Review Questions

- 1. What king of Babylon conquered Judah and took people back to his country: Jehoiakim, Nebuchadnezzar, or Zedekiah? *Nebuchadnezzar*.
- 2. What kind of young men did Nebuchadnezzar want in his service? Good-looking, smart.
- 3. Many Hebrew names refer to false gods or the true God? The true God.
- **4. Why did the Babylonians change the young men's Hebrew names?** *They were trying to brainwash them. They wanted them to forget their God and home country.*
- 5. What young man had his name changed to Belteshazzar? Daniel.
- 6. Give one of the Hebrew names for the other three young men taken captive with Daniel. *Hananiah, Mishael, Azariah.*
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- 8. And the third man in the group? What was his Hebrew name? Hananiah, Mishael, Azariah.
- 9. The meanings of their new Babylonian names referred to whom? False Babylonian gods.
- 10. Why did Daniel resolve not to defile himself with the king's rich food and wine? It was devoted/ dedicated to idols/false gods. It was food against God's laws for his people.
- 11. What does "defile" mean? Dishonor, spoil, violate.
- 12. What servant in the palace favored Daniel and felt compassion for him not wanting to eat the required food? Chief of the eunuchs.
- 13. What was the chief of the eunuchs afraid of if Daniel and his friends looked worse than the other young men? The king would have his head, kill him.
- **14. What did Daniel ask the steward to do?** *Give him and his friends a 10-day test eating vegetables and drinking water then compare them to the other young men.*
- **15.** How did Daniel and his friends look compared to the other men at the end of the test? They looked better and fatter (healthier) than the other men eating the rich food.
- 16. Was it the food or the Lord that enabled Daniel and his friends to be healthier than the others? The Lord.
- **17.** Name one of the three gifts God blessed Daniel and his friends with. (Allow several students to answer.) *Learning, skill, wisdom.*
- 18. What special gift or ability did God give Daniel? Understanding visions and dreams.
- 19. At the end of their three-year training, what did the king think about the four young Hebrew men? They were 10 times better than the other servants of the king. No one else was like them.
- 20. Our memory verse, Isaiah 30:18, says that the Lord is a God of *what* attribute? *Justice.* Bonus: What year were Daniel and his friends taken into captivity? 607 BC.