

Daniel

Scott Merriner, September 12, 2021 Small Group Discussion Questions

Getting Started

Take some time to catch up and connect as a group. Pray before discussion. Expect God to move through your time together!

Pacing Your Group

Move quickly through "observation" leaving enough time for "reflection", "discussion", and "surrender."

Scripture Reading

Re-read the scripture passages as needed when you discuss the questions.

Observation: What does this scripture passage say?

Take some time to look up and read these three scenes from Daniel's Life

- Daniel at approximately 20 years old Daniel 2:17-24
- Daniel at approximately 50 years old Daniel 4:19, 24-27
- Daniel at approximately 80 years old Daniel 5:17, 25-31; Daniel 6:1-3; Daniel 9:1-5, 16-19
- 1. Identify where Daniel demonstrates boldness.
- 2. Identify where Daniel demonstrates faithfulness.
- 3. Identify where Daniel demonstrates prayerfulness

Reflection and Discussion: What are some first thoughts flowing from the scriptures? Talk together about how the scriptures connect to everyday life.

- 4. What is a "legacy"? Should this matter to Christians? Why?
- 5. Boldness, faithfulness, and prayerfulness are obvious foundations of Daniel's legacy.
- What other attributes can contribute to a Godly legacy?
- What testimony of God at work in your life is a significant part of your Godly legacy and "God Story"?
- 6. What is the difference between an earthy legacy and a Godly legacy? Do they ever overlap?
- 7. What responsibility do we have to communicate or archive our legacy? How can we do this?

Surrender: Responding to God's voice.

- 8. What is one thing God is saying to you through this study and discussion?
 - ** Take some time to pray for one another in response to what has been discussed today **