# Questions about the Book of Daniel

Daniel is the twenty-seventh book of the bible. Daniel, whose name means, "God is my judge," was taken in his youth to Babylon in the first deportation under Nebuchadnezzar. Daniel is one of the most readable books in the Bible. The stories are vivid and exciting, and the visions that Daniel had are most significant in the later chapters. The book of Daniel can be divided into eight parts: 1) Daniel's early life in the Babylonian court, 2) Nebuchadnezzar's vision of the image, 3) The deliverance of the three Hebrew youths from the fiery furnace, 4) The vision and humbling of Nebuchadnezzar, 5) Daniel's experiences under Belshazzar and Darius, 6) Daniel's vision of the four beasts, 7) The prophecy of the defeat of the Persians by the Greeks, and the desecration of the Temple, 8) Daniel's prayer and the prophecy of the Seventy Weeks. The author of this book is Daniel. Listed below are questions on the book of Daniel. These questions can be used for Sunday school or bible study to help all young converts study the scriptures and may God bless you always.

# **Daniel Chapter 1**

- 1) Who was the King of Babylon during the third year of the reign of Jehoiakim? (1:1)
- 2) Who gave the King of Judah into the hand of Nebuchadnezzar the King of Babylon? (1:2)
- 3) Who was the master of the Kings eunuchs and what did he do for the King? (1:3)
- 4) What kind of young children was he looking for in this verse four of the book of Daniel? (1:4)
- 5) Who were the three young children that the King Nebuchadnezzar took from Judah? (1:6)
- 6) What new names were given to the three young children from Judah by the prince of the eunuchs? (1:7)
- 7) Why did Daniel purposes in his heart not to eat any portion of the King's food or drink the wine? (1:8)
- 8) What was the name of the eunuchs that was placed in charge of the three young children? (1:11)
- 9) What test did Daniel ask the prince of the eunuchs to let them perform for ten days? (1:12)
- 10) What was the difference between the three young children at the end of the ten days? (1:15)
- 11) What did God give the four young children in this verse seventeen of the book of Daniel? (1:17)
- 12) What did God give Daniel in this verse? (1:17)
- 13) How much better did King Nebuchadnezzar find that they had a more wisdom than all of the magicians and the astrologers in his realm? (1:20)

#### **Daniel Chapter 2**

- 1) What happened to King Nebuchadnezzar in his second year of his? (2:1)
- 2) When the King could not sleep and was troubled in spirit, what did he command the magicians, the astrologers, the sorcerers, and the Chaldeans to show him? (2:2-3)
- 3) What did the King tell the Chaldeans that he would do to them if they could not tell him the dream or tell him the interpretation of the dream? (2:5)
- 4) What did the King say to the Chaldeans that they would receive from him, if they could show him the dream and its interpretation? (2:6)
- 5) What was the decree that King Nebuchadnezzar made for all the wise men? (2:13)
- 6) What was the name of the captain of the King's guard, who was to go forth and slay all of the wise men of Babylon? (2:14)
- 7) When the secret of the dream was revealed to Daniel in a night vision, how did he answer his God in Heaven? (2:19-23)
- 8) What astonishing proof did Daniel give the King that God had endowed him with divine knowledge? (2:28-30)
- 9) What was the dream of the King? (2:31-35)
- 10) How did Daniel interpret this dream of King Nebuchadnezzar for him? (2:36-43)
- 11) What power was to be greater than all of these Kingdoms? (2:44)
- 12) What effect did this wonderful interpretation have on the King Nebuchadnezzar? (2:46-47)
- 13) What position was Daniel promoted to by the King? (2:48)

#### **Daniel Chapter 3**

- 1) What did King Nebuchadnezzar make and set up in the plain of Dura, in the province of Babylon for the people to worship? (3:1)
- 2) What was this image made of and big was it? (3:1)
- 3) When the herald cried aloud to all the people and they heard the sound of all kinds of music, what were they to do? (3:5-7)
- 4) What would happen to anyone that did not fall down and worship the golden image? (3:11)
- 5) How did Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego answer the King? (3:17-18)
- 6) How was the faith of the three friends of Daniel tried? (3:20-23)

- 7) When Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego were bounded and cast into the midst of the burning fiery furnace were they hurt? (3:25)
- 8) Who was the fourth person that King Nebuchadnezzar saw walking in the midst of the fire? (3:25)
- 9) What did King Nebuchadnezzar say to Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, when he recognized that their God had delivered them out of the mouth of the burning fiery fire? (3:26)
- 10) What was the decree or punishment that the King made concerning the three young Hebrew men? (3:29)

