



## Sermon Discussion Guide

March 27, 2022

### *How to Tame a Lion... and Overcome Trials*

#### Gather



... with your family

... with friends or your 3G Group on a Phone Conference or video call  
(eg. Zoom, Hangouts, House Party, FaceBook Watch Party)

#### Grow



Processing today's message...

- **Aha!** – What did you learn? What challenged you?
- **Uh-oh!** – What concerns did it raise?
- **Hmmm!** – What do you need to think about some more?

#### Dig a little deeper...

- 1) What strikes you most about the book of Daniel or from his life in particular?
- 2) Is there a difference between Tests, Trials and Temptations? What difference does it make?
- 3) What is the difference between Trials from the world's perspective and from God's?
- 4) Read Daniel Ch. 6... What stands out most to you in this story? What was most difficult, most discouraging?
- 5) Which of the 4 points in the message struck you most about how to overcome trials and why?
  - a. Accept them
  - b. Keep Praying
  - c. Learn from them
  - d. Overcoming leads to a Legacy.
- 6) What trial do you face today most acutely for which you could use prayer?

#### Go – How can you BLESS your neighbor this week?



- Begin with Prayer
- Listen
- Eat
- Serve
- Share Your Story

# How to Tame a Lion... and Overcome Trials

## Daniel 6

**A Biblical Def. of Trails** - Trials are distressing and painful tools used by God to refine our lives and leave us with a purer, stronger faith, and a character that God can bless and use.

### How to Tame a Lion... And overcome trials.

1. **Accept Them.** (Trials are inevitable)
2. **Keep Praying.**
3. **Learn from Trials.**

#### 3 Things Trials Teach us:

- 1) **Our Human Limitations**
  - 2) **An Invitation to Trust Him.**
  - 3) **An Opportunity to Experience God's Miracles.**
4. **Overcoming Faith Leaves a Legacy.**