

Lesson Focus

Even though God had used Babylon to judge Judah, he had not abandoned his people. God continued to demonstrate his power and sovereignty by protecting Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego and by humbling King Nebuchadnezzar.

Key Passages

Grades 2-3: Daniel 3:1, 3:22-23, 4:10, 4:29-34

Grades 4–5: Daniel 3:1, 3:22–23, 4:10–17, 4:28–37

What You Heard in the Word

- ▶ Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego trusted that God could deliver them from the king and his fiery furnace if that were his will. They would not serve false gods.
- ▶ God caused King Nebuchadnezzar to live as a beast of the field until he repented of his pride and acknowledged God as sovereign over everything.

