



How to Live for God's Glory

"Prepare Your Heart for Boldness"

Daniel 2:1-28

How do we live for God's glory in a world hostile to His Name? We begin to prepare our hearts to speak the Truth in a world of fear and doubt. Daniel shows us what it takes to be a man or woman of boldness in a world where the fears of man all too often drown out the voices of God's people. Take to heart today's advice to become a man or woman of boldness.

- **Remember God is already at** _____

- **Be ready to admit your** _____

- _____ **with your friends**

- **Be** _____ **in self and** _____
in the Lord

- **Be willing to speak** _____ **you know**
will not be _____.



The Growth Group

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Getting Started

1. Are you an introvert or extrovert? (Does the group agree with your claim?)
2. What is your favorite breakfast sandwich?

Digging Deeper

3. Nebuchadnezzar was infamous for dismembering his enemies. How would this have played on Daniel's heart?
4. Read Daniel 2:2. Chaldeans were so attached to astrology that to call someone a Chaldean was to assume they could interpret the stars. What characteristics would the world equate with the names "American" and "Christian"?
5. Read Daniel 2:20-23. What two attributes of God were most important to Daniel? Why?
6. Read Daniel 2:27-28 and Rom 5:7-8. How does God respond to our darkness and need?

Living It Out

7. What would you include in a prayer to highlight God's majesty and glory over the 21st century world?
8. What are some of the more common ways our society tries to silence the voices in the church today?
9. What excuses typically rise up in your heart to silence your voice and prevent you from speaking with boldness?