

DANIEL IN THE LIONS' DEN
(Daniel 6:1-28)

- I. The _____ of Darius the Mede (Dan. 6:1)
- A. Possibly a Median _____ of _____ named Gubaru
1. _____ transitional government
 2. Turned it over to _____ later
- B. Possibly a Median _____ for _____
1. Mother, Mandara, was _____ of Astyages, the _____ king of independent Media
 2. Father, Cambyses I, was _____ of _____
- II. The _____ of Daniel (Daniel 6:1-5)
- A. _____ and _____ by the king (6:1-3)
1. Established one hundred twenty _____ over provinces
 2. Appointed three _____ to oversee the governors
 3. Intended to make Daniel _____ of the _____
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- B. _____ by the governors (6:4-5)
1. _____ of his _____
 2. _____ of his _____
- III. The _____ against Daniel (Daniel 6:6-11)

A. Involved the other _____ and all the _____
(6:6-9)

1. Concocted a _____ to _____ Daniel
2. Flattered the king to proclaim himself “ _____-of-the-_____ ”
3. Laid their _____

B. Provoked _____ in Daniel (6:10-11)

1. Left his _____ open toward _____
2. _____ practice of thrice-daily _____
3. Easily _____ by the conspirators

IV. The _____ of Daniel’s Faithfulness (Daniel 6:12-28)

A. _____ for righteousness’ sake (6:12-17)

1. Initial _____ of the _____
2. Immediate _____ of the _____
3. Irrevocable _____ of the _____
4. _____ action of the king

B. _____ the king by his obedient example (6:18-20)

1. King passed a _____ night
2. King experienced a _____ morning

C. Enjoyed the _____ of _____ (6:21-24)

1. Lions’ mouths _____
2. Enemies _____
3. God _____

4. Daniel _____—the kingdoms of men will come and go, but God's _____ will _____