

DISCUSSION GUIDE

Part 7 of Sunday School

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God revealed as the sovereign King over every earthly kingdom—worthy of our worship, faithful in every trial, and powerful to rescue those who trust in Him.

1. Faithful Worship (*Daniel 3:1–12*)

- King Nebuchadnezzar demanded worship of a golden image, but Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego remained faithful to God, refusing to compromise even when their lives were threatened.

Discuss:

- *What are some modern-day "idols" that compete for our worship and devotion?*
- *Why is it often difficult to stand for God when everyone else is going the opposite direction?*

2. Faithful Presence (*Daniel 3:24–30*)

- God did not keep Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego out of the fire; He met them in it. His presence became a testimony to both the king and the surrounding nations.

Discuss:

- *Have you ever experienced God's presence in the middle of a difficult season rather than being delivered from it immediately?*
- *How can your response to trials become a testimony to others?*

3. Faithful Prayer (*Daniel 6:3–18*)

- Daniel remained committed to prayer, even when it became illegal. His relationship with God was not shaped by circumstances but by consistent devotion.

Discuss:

- *How can consistent time with God prepare us for unexpected trials?*
- *What distractions or fears keep you from developing a faithful prayer life?*

4. Faithful Deliverance (*Daniel 6:19–28*)

- God shut the mouths of the lions and delivered Daniel because he trusted in Him. Through Daniel's faithfulness, King Darius



declared that the God of Israel is the living God whose kingdom will never end.

Discuss:

- *What does Daniel's deliverance teach us about trusting God, even when the outcome is uncertain?*
- *How have you seen God remain faithful in seasons where you had no control over the situation?*

