1. What do you remember about each of the main points? What stood out to you?
3. Do you agree that the book of Daniel is a good model for understanding how to live as Christians in the United States right now? What are your thoughts about this?
4. The book of Habakkuk is a precursor to the book of Daniel (Habakkuk foresees the exile in Babylon; Daniel lives through it). This week, we will investigate this short, but powerful book. Answer the following questions by looking up the Scriptures in parentheses:
 - a) What did Habakkuk receive? (Habakkuk 1:1)
 - b) About what was the prophet distressed? (1:2-4)
 - c) How did God answer Habakkuk's complaint? (1:5-11)
 - d) Why was the prophet perplexed and bewildered? (1:12-17)
 - e) What did the prophet do in anticipation of God's response? (2:1)
 - f) What did God tell Habakkuk to do? (2:2)
 - g) What did God say would happen to the Babylonians? (2:8)
 - h) For what did Habakkuk ask God? (3:1-2)
 - i) How did Habakkuk react to his awesome encounter with God? (3:16)
 - j) On what note of faith did the prophet conclude his song of praise? (3:17-19)
5. Do you see any connections between the sermon outline and the book of Habakkuk?
6. How can we have the perspective that Habakkuk did at the end of his book?
7. Pray for each other's needs. Offer to God any perspectives that need to be adjusted. Ask God to use this series in Daniel to help us be world changers.