

(The Kingdom of Kingdoms) Daniel 2:36-49

Main Idea

God orders the plan of the ages

Ice Breaker: Choose one from the following two questions to open up your discussion

- 1.Tell a time of when you made a sandcastle (Did it work? Who or what destroyed it?).
- 2. Tell a time when you were told a secret (Did you actually keep it a secret or did you tell others?)

Discussion Questions

- 1. How does Daniel put King Nebuchadnezzar in his place?
- 2. 30 times the word "interpret" is mentioned between chapters 2-7. This being said, why is it so important to interpret God's mysteries, His Word?
- 3. Which do you feel like these days; iron or clan and please explain why?
- 4. How does the promised kingdom encourage you with everything that is taking place in the world?
- 5. King Nebuchadnezzar fell prostate before Daniel once the dream (mystery) was revealed to him.
 - Just like King Nebuchadnezzar, has there been anything revealed to you lately that you need to prostrate yourself or repent before God?
- 6. Daniel recognized that God had placed him in a prestige leadership position but he didn't take the "spotlight". Instead, Daniel recognized that it was a "team effort" and told the king to place his friends in a position of leadership as well (V. 49). This week how may you stay humble & look out for others?

Application

1. Faith and action go hand in hand

Daniel believed that God would reveal the mystery to him (faith) and once God spoke, Daniel put his faith in action by telling the king (V. 23-25).

Bottom Line

Keep in mind that you are not here for you