## **Daniel Chapter 4**

- 1) What was the King's proclamation to all the people and nations that dwell in the earth? (4:1-3)
- 2) When the King saw a dream that made him afraid, who was the only one that could interpret the dream? (4:7-9)
- 3) What dream did God send the King to warn him in these verses of the book of Daniel? (4:10-13)
- 4) Describe the dream that King Nebuchadnezzar had in these verses that made him afraid? (4:14-17)
- 5) What did King Nebuchadnezzar say to Belteshazzar in verse eighteen of the book of Daniel? (4:18)
- 6) Did Daniel interpret the vision of King Nebuchadnezzar? (4:19-24)
- 7) What was to happen to King Nebuchadnezzar in verse 25 of the book of Daniel? (4:25)
- 8) How long was the King to dwell like a beast in the field and eat grass like oxen? (4:25)
- 9) What was the final result of the King's vision in verses thirty-two and thirty-three? (4:32-33)
- 10) Who did King Nebuchadnezzar give praise and honor to at the end of his days? (4:37)

## **Daniel Chapter 5**

- 1) Who was the king at the great feast when a thousand lords were drinking wine from the golden and silver vessels? (5:1)
- 2) How did the King Belshazzar defile the vessels of the house of God? (5:3-4)
- 3) Was King Belshazzar scare when the fingers of a man's hand wrote on the wall? (5:6)
- 4) What did the King promise to the wise men of Babylon that whosoever could read this writing and show him its interpretation? (5:7)
- 5) When all the King's wise men came could they read the writing and interpret it for him? (5:8)
- 6) Who spoke to the King and said for him not to be troubled that there was a man in his kingdom that could interpret the writing? (5:10)
- 7) Who was the one that the King Belshazzar called to show him the interpretation of the writing on the wall? (5:12-13)
- 8) What did the King promise Daniel, if he could read the writing and tell him the interpretation of it? (5:16)
- 9) What did Daniel say to the King Belshazzar about the gifts and rewards that he offered to him? (5:17)
- 10) What was the interpretation of the writing on the wall in these verses of the book of Daniel? (5:26-28)
- 11) When the King made a proclamation concerning Daniel, that he should be the third ruler in his kingdom, what happened to the King? (5:30)
- 12) Who took control of the kingdom after the death of Belshazzar and how old was he at this time? (5:31)

## **Daniel Chapter 6**

- 1) Why did the King prefer Daniel about all of the presidents and the princes? (6:3)
- 2) Did the presidents and all of the princes find any occasion or fault in Daniel? (6:4)
- 3) What kind of trap did all of the presidents and princes lay for Daniel? (6:7-8)
- 4) What did Daniel do in his house three times a day? (6:10)
- 5) What was the decree for that King Darius signed in writing and the punishment? (6:12)
- 6) Why could not the King alter this decree that he sighed? (6:15)
- 7) Who commanded that Daniel be brought and cast into the lions den? (6:16)
- 8) What was brought and laid upon the mouth of the den and what did the King sealed it with? (6:17)
- 9) When the King came to den and cried with a lamentable voice to Daniel, what did the King ask him? (6:20)
- 10) What was Daniel's reply to the King? (6:21-22)
- 11) What did the King do to all of the men and their families that accused Daniel? (6:24)
- 12) What was the decree that King Darius made to all the people in his kingdom? (6:26)

## **Daniel Chapter 7**

- 1) What did Daniel have in the first year of Belshazzar, the King of Babylon? (7:1)
- 2) When Daniel spoke about his vision, how did he describe this dream in verses two and three? (7:2-3)
- 3) How did Daniel describe the first world empire of Babylon? (7:4), (2:37-38)
- 4) How did Daniel describe the second world empire of Medo-Persia? (7:5), (2:39), (8:20)
- 5) How did Daniel describe the third world empire of Greece? (7:6), (2:39), (8:21-22), (11:2-4)

- 6) How did Daniel describe the fourth world empire of Rome? (7:7), (2:40-43), (7:23-24), (9:26)
- 7) What did Daniel tell about Rome, the final form of the fourth world empire, and the ten kings and the little horn? (7:8)
- 8) How did Daniel describe the coming of the Son of man Jesus Christ? (7:9-14), (Matthew 24:27-30), (Matthew 25:31-34), (Revelation 19:11-21)
- 9) When Daniel was grieved by his spirit about the visions in his head, how was the interpretation made know to him? (7:17-23)
- 10) What did Daniel say about the blasphemous leader Satan, and what will happen to the kingdom and his dominion? (7:24-27)

