

# The Book Of Daniel

## Verse By Verse For Children – Lesson 4

Preaching The Grace Of God From The King James Bible Dispensationally Delivered  
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good rol e model  
for everyone.  
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Circle The Things You  
Think Daniel Would NOT  
do if he were here today.

1. tell a lie to get his way
2. get permission to go next door to play
3. tell the adult person you are with you are going to the bathroom in a public place.
4. wear certain clothes just to look cool
5. be mean to others so you can be accepted by some
6. dress nice as you can for church and public meetings
7. have a bad attitude towards the people who love you the most and have good attitudes towards people who do nothing for you but say they like you
8. always take care of other peoples things better than you do your own things
9. give money to the church to help get the gospel out
10. find and keep what is not yours

Before we begin today I want you to meet Mr. Bookworm.  Whenever you see Mr. BW look for the definition of some new or hard word in our story.

## **TO DEFILE OR NOT TO DEFILE THAT IS THE QUESTION**

P1 When we left off last time we found that Daniel had purposed in his heart not to defile  (defile: to make impure) himself with the Kings meat. Under the law of Moses he was allowed only certain kinds of meat to eat. The Babylonians ate meat that Daniel was not allowed to eat. If he ate the kings meat he would no longer be pure as far as the law of God was concerned.

P2 Dan 1:8 But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank: therefore he requested of the prince of the eunuchs  (eunuch: special male servant) that he might not defile himself.

P3 What does it mean to defile ourselves? Well the word means to make impure. If we make something impure we mix or add something to it to change it. For example if we take white and add brown to it the white is no longer pure white.

P4 In our life it is the same. Let us say that you have never told a lie. In that part of your life you would be pure but then one day you tell a lie and a drop of say black is added to your white.

P5 Or lets say "One day you were walking down the sidewalk and you see some other kids you know." As you get closer you can begin to hear what they are saying. What you hear them saying is not good. But you are tempted to join in because you want to be accepted by them.

P6 You now have a choice to make. Your choice is simple. You can do what is wrong and have the acceptance of people who do wrong or you can choose to stand for what is right. You can choose to be pure or impure.

P7 There is one very important thing you need to know. Once you start doing something that is wrong it gets easier and easier to do it. Before you know it you cannot stop doing wrong.

P8 Once you get into the habit of stealing, lying or being unthankful before long you will do it without even thinking about it. So we have to be very, very careful that we do not start down the path of wrong doing.

P9 But we also need to remember that we are never left to stand alone. God is always there to help those who will stand for doing right.

P10 Remember this verse: 1 Cor 10:13 There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it.

P11 Will you dare to be a Daniel? Will you dare to stand alone? Will you dare to have a purpose firm and dare to make it known?

