NO OTHER GOD: Daniel 3

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- 1. WE DON'T BOW TO ANY IDOLS (vs. 1-15)
- 2. WE WORSHIP THE SOVEREIGN GOD (vs. 16-18)
- 3. WHO CAN RESCUE US FROM FIRE (vs. 19-29)

MEMORY VERSES: Daniel 3:17-18

READ AHEAD FOR NEXT WEEK: Daniel 4

## **DISCUSSION GUIDE**

- 1. Review Chapter 2. Where could Nebuchadnezzar have gotten the idea for this statue?
- 2. Who is ordered to bow down when the music plays?
- 3. What consequence is there for disobeying the order?
- 4. Based on the story thus far, what could the astrologer's motives be in pointing out Daniel's friend's disobedience?
- 5. How are the astrologers manipulating the king?
- 6. What biblical commands are Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego being faithful to?
- 7. Describe Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego's view of God's will/character?
- 8. Share of a time you were pressed into something similar, the consequences you faced and the resolution to the situation.
- 9. Who did it look like was with them in the fire according to Nebuchadnezzar?
- 10. Why is it significant that they came out unbound and unharmed?
- 11. What did Nebuchadnezzar's confession at the end say about his understanding of God?
- 12. What was the end result of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego's faithfulness?
- 13. How does this passage challenge or encourage you?