# **Daniel Chapter 8**

- 1) Where was Daniel when the vision appeared to him in verse two of the book of Daniel? (8:2)
- 2) How did Daniel describe the vision that he saw by the river of Ulai? (8:3-8)
- 3) When Daniel saw the he-goat come close to the ram, what happened to the ram? (8:7)
- 4) How long were the vision of the daily sacrifice and the transgression of desolation, to give both the sanctuary and the host to be trampled under foot? (8:14)
- 5) Who was the Angel that explained the interpretation of Daniels vision in verse sixteen? (8:16)
- 6) What did the Angel say to Daniel concerning his vision in these two verses? (8:17-19)
- 7) What was the identity of the ram that Daniel saw with two horns? (8:20)
- 8) Who is the he-goat in this verse twenty-one, who is the one between his eyes? (8:21)
- 9) What will the King of fierce countenance do in these verses of the book of Daniel? (8:23-25)
- 10) What was Daniel to do about this vision in verse twenty-six of the book of Daniel? (8:26)

# **Daniel Chapter 9**

- 1) Who was the other prophet in verse two of the book of Daniel? (9:2)
- 2) Who was the King that was over the realm of the Chaldeans? (9:1)
- 3) What was Daniels confession and prayer to the Lord in theses verses in the book of Daniel? (9:4-19)
- 4) What happened to Daniel, when he was speaking in prayer to his God? (9:21)
- 5) How was the seventy weeks of Daniels vision explained to him in these verses? (9:24-27)

# **Daniel Chapter 10**

- 1) Who was the King of Persia in verse one of the book of Daniel? (10:1)
- 2) How long was Daniel mourning in verse two of the book of Daniel? (10:2)
- 3) When Daniel lifted up his eyes and looked he saw a certain man, how did he describe him? (10:5-6)
- 4) When Daniel saw the vision in this verse what happened to the men that were with him? (10:7)
- 5) Describe what kind of state that Daniel was in these two verses of the book of Daniel? (10:8-9)
- 6) What did the Angel say to Daniel in these verses of the book of Daniel? (10:11-14)

#### **Daniel Chapter 11**

- 1) When the three Kings of Perisa stand up what will the fourth King have? (11:2)
- 2) When the mighty King stand up to rule with great dominion and do his will, what will happen to his kingdom? (11:4)
- 3) What will happen to the King's daughter, after the agreement was made with the King of the north? (11:6-10)
- 4) What will happen to the arms of the South in verse fifteen of the book of Daniel? (11:15)
- 5) Who is the Northern King that Daniel is referring to? (11:35)
- 6) How will the vile person appear and how will he obtain his kingdom in verse twenty-one? (11:21)
- 7) What is in the hearts of both of these Kings and what will they speak of at the table in this verse? (11:27)
- 8) When the King returns and pollutes the sanctuary of the temple, what does he take away? (11:31)
- 9) Who is the willful King that exalts himself and magnifies himself above every god, and what else does he speak of in this verse? (11:36)
- 10) What will the god of his forces and the god of his fathers are honored with in this verse? (11:38)

#### **Daniel Chapter 12**

- 1) How is the great tribulation described in verse one of the book of Daniel? (12:1)
- 2) What will happen to those who are a sleep in the dust of the earth at the resurrection? (12:2-3)
- 3) What happened when Daniel was told to shut up the words, and seal the book in this verse? (12:4)
- 4) Who were the two others that stood on each side of the river in verse five of this book of Daniel? (12:5)
- 5) Who ask the question, how long shall it be to the end of these wonders? (12:6)
- 6) Who ask the Lord, what shall be the end of these things in verse eight 0f the book Daniel? (12:8)
- 7) What did the Lord tell Daniel about the end of time in these verses of the book of Daniel? (12:9-13)

## **QUESTION**

## Chapter 1

- Where did Nebuchadnezzar put the vessels which he had taken from the house of God in Jerusalem? (1-2)
- 2. What were the qualifications of those chosen to be taught the learning and the tongue of the Chaldeans? (4)
- 3. What names were given to Daniel, Hananiah, Mishael, and Azariah? (6-7)
- 4. What did Daniel purpose in his heart that he would not do? (8)
- 5. How did those who ate vegetables appear after ten days of eating vegetables? (15)
- 6. What did God give the four who ate the vegetables? (17)
- 7. When the king inquired of them regarding wisdom and understanding, how much better were they than the magicians and astrologers? (20)

# Chapter 2

- 1. What did Nebuchadnezzar remember about his dream? (5)
- 2. What was the king going to do to all the magicians and astrologers because they could not make known the meaning of the dream? (5,12)
- 3. What did Daniel and his friends do? (13-18)
- 4. What did God do for Daniel? (19)
- 5. Of what was the image in the dream made? (32-33)
- 6. What did the stone that was cut without hands do? (34-35)
- 7. Who was the head of gold? (38)
- 8. What did the other parts of the body represent? (39-43)
- 9. What did the king acknowledge? (47)
- 10. To what position did the king promote Daniel? (48)
- 11. What did Daniel request? (49)