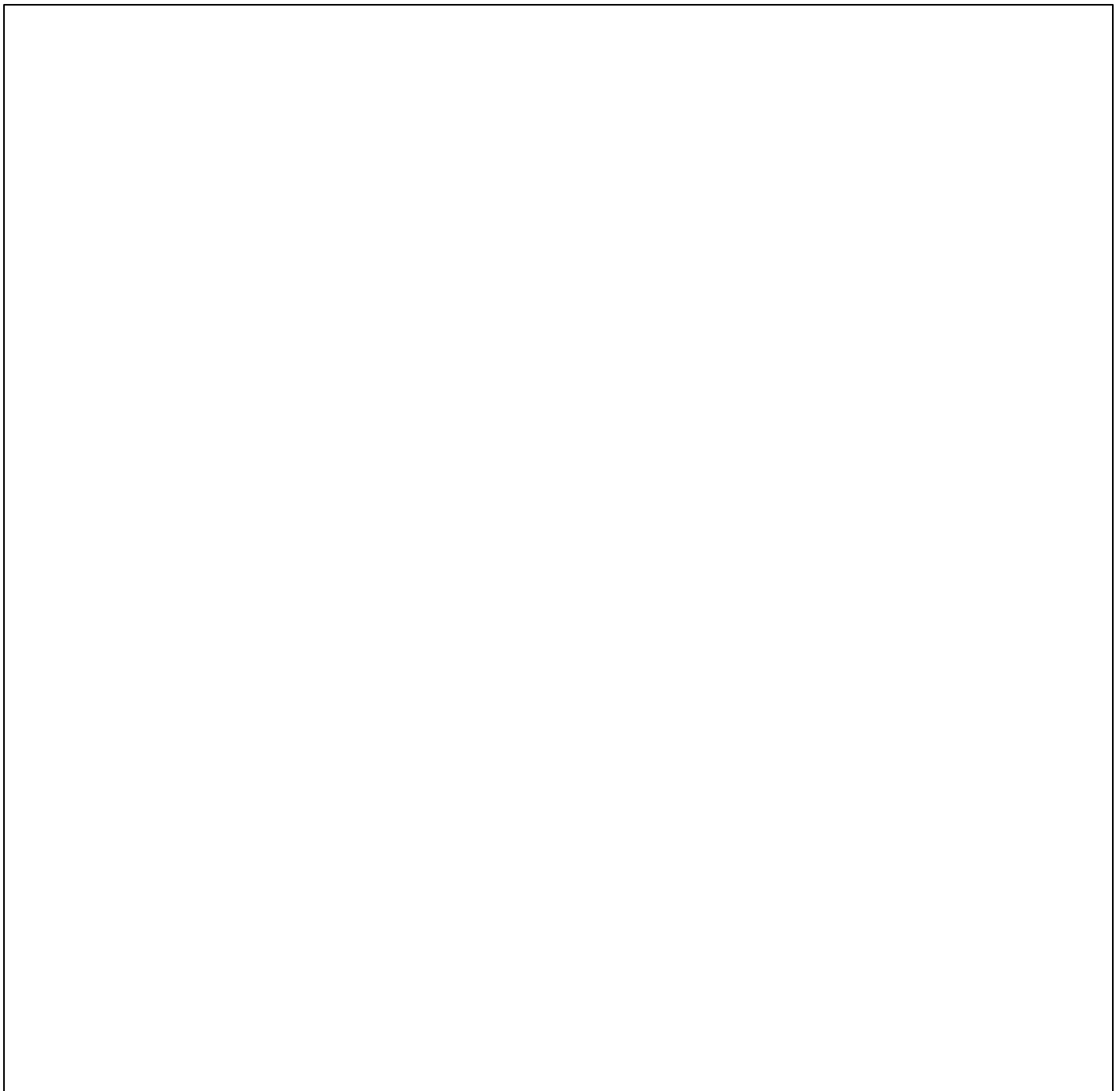
# Story Time!

Ok.. we know all about Daniel standing firm so lets make up our own story about standing for the truth.

Directions: Make up a short story about someone standing for the truth and write it below. You can make up your own or use the "story starter" below.

Story starter 1: Make up a story about the ant named "mort" who saved his ant hill by telling the truth about anteater hiding in the forest.

