

**Lesson 5 – Daniel 3:1-30**  
**“The Oven of Faith”**

**1. The Stage Is Set (v1-12):**

**a. Read v1-7: Nebuchadnezzar’s Image of Gold:**

1) Six cubits (9 ft.) broad:

a) Six is the number of \_\_\_\_\_:

1- **Rev 13:18** – “Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred threescore and six.”

2- \_\_\_\_\_ was created on the \_\_\_\_\_ day.

b) Is this image an image of a man, specifically King Nebuchadnezzar?

1- Made of or at least overlaid with gold.

2- Babylon was the head of Gold in the image of Chapter 2.

c) Six is also the number that stands for the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_:

1- The \_\_\_\_\_ character mentioned in the Bible is the serpent, which represents Satan.

2- It was through Satan’s deceitfulness and man’s disobedience that \_\_\_\_\_ was \_\_\_\_\_ in the world. **What sin is King Nebuchadnezzar manifesting?**

2) Sixty cubits (90 ft.) high:

a) **Daniel 4:30** – “The king spake, and said, Is not this great Babylon, that I have built for the house of the kingdom by the might of my power, and for the honour of my majesty?”

b) Sixty is the number that stands for \_\_\_\_\_.

c) **Prov 16:18** – “\_\_\_\_\_ goeth before destruction, and an \_\_\_\_\_ spirit before a fall.” – This comes to pass in Chapter 4.

**b. Read v8-12: Evil repaying \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_:**

1) **Dan 2:24** – “Therefore Daniel went in unto Arioch, whom the king had ordained to destroy the wise men of Babylon: he went and said thus unto him; Destroy not the

wise men of Babylon: bring me in before the king, and I will shew unto the king the interpretation.”

- 2) **Rom 7:21** – “I find then a law, that, when I would do \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ is present with me.”

## 2. Their Demonstration of Faith (v13-23):

### a. Read v13-15, 18: It is without \_\_\_\_\_:

- 1) **Commandment #1: Exodus 20:3** – “Thou shalt have no other gods before me.”
- 2) **Commandment #2: Exodus 20:4-5** – “Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth: Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me;”
- 3) The golden calf + remember that they are in captivity because of idolatry.

### b. Read v16: It is without \_\_\_\_\_:

- 1) Burning to death, being eaten alive, and being crucified are the three worse ways that I can think of to die.
- 2) **John 19:9-11** – “And went again into the judgment hall, and saith unto Jesus, Whence art thou? But Jesus gave him no answer. Then saith Pilate unto him, Speakest thou not unto me? knowest thou not that I have power to crucify thee, and have power to release thee? Jesus answered, Thou couldest have no power at all against me, except it were given thee from above ...”

### c. Read v17-18: It is without \_\_\_\_\_:

- 1) They accepted \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ as equally possibilities.
- 2) They ask for no \_\_\_\_\_, nor do they expect one:
  - a) **Job 1:21** – “And said, Naked came I out of my mother's womb, and naked shall I return thither: the LORD gave, and the LORD hath taken away; blessed be the name of the LORD.”
  - b) **Job 13:15** – “Though he slay me, yet will I trust in him ...”
- 3) One way or the other, they understood that they were going to be \_\_\_\_\_ from the flames.

**d. Read v19-23: It is without \_\_\_\_\_:**

- 1) No \_\_\_\_\_ or screaming.
- 2) No \_\_\_\_\_ for mercy.
- 3) No \_\_\_\_\_ of heart.

**e. Read v19, 22: It demonstrates the \_\_\_\_\_ of 1 Cor 1:25 – “Because the foolishness of God is \_\_\_\_\_ than men; and the weakness of God is \_\_\_\_\_ than men.”**

- 1) To punish with fire you turn \_\_\_\_\_ not \_\_\_\_\_ the heat.
- 2) Seven is the number for spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_:
  - a) Even during the worse times of our lives, God is still in \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b) King Nebuchadnezzar is about to witness the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of God’s \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3) The mighty men were \_\_\_\_\_.

**3. The Results of Faith (v24-30):**

**a. Read v24-25: It Brings \_\_\_\_\_.**

**b. Read v26: It Brings \_\_\_\_\_.**

**c. Read v27: It Unlocks the \_\_\_\_\_ of God.**

**d. Read v28-29: It Brings \_\_\_\_\_ to God.**

**e. Read v30: It Brings \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.**