



**Habakkuk's Vision of the Divine Warrior  
(Habakkuk 3:1-16)**

# Definition: “Theophany”

- “A theological term used to refer to either a visible or auditory manifestation of God.”
- Visible manifestations include an angel appearing in human form and a flame in the burning bush
- Auditory manifestations include the voice of God in the Garden of Eden and the still small voice to Elijah

# Remembering God's Help in the Past

- <sup>11</sup> I will remember the deeds of the LORD;  
yes, I will remember your wonders of old.  
<sup>12</sup> I will ponder all your work,  
and meditate on your mighty deeds. (Psalm 77:11-12 ESV)

# Definition: Eschatology

- Derived from the Greek term meaning “last,” *eschaton* refers to the ultimate end of history wherein Christ returns to earth to establish his eternal kingdom of righteousness and justice among all nations. Eschatology, then, is the theological study that seeks to understand the ultimate direction or purpose of history as it moves toward the future
- Inaugurated eschatology sees the first coming of Christ as the beginning of the kingdom in the present, while acknowledging that the fulfillment of the kingdom of God is yet to come

# Battle Hymn of the Republic

- Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord  
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored  
He have *loosed the fateful lightening of His terrible swift sword*  
**His truth is marching on**
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# Abundant Life in Jesus Christ

- The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly. (John 10:10 ESV)

# Christ Shall Crush Satan and Evil-doers

- **God to Satan/Serpent:**
- “And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel.” (Genesis 3:15 NIV)

# Vengeance Belongs to the Lord

- <sup>19</sup> Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave it to the wrath of God, for it is written, “Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.”

--Romans 12:19 (ESV)



# Confidence in God's Righteousness and Justice

- We have thought on your steadfast love, O God,  
in the midst of your temple.

<sup>10</sup> As your name, O God,  
so your praise reaches to the ends of the earth.

Your right hand is filled with righteousness.

<sup>11</sup> Let Mount Zion be glad!

Let the daughters of Judah rejoice

because of your judgments! (Psalm 48:9-11 ESV)

# Let Us Pray

