



ESCHATOLOGY SERIES



DANIEL

TALE OF FOUR KINGS

ARE YOU READY FOR AN ADVENTURE?

PROPHECY
PROOF
PROVISION

When the Tribulation concludes, Jesus will take His Bride/Church and establish His earthly Kingdom, which will last one thousand years – The Great White Throne of Judgment. The return of Christ to earth between the Tribulation and the reign of Jesus is called the Second Coming.





OPENING COMMENTS

DANIEL IN THE LION'S DEN REPLICATES JESUS IN THE TOMB

ESCHATOLOGY



TIMING OF THE RAPTURE

"THOSE WHO ENDURE TO THE END, THOSE SHALL BE SAVED"



No human or angel knows the timestamp of the Rapture. However, in Matthew 24 Jesus gives us warning signs of the Second Coming.

While the Father alone knows the time, we know His return is approaching as we see the six signs He mentions in Matthew 24. These signs will unfold shortly before, and during, the Tribulation. We see each of them manifesting in our culture & church today.



ESCHATOLOGY SERIES



DANIEL

TALE OF FOUR KINGS

ARE YOU READY FOR AN ADVENTURE?

»»16 DANIEL IN THE LION'S DEN



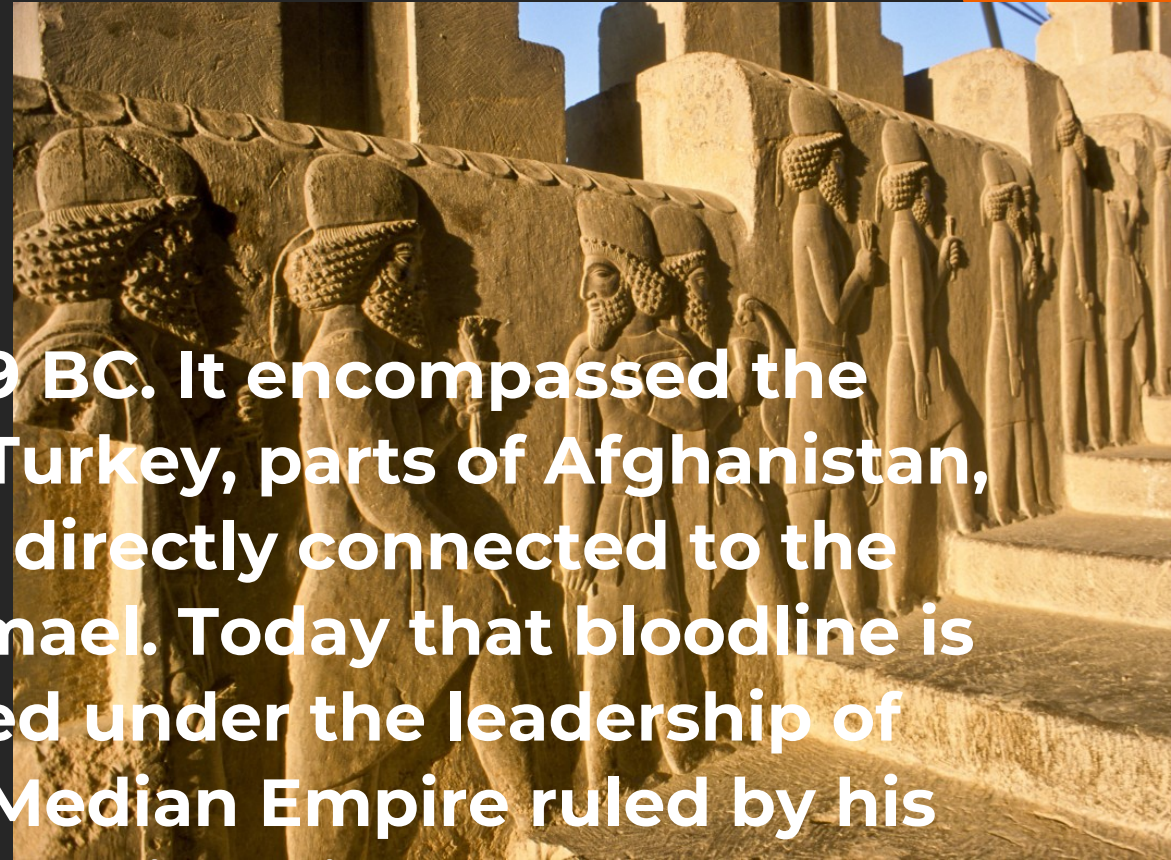
REVIEWING OUR SCRIPTURES

STUDY CHAPTER SIX
KEY VERSES
6:14-16

"Then, as soon as the king heard this statement, he was deeply distressed and set his mind on delivering Daniel; and even until sunset he kept exerting himself to rescue him. Then these men came by agreement to the king and said to the king, 'Recognize, O king, that it is a law of the Medes and Persians that no injunction or statute which the king establishes may be changed.' Then the king gave orders, and Daniel was brought in and cast into the lions' den. The king spoke and said to Daniel, 'Your God whom you constantly serve will Himself deliver you.'"

THE PERSIAN EMPIRE

The empire was established in 559 BC. It encompassed the areas of modern-day Iran, Egypt, Turkey, parts of Afghanistan, and Pakistan. Their bloodline was directly connected to the illegitimate son of Abraham – Ishmael. Today that bloodline is called Islamic. The empire emerged under the leadership of Cyrus II, who also conquered the Median Empire ruled by his grandfather. Cyrus was known as a “kind king.” However, history notes that he was ruthless in battle until his captors were secured – then he offered kindness.





ESCHATOLOGY SERIES



PERSIAN JEALOUSY

The commissioners met with the princes to find a way to block this possible promotion. They found no accusation against Daniel. However, there was a problem. Daniel was as faithful to the king as he was to his God. One of the commissioners came up with the idea that each thought would certainly bring death to Daniel. They manipulated the king to sign a law that anyone who petitioned a god or man outside of the king for thirty days would be cast into the lion's den. The king signed the injunction by these deceivers stroking the king's pride without counting the cost.

DANIEL | THE TALE OF FOUR KINGS

DANIEL'S LOYALTY TO GOD WAS TESTED

When Daniel heard the injunction was signed, as the commissioners predicted, Daniel went to his home and began praying to the God of the Hebrews. Within moments, the commissioners stormed into the room with guards and pronounced Daniel had broken the law of the king.



DARIUS'S RESPECT FOR DANIEL'S GOD

This single statement provided Biblical proof that the relationship between Daniel and Darius was one of respect and friendship. It also reveals that the king had faith in Daniel's God to whatever degree.

Your God whom you constantly serve will Himself deliver you.



DANIEL | THE TALE OF FOUR KINGS

IN CONCLUSION

Just when you thought that things couldn't get any worse for Daniel, the unbelievable happened. The betrayal the king and Daniel experienced was like no other. Can you imagine your top two advisors turning on their king? Not only that, to manipulate events to kill the king's closest companion.



COMING UP NEXT

#17 DANIEL RESURRECTS FROM THE DEN

DANIEL | THE TALE OF FOUR KINGS

Daniel was honored by God to be the Old Testament figure to demonstrate the coming tomb experience of Jesus Christ. As in the case of Jesus, when the stone was rolled away from the entrance to the lions' den, the king witnessed something beyond human expectations.



THANK YOU FOR JOINING US

IM ESCHATOLOGY SERIES

END TIMES



The Book Of DANIEL

IOMAMERICA.NET

