

Lesson Overview: Lesson based on Daniel 6:1-30	
<b>Key Concept:</b>	<b>Our Great God Does Miracles!</b>
<b>Take Away:</b>	<b>God is able to do miracles and save us from anything!</b>
<b>Key Point:</b>	<b>Put your hope in God.</b>
<b>Key Verse:</b>	Daniel 6:26-27.
<b>Reference Verses:</b>	Daniel 6:1-28.

Supplies List:	Print and Make Before Lesson:
Lesson, Talk Time, Activity Pages	Angel Standup from Lesson 3
Bible marked with verses used in lesson	Grown-up Daniel Standup
Soft fabric piece, folded (King Darius' bed)	King Darius Standup
Tri-fold presentation board (optional)	Two Princes Standup
Stamp and ink pad (optional)	Stickers 1: Daniel prays, sun, moon
Words, pics for bulletin board (optional)	Stickers 2: Daniel kneeling, llons
	Lion Masks for kids' skit (optional)
Also see crafts and activity supply lists	Daniel in the Lion's Den Craft
	My Little Pet Lion Paper Bag Craft
<p><b>Prep:</b> Make the craft samples, stickers and Standups. The Storyboard is optional. It gives you a fun, easy way to tell the bible story of Daniel in the Lions' Den. See Storyboard instructions for how to make Stickers and Storyboard. <b>Standup Bible Characters:</b> (See Craft Instructions). As you go through the skit, stand up the bible characters in front of the Storyboard when the skit indicates. <b>How to Use Standups:</b> Whichever character is talking, stand that character up in front of the Storyboard. Move them as indicated in the skit.</p>	

Daniel in the Den!	
<p>Narrator: (Show Daniel Standup) <b>We've been learning all about Daniel who had been taken to Babylon, along with his three friends Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego. This week the story is about Daniel. Daniel is all grown up now.</b></p> <p><b>Daniel was far away from home, in a new place, so he learned many new things. But he kept some things the same. He kept believing in God -- the one true God –</b> (Stick Bible on Daniel's hand). <b>The God of the Bible!</b> (Stick Bible on Daniel's hand, then take him away).</p> <p><b>Daniel also kept praying to God:</b> (Open window of Daniel's House). <b>Just like always, three times a day,</b> <b>Daniel knelt by his window, and there he prayed.</b></p> <p><b>Who would like to say the rhyme with me?</b> (Repeat rhyme, inviting children to say it with you this time. Close Daniel's window).</p>	
Narrator:	(Stand up King Darius) <b>King Darius was the new king of Babylon. King Darius picked three special princes to be in charge of all of his men.</b> (Daniel Standup, Princes Standup). <b>Daniel was one of the three princes who were in charge! Let's see what King Darius has to say about Daniel.</b>
King Darius:	(Stand Daniel in front of others) <b>Daniel is such a great worker! I'm thinking about putting him in charge of the other two Princes!</b>
Narrator:	<b>Why do you want to do that, King Darius?</b>
King Darius:	<b>Well, Daniel is very wise. He doesn't lie or cheat, and always treats people really well!</b>
Narrator:	<b>Well, that's great. But when the other Princes found out the king's plan to put Daniel in charge, they were jealous! So, they tried to get Daniel into trouble. They watched everything Daniel did, but they couldn't find anything that Daniel was doing wrong!</b> (Take Daniel away).

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