## **Chapter 3**

- 1. What would happen to those who refused to bow down to Nebuchadnezzar's image? (6)
- 2. Who refused to worship the image? (12)
- 3. How hot was the furnace heated? (19)
- 4. What happened to those who threw the three Hebrew children into the furnace? (22)
- 5. What did Nebuchadnezzar see when he looked into the furnace? (24-25)
- 6. What didn't the fire do to the three Hebrew children? (27)
- 7. What decree did Nebuchadnezzar make? (29)
- 8. What did the king do for the three Hebrew children? (30)

#### **Chapter 4**

- 1. What was Daniel's reaction when he heard the dream which Nebuchadnezzar had? (19)
- 2. Who was the tree that grew and was strong? (20-22)
- 3. How long would Nebuchadnezzar dwell with the beasts and eat grass? (23)
- 4. What would Nebuchadnezzar learn from this experience? (23, 37)

# **Chapter 5**

- 1. What vessels did Belshazzar use to drink wine? (2-4)
- 2. What appeared on the wall of the king's palace? (5)
- 3. What did Belshazzar know? (18-22)
- 4. What was the interpretation of the writing on the wall? (25-28)
- 5. To what position was Daniel promoted? (29)
- 6. What happened to Belshazzar? (30)
- 7. Who took the kingdom? (31)

# <u>ANSW</u>ER

#### **Chapter 1**

- 1. Into the treasure house of his god in he land of Shinar
- Children in whom was no blemish, but well favored, and skillful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as had ability in them to stand in the king's palace
- 3. To Daniel the name of Belteshazzar; to Hananiah, Shadrach, to Mishael, Meshach, and to Azariah, Abednego
- He would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank
- 5. Their countenances appeared fairer and fatter in flesh than all the children which did eat the portion of the king's meat
- Knowledge and skill in all learning and wisdom: and Daniel had understanding in all visions and dreams
- Ten times better

## Chapter 2

- 1. Nothing
- 2. Cut them in pieces, and make their houses a dunghill
- Daniel went in, and desired of the king that he would give him time, and that he would show the king the interpretation. Then Daniel made the thing known to Hananiah, Mishael, and Azariah, that they would desire mercies of the God of heaven concerning this secret
- 4. Revealed to Daniel the secret in a night vision
- The head was of fine gold, his breast and his arms of silver, his belly and his thighs of brass, his legs of iron, his feet part of iron and part of clay
- 6. Smote the image on his feet that were of iron and clay, and broke them to pieces and became a great mountain
- 7. Nebuchadnezzar
- 8. Other kingdoms which would follow
- That Daniel's God is a God of gods, and a Lord of kings, and a revealer of secrets
- Ruler over the whole province of Babylon, and chief of the governors over all the wise men of Babylon
- That Nebuchadnezzar set Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, over the affairs of the province of Babylon

## **Chapter 3**

- 1. Cast into the middle of a burning fiery furnace
- 2. Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego
- 3. Seven times more than it was accustomed to be heated
- 4. The flames of the fire slew those men
- 5. Four men loose, walking in the middle of the fire, and the form of the fourth was like the Son of God
- 6. It did not singe the hairs of their head, neither were their coats changed, nor the smell of fire had passed on them
- That every people, nation, and language, which speak any thing amiss against the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, shall be cut in pieces, and their houses shall be made a dunghill
- 8. Promoted them

## Chapter 4

- Astonished for one hour
- 2. Nebuchadnezzar
- Seven years
- 4. That those who walk in pride God is able to abase.

## Chapter 5

- The golden and silver vessels which his father Nebuchadnezzar had taken out of the temple in Jerusalem
- 2. A man's hand writing
- 3. All about how his father, Nebuchadnezzar, was deposed from his throne and was made like the beasts and ate grass
- God numbered Belshazzar's kingdom, and finished it. He was weighed in the balances, and are found wanting. His kingdom was divided, and given to the Medes and Persians
- 5. Third ruler in the kingdom
- 6. That night he was slain
- 7. Darius the Median

## Chapter 6

- 1. To what position did Darius promote Daniel? (1-3)
- 2. What were the other presidents and princes not able to find in Daniel? (4-5)
- 3. What decree did the other presidents and princes get Darius to sign? (6-9)
- 4. What did Daniel do after the decree was signed? (10)
- 5. What did the king reluctantly do? (14-16)
- 6. What did the king believe? (16)
- 7. What did the king do that night? (18)
- 8. What did the king find the next morning? (19-23)
- 9. What did the king do to those who accused Daniel? (24)
- 10. What was the next decree that King Darius wrote? (25-27)
- 11. In what reigns did Daniel prosper? (28)

