

Lesson 3: The Deliverer
(January 29th, 2017)

Too Close To Home

- Familiarity and Comfortability _____
- God's story should not _____

Challenging God's Will (Daniel 2: 39-45; Daniel 3:1-7)

- Never underestimate _____
- The World's offer _____

Standing Out (Daniel 3: 8-18)

- Following God _____
- Defying the will _____
- The will _____

My Deliverer

- The worlds opinion _____
- To better understand our Deliverer know this:
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Family Discussions

- Study _____
- Discuss _____

Questions For Wednesday Night Discussion

Read Daniel Chapter 3; Matthew's 13: 3-9; 18-23

1. Have you ever made a mistake doing something you are very familiar and comfortable doing? What caused the mistake?
2. Why should our most familiar bible stories be restudied?
3. Daniel's words from God did not change the King's heart. Do you feel it is the role of Christians to change hearts? How does Christ parable of the sower in Matthew 13 speak to that?
4. Give a real world example that can be compared to what King Nebuchadnezzar is trying to achieve in Chapter 3 with the statue and decree to worship it.
5. Is there a difference in the two choices the King gives the people in Chapter 3 especially when you focus on your soul? Why?
6. Why does God go so far as to tell the Israelites to not even study how others worship idols?
7. In what ways has your faith been called out or caused you to stand out? How did you handle this?
8. Chapter 3 is a popular text in the Bible. Which part of the story do you focus on more? The events prior to Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego being thrown into the fire, or God delivering them out of the furnace? Why?
9. How do you explain to others who your deliverer is? How will they see who your deliverer is?
10. In what area of your life most jeopardizes your faith in your Deliverer?