

BOLD + BRAVE

As we journey into the book of Daniel, one of the major themes is the sovereignty of God. We're meant to see that God is in control of all things, despite how difficult and tumultuous the situation may be. Daniel and his friends experienced several terrifying situations and it can often leave us admiring and wondering how they were able to live and respond the way that they did. These young men were Bold + Brave - not because they have a unique temperament or personality that was different than you or me. They were able to stand firm and be courageous because they understood that God was in control and He is wise and trustworthy.

May God cause us all to be Bold + Brave.

Pastor Jay Haugh

Message 3: *Stand Firm*

Daniel 3

Sunday, June 14, 2020

Pursue God

Focus on the following practice in your pursuit of God:

Memorize God's Word. Choose a passage for the whole series or choose a new verse each week. Follow us on Facebook or Instagram to find tips and tricks for Scripture memory during this series.

Write the verse or verses you are memorizing here:

Pursue Others

What are some situations where you may have to show courage like Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego?

These Hebrew teens faced enormous pressure to conform. How does our culture pressure Christians to reject biblical truth and conform?

What are some of the "idols" of our day that vie for our worship?

Why is it often too late to develop our convictions during these pressure-packed moments?

When God doesn't deliver us from dangers, trials, disease or death, does this mean that God has abandoned us? Explain.

How can this chapter help us Pursue + Practice? What are the truths or promises from this passage that you need to arm yourself this week, so you don't give up or give in to pressure?

Practice His Ways

Pay attention to how you speak with those around you. Could you be more winsome if you gave up complaining, sarcasm, or self-loathing (or something else) in your conversations with others?

What are you giving up in your conversations this week? Pray for the Holy Spirit to begin working this transformation in you.

Reflect on that experience and share your insight with someone. Ask that person to pray for you in this area – and pray for them!