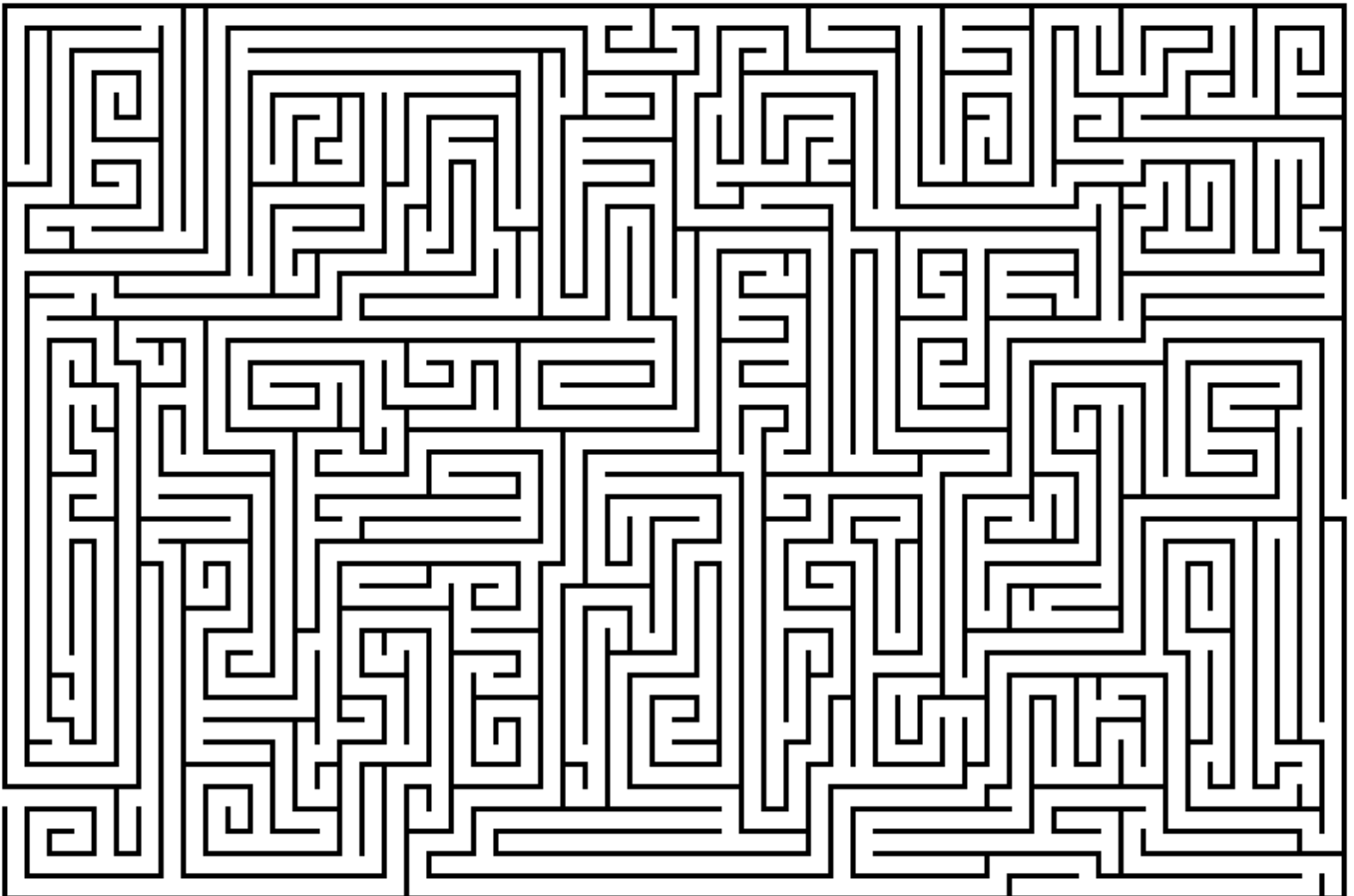
Story starter 2: Tell how "Betty" the giraffe got such a long neck by minding other peoples business.

A large, empty rectangular box with a thin black border, intended for the student to write their story. It occupies the lower two-thirds of the page.

## Purpose

Tell the purpose of each item below. If you do not know skip it and go to the next.

1. Screwdriver
2. Books
3. Guns
4. Firemen
5. Bible
6. Teachers
7. Parents
8. T.V.
9. Bicycles
10. You



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godly

righteous

proper

truthful

thankful

generous

giving

kind

forgiving

(hidden phrase)

purposeful

responsible

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honest

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What did you learn today?

Christopher Columbus Took A Stand For The Truth When He Proclaimed That The Earth Was Round Not Flat Like Most Religions Were Teaching. Columbus Could Have Been Killed For Believing The Bible But Stood On The Truth.



**Ferdinand, Isabella, Columbus**

The king and queen of Spain are delighted when Columbus offers treasures from the New World. In this picture find the ship, squirrel, bird, horse's head, paintbrush, elephant's head, bell, hat, fish, and scissors.