## Chapter 7

- 1. What was the appearance of the first beast? (4)
- 2. What was the appearance of the second beast? (5)
- 3. What was the appearance of the third beast? (6)
- 4. What was the appearance of the fourth beast? (7)
- 5. What was the appearance of the Ancient of days? (9)
- 6. What were the four beasts? (17)
- 7. What were the ten horns of the fourth beast? (24)
- 8. Whose kingdom is an everlasting kingdom? (27)

# **Chapter 8**

- 1. What did the ram with two horns represent? (3-4, 20)
- 2. What did the he goat represent? (5-8, 21)
- 3. What did the great horn between the eyes of the goat represent? (5, 21)
- 4. What came up after the great horn was broken and what do these represent? (8-10, 22)
- 5. How long shall the sanctuary be trodden under foot? (13-14)
- 6. Who will stand before the Prince of princes and be broken? (23-25)

#### Chapter 9

- 1. What did Daniel understand? (2)
- 2. For whom did Daniel confess? (4-16)
- 3. Who touched Daniel while he was praying? (21)
- 4. How many weeks were determined on God's people? (24)
- How many weeks would there be from the going forth of the commandment to restore and to build Jerusalem to the Messiah the Prince? (25)
- 6. When was Jerusalem destroyed again? (26)
- 7. When will the sacrifice cease? (27)

#### Chapter 10

- 1. How long was Daniel mourning and eating no flesh? (2-3)
- 2. When did the man clothed in linen hear? (12)
- 3. Why didn't he respond sooner? (13)
- 4. Who would come after the prince of Persia? (20)

#### Chapter 11

- 1. How many kings would there be in Persia? (1-2)
- 2. Who will be strong and do great exploits? (32)
- 3. Who will exalt himself and magnify himself above every god? (36)

## Chapter 12

- 1. Who would stand up for Daniel's people during the time of trouble? (1)
- 2. Who will shine as the stars? (3)
- 3. Until when was the book to be sealed? (4,9)
- 4. How long shall it be from the time that the daily sacrifice shall be taken away, and the abomination that makes desolate is set up (11)?

#### Chapter 6

- 1. First president over the 120 princes
- 2. Any fault
- 3. Whoever shall ask a petition of any God or man for thirty days, save of King Darius, shall be cast into the den of lions
- 4. Prayed three times a day as he did before
- 5. Had Daniel cast into the den of lions
- 6. That God would deliver Daniel
- 7. Fasted
- 8. That Daniel was not hurt by the lions
- 9. Cast them and their families into the den of lions
- 10. That in every dominion of the kingdom of Darius men tremble and fear before the God of Daniel
- 11. In the reign of Darius, and in the reign of Cyrus the Persian

## Chapter 7

- 1. A lion with eagle's wings
- 2. A bear with three ribs in its mouth
- 3. A four headed leopard with four wings of a fowl on its back
- 4. Dreadful, terrible, and exceedingly strong; and it had great iron teeth and ten horns
- His garment was white as snow, and the hair of his head like the pure wool
- 6. Four kings, which shall arise out of the earth
- 7. Ten kings that shall arise
- 8. The most High

#### Chapter 8

- 1. The kings of Media and Persia
- 2. The king of Grecia
- 3. The first king of Grecia
- 4. Four horns that came up which represented four kingdoms that shall stand up out of the nation
- 5. 2300 days
- 6. A king of fierce countenance, and understanding dark sentences,

#### Chapter 9

- The number of the years, whereof the word of the LORD came to Jeremiah the prophet, that he would accomplish seventy years in the desolations of Jerusalem
- Judah, the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and all Israel, including those in all the countries where God had driven them
- 3. Gabriel
- 4. Seventy weeks
- 5. Sixty-nine weeks
- 6. After the Messiah was cut off
- 7. In the midst of the seventieth week

## Chapter 10

- 1. Three full weeks
- 2. From the first day that Daniel set his heart to understand, and to chasten himself before God
- The prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood the man clothed in linen one and twenty days
- 4. The prince of Grecia

# Chapter 11

- 1. Four
- 2. The people that do know their God
- 3. The king who shall speak marvelous things against the God of gods (The Anti-Christ?)

## Chapter 12

- 1. Michael
- 2. They that be wise and they that turn many to righteousness
- 3. The time of the end
- 4. 1290 days