

Read 1 Peter 2:12-13. How does that relate to Daniel 6:4-5? Did the 1 Peter verse prove to be true in Daniel’s case?

Daniel seemed to view prayer as an absolute priority. List three things we can learn from Daniel’s example.

**Prayer Requests**

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Scripture References  
Daniel 1:3-4 • Daniel 2:46-49 • Daniel 6:6-28

- 1) Although Daniel was \_\_\_\_\_ in the ways, the knowledge and the \_\_\_\_\_ of Babylon, he did not compromise his faith in the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.
- 2) Because of their \_\_\_\_\_, the Hebrew slaves became administrators over the land of Babylon.
- 3) Daniel chose faithfulness to God over \_\_\_\_\_ to human laws that opposed God.

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- 4) The desire to be \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, or \_\_\_\_\_ is an area in which we are easily tempted.
- 5) Those who \_\_\_\_\_ God will eventually pay the price, even if they seem to \_\_\_\_\_ at first.
- 6) Sometimes when people go through extremely difficult situations, they reject the idea of a \_\_\_\_\_ God.
- 7) When we place our trust in God, sometimes the things we're most \_\_\_\_\_ of turn out to be amazing \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8) The essence of faith is not \_\_\_\_\_, it's the determination to be obedient and faithful even when we are \_\_\_\_\_.
- 9) In the story of Daniel, God shows that there is no place and no situation where he cannot \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ us.
- 10) When Daniel emerged from the lion's den, he was careful to give \_\_\_\_\_ only where \_\_\_\_\_ was due: to God alone.



### **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.

Was there anything in the sermon that surprised you or prompted a question?

Read Daniel 6. In your opinion, why were the government officials so opposed to Daniel? What can we learn about the character of Darius the king from this story?

Read Daniel 6:1-13. When is it appropriate to break a human law because we place higher value on God's law? Read Acts 4:15-22. How does this factor in? Read 1 Peter 2:13-15. How can that passage be applied to Daniel's situation?

(Continued on reverse)