

Habakkuk 2:3

3 For the revelation awaits an appointed time; it speaks of the end and will not prove false. Though it linger, wait for it; it will certainly come and will not delay.

Meditation:

This verse, although small and unassuming, has weighed heavily on my heart during the past several weeks. As my family's future seems to teeter on the edge of disaster, I am encouraged here to stand firm on the path that God has outlined for us. I do not know exactly where we are going nor do I know when we will arrive at God's appointed destination. What I do know is that God is in control of the time and place and He has given us a clear calling to serve Him with all that we possess. As we move through each day we may ask God where the answers are and He calmly answers "wait for it."

I have many small doubts, but I never doubt God. He has a plan and His plans cannot be thwarted. He is in no way indifferent to our needs; in fact He is preparing a place for us even now. His ability to grow us as we wait on Him should only cause us to praise Him more.

Paraphrase of Text:

God will answer your "whys" at His appointed time and His answers will not be false. Even if He asks you to wait, trust Him and eventually His ways will be shown to you.

Prayer:

Dear heavenly Father, help me to have greater faith in your ways. When you ask me to wait, please comfort me in the knowledge that your patience is not indifference. Thank you, Father, for your promises and your truth as you lead me. Thank you for your goodness as you fulfill your promises to me and my family. In Jesus name, Amen.