



Week 6 Discussion Questions

Week of 5/28/23

Text: Daniel 6

This is the final week of our *Winsome Living* series! We hope you have a great summer, and we'll resume discussion questions when our fall series begins.

Icebreaker: What's your biggest takeaway from this series?

1. Read verses 1-5. What is it about Daniel that causes the other Babylonian officials to try to work against him?

Application: Daniel was clearly good at his job and “he was faithful” (v. 4). How do these kinds of traits contribute to a life that is winsome?

2. In verses 6-13, we learn that “Daniel knew that the document had been signed” yet he continued to pray “as he had done previously.” Why do you think Daniel is making this choice?

Application: Daniel is a man committed to prayer, even when it's illegal! What motivates your prayer life? What are barriers to your prayer life?

3. Read verses 14-24. How would you describe Daniel's actions in these verses?

Application: What situations have you faced—or are you currently facing—that have required you to trust in God to deliver you?

4. Read verses 25-28. What attributes of God is King Darius praising?

Application: Darius praised God because of Daniel's words that credited God and his actions that demonstrated his devotion to God. How do you think we can help point others to the work of God in our lives, their lives, and/or in our greater society?

5. The book of Daniel is ultimately about the faithfulness of God more than the faithfulness of Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach, or Abednego. What have you heard or seen in this series that helps build your confidence in the faithfulness of God?