

What are some modern-day examples of “golden idols” that can compete with our worship of God?

How can we respond when standing for what is right makes us unpopular? How can a Christian community help members remain faithful under pressure?

Prayer Requests



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Scripture References

Daniel 1:3-7 • Daniel 3 • Ephesians 6:12

Hebrews 11 • John 10:27-28

1) Songs are great teaching tools because they get

_____ in your _____.

2) Nebuchadnezzar had a good _____ of the young Jewish

captives but his court officials were hostile toward them out of

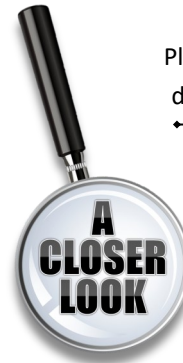
_____ and because they refused to worship the

gods of Babylon.

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- 3) We are in a _____ battle in this world, fighting against evil spirits in heavenly places, but those powers work through human beings and human _____.
- 4) Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego are _____ of the faith we should have. But we must remember that their faith was _____ than the idea that God would rescue them out of the furnace.
- 5) Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego dealt with _____ and _____ by choosing to obey God regardless of the consequences.
- 6) The events of life are not random. The _____ of _____ has ordered your steps.
- 7) _____ means deciding that no matter what happens, you will _____ in God.



Small Group Discussion Questions

Please try to think these over and jot down some ideas prior to discussing them at the meeting, it will improve the discussion.

What kinds of pressures can make it difficult for Christians to stand by their convictions?

Read Daniel chapters 1 and 2. What is the King's attitude towards Daniel and his friends? How does Nebuchadnezzar's attitude change in Daniel 3.

Read Hebrews 11. In this passage, what do we learn about the difference between trusting God and assuming God will always rescue us from difficult circumstances?

Continued on reverse.