

## THE STORY: CHAPTER 18 DANILE IN EXILE

## The Upper Story: Movement 2 (The Big What?)

God is rescuing the world from sin and the curse of death. For the past 1500 years God has been building a nation (Israel) of followers while foreshadowing the promised Savior.

The Lower Story: Chapter 18 (The Little What?)	
has fallen. Some of the	young
people of Jerusalem are deported amidst the	destruction to serve in Babylon
The Connection from Then to Now:	
As Christians, we are also	_ living in a land far from home.
LIFE IN BABYLON:	
The only request made of the 4 boys was to _	<u> </u> •

There is one who seeks to	us today. (Uses same playbook)
When pressured to fit in!	!
"Do not conform any longer to the pattern o	of this world." Romans 12:1
Don't compromise on	
Why? Because you are building	into your
THE TEST OF FAITH: A FIERY FURNACE & HUNG	RY LIONS
The world will always	<del>.</del>
When told to bend a knee	<u>!</u>
Models worth copying:	
THE GOOD NEWS!	
God is	
We might be far from home, but we are	e
Jesus Christ	(Jeremiah 29:11-12; John 14:2-3)