

INFLUENCE

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Hidden in Times of Trouble

Zephaniah 1–3 || Pastor Pablo Cachon || July 2, 2017

Discussion Questions

1. Give an example from your life or from history where something good came directly out of a time of struggle or darkness.
2. Read Romans 1:18 with Romans 3:23–26. Tell your group about a sinful action or attitude in your own life this past month. What do these passages reveal about God's attitude toward your sin and His provision for it? How does what happened on the cross show that God is both just and the justifier of sinners who deserve wrath?
3. Read Zephaniah 3:14–19. Have you ever thought about God being happy (vs. 17)? What are the implications of knowing, serving and worshiping a God who rejoices over those who belong to Him?
4. What would it look like for you to “seek the Lord . . . seek righteousness, seek humility?” (Zephaniah 2:3)

Family Question: Read Romans 3:23–26. Recall some instances from the Old Testament where God “passed over” peoples’ sins. How is God able to “pass over” our sins today?

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Haggai's Influence: Becoming Builders, Haggai 1:1–15, Pastor Dayton Dodge