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Habakkuk 3:2

“I have heard all about you, LORD, and I am filled with awe by the amazing things you have done. In this time of our deep need, begin again to help us, as you did in years gone by. Show us your power to save us. And in your anger, remember your mercy.”

Habakkuk 3:2 NLT

Hearing about something and experiencing it first hand are completely different experiences, aren't they? To watch a football game on television has its merits, but to sit in the stadium and experience all the excitement first hand is far better, isn't it? But even then, there is another level all together of experiencing the game – to be a player on the field!

It is within the human spirit – a deep inner cry and need – to not only hear about God and His power but to experience Him as well. Our original creation was never intended to be merely as spectators watching from the television or even from the stadium. The human heart is longing to play in the game – to experience the glory of God firsthand.

Jesus, by experiencing human life first-hand and conquering our greatest enemies of sin and death firsthand has opened for each of us the possibility of having our heart's cry answered by God.

“Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things you know not!” (Jeremiah 33:3).

“Coach, put me in the game!”

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