

Daniel Chapter 10

1. When and where did Daniel receive this vision from God? (v.1-4)

B_____ (Daniel) understood this new W_____ in the vision when C_____, king of Persia had reigned for ____ years. Daniel was M_____ for ____ weeks as he prayed. On day number ____ of the first month, he was standing next to the great T_____ river.

2. Who spoke the words to Daniel in this dream? (v.5-6)

A man wearing L_____ clothes with a G_____ belt. His F_____ was like lightning, his E_____ like bright T_____, his arms and L_____ were like the shining polished B_____, his words sounded like many people talking.

3. How did the appearance of this man change Daniel? (v.7-9)

Daniel's normal bright appearance changed! He became very weak - no S_____. He fell on his face to the ground in a deep S_____.

4. What did this man tell Daniel to do? (v.10-12)

After his H_____ touched Daniel, he told him "You are greatly L_____." Don't be afraid. S_____ up so you can understand the words I tell you. It was your W_____ (prayers) to God that caused me to C_____ to you.

5. Why was this man delayed in coming to Daniel? (v.13-14)

For ____ days the P_____ of the Perian kingdom kept this man busy. Finally M_____, another C_____ prince, came to H_____ him. Now Daniel can learn about this vision that will H_____ to his people in the L_____ days.

6. What happened to Daniel next? (v.15-17)

Daniel turned his F_____ down to the ground and became M_____. When someone T_____ his lips, Daniel spoke about the great P_____ and weakness he felt. He had no B_____ left in him.

7. How did Daniel improve when he was encouraged? (v.18-19)

A man T_____ him and told him how much he was loved. "Fear not, P_____ be with you; be strong and of good C_____." Now Daniel was ready to listen to the vision.

8. Where did this man say he had to go? (v.20-21)

He had to go back to F_____ against the prince of P_____. The prince of G_____ will come. But the messenger will be back to T_____ Daniel what is written in the B_____ of T_____. Michael is the only other person to C_____ with him in this fight.

Daniel 10 *English Standard Version*

Daniel's Terrifying Vision of a Man

¹ In the third year of Cyrus king of Persia a word was revealed to Daniel, who was named Belteshazzar. And the word was true, and it was a great conflict. And he understood the word and had understanding of the vision.

² In those days I, Daniel, was mourning for three weeks. ³ I ate no delicacies, no meat or wine entered my mouth, nor did I anoint myself at all, for the full three weeks. ⁴ On the twenty-fourth day of the first month, as I was standing on the bank of the great river (that is, the Tigris) ⁵ I lifted up my eyes and looked, and behold, a man clothed in linen, with a belt of fine gold from Uphaz around his waist. ⁶ His body was like beryl, his face like the appearance of lightning, his eyes like flaming torches, his arms and legs like the gleam of burnished bronze, and the sound of his words like the sound of a multitude. ⁷ And I, Daniel, alone saw the vision, for the men who were with me did not see the vision, but a great trembling fell upon them, and they fled to hide themselves. ⁸ So I was left alone and saw this great vision, and no strength was left in me. My radiant appearance was fearfully changed, and I retained no strength. ⁹ Then I heard the sound of his words, and as I heard the sound of his words, I fell on my face in deep sleep with my face to the ground.

¹⁰ And behold, a hand touched me and set me trembling on my hands and knees. ¹¹ And he said to me, "O Daniel, man greatly loved, understand the words that I speak to you, and stand upright, for now I have been sent to you." And when he had spoken this word to me, I stood up trembling. ¹² Then he said to me, "Fear not, Daniel, for from the first day that you set your heart to understand and humbled yourself before your God, your words have been heard, and I have come because of your words.

¹³ The prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me twenty-one days, but Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, for I was left there with the kings of Persia, ¹⁴ and came to make you understand what is to happen to your people in the latter days. For the vision is for days yet to come."

¹⁵ When he had spoken to me according to these words, I turned my face toward the ground and was mute. ¹⁶ And behold, one in the likeness of the children of man touched my lips. Then I opened my mouth and spoke. I said to him who stood before me, "O my lord, by reason of the vision pains have come upon me, and I retain no strength. ¹⁷ How can my lord's servant talk with my lord? For now no strength remains in me, and no breath is left in me."

¹⁸ Again one having the appearance of a man touched me and strengthened me. ¹⁹ And he said, "O man greatly loved, fear not, peace be with you; be strong and of good courage." And as he spoke to me, I was strengthened and said, "Let my lord speak, for you have strengthened me." ²⁰ Then he said, "Do you know why I have come to you? But now I will return to fight against the prince of Persia; and when I go out, behold, the prince of Greece will come. ²¹ But I will tell you what is inscribed in the book of truth: there is none who contends by my side against these except Michael, your prince.