

Bible Study

Daniel 5

1. Read the chapter and write down any questions or thoughts that come to you as you read.
2. Why do you think that Belshazzar drinks the wine and then decides that it should be drunken from the vessels of gold and silver that were taken from the temple in Jerusalem? And is this significant? Verse 1-4.
3. To whom do all these revelers drink? Verses 1-4.
4. Why do you think that the king was so alarmed? Verses 5-9.
5. Can you think of any other time in the Bible where God has written something?
6. When no one can tell the king what the writing means, who comes to suggest that he send for Daniel? Verse 10.

7. What does the queen and king Belshazzar recognize about Daniel? Verses 10-16.

8. What does Daniel's answer to the king's offer of wealth and position tell you? Verse 17 .

9. Why do you think Daniel goes into detail about king Nebuchadnezzar's life and reign? Verses 17-21.

10. What does Daniel say of king Belshazzar in verses 22-23?

11. What is the interpretation of God's message to king Belshazzar? Verses 24-28.

12. What do you learn from the incident in this chapter?