



DANIEL & THE LIONS

Daniel 6 (Salt & Light #4)

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1. God has called me to _____ in my culture!

"My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one. As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world."

John 17:15-18, NIV

- A. Our mission is to _____ the _____ for the name of God and good.

"You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt has become tasteless, how can it be made salty again? ... "You are the light of the world. ...nor does anyone light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on the lampstand, ... Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven."

Matthew 5:13-16, NIV

- B. The theme of Daniel's book is that God is _____ everywhere, all the time, over all nations and kingdoms of men, and his people are to make this _____ known.
- C. God's people belong in the _____ world activity, helping to create _____ laws and _____ societies.

"Therefore, O king, be pleased to accept my advice: Renounce your sins by doing what is right, and your wickedness by being kind to the oppressed. It may be that then your prosperity will continue." Daniel 4:27, NIV

2. _____ to God always comes first.

- A. When government tries to make me go against the law of God, I must _____.

"Then they called them in again and commanded them not to speak or teach at all in the name of Jesus. But Peter and John replied, Judge for yourselves whether it is right in God's sight to obey you rather than God." Acts 4:18-19, NIV

3. Godly cultural influence is only possible when _____ to heaven.

- A. In order to be immersed in culture and to influence it, and still resist evil, I need a key. _____ is the key.

"Be self-controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that your brothers throughout the world are undergoing the same kind of sufferings."

1 Peter 5:8, NIV

Conclusion: One final characteristic for Daniel: He was _____ -Type.