

Discussion Questions Course 312–1

Large Group

1. Does anyone remember another Bible story about someone named Daniel?
2. What does God do when we ask?
3. What are some things that God can reveal?
4. Why wasn't Joy interested in Chris' new Halo 9 game?
5. Joy named five things that she had to do. Let's see if we can name them all.
6. Which two people in the video called out to God and asked for help?
7. Have you ever called out to someone who heard you yet didn't answer? If so, how did it make you feel?

Small Group

Game

1. Why did the wise men run away and hide from the king's guards?
2. Why was Daniel not afraid?
3. What did Chris roll down the palace hallway to distract the guards?

Teaching

1. The king's wise men did not know God or seek understanding from Him. So when the king demanded to know what his dream was, what did they tell the king?
2. The wise men said their gods did not live among them; is that true about our God?
3. What does Immanuel mean?

Discipleship Challenge

1. In our video, who was reading and writing on scrolls?
2. When Lazarus came out of the tomb, what did Jesus tell the people to do?
3. What are some things that can hold us back in our Christian walk?

Prayer

1. In Large Group, we discussed types of things that God may reveal to us. Can you name some of them?

Additional Activities

Basketball Game

1. What happened in the palace library when Joy, Chris and Gizmo arrived unexpectedly?

Coloring Activity

1. Do you remember what the different parts of the body represented?
2. What part was king Nebuchadnezzar represented by?
3. What did all of the kingdoms have in common?
4. What happened to the statue?
5. What did that rock represent?
6. How is God's kingdom different from all of the other kingdoms?

Bible Study

Matthew 16:13–17

1. In verse 13, what did Jesus ask His disciples? Who did people say He was?
2. According to verse 14, what did the people say?
3. How is Jesus' question different in verse 15?
4. Who did Peter say Jesus is in verse 16? The Messiah, the Son of the living God.
5. According to verse 17, did Simon Peter just repeat others' answers?
6. Why did Jesus say Simon Peter was blessed?
7. Based on this, do you think someone can really know Jesus unless God reveals who He is?
8. How does the SuperVerse and SuperTruth apply to this passage?

Galatians 1:11–12

1. In this letter, which the Apostle Paul wrote to the early Christians, what was the message he received and preached?
2. Did he receive it from another human, or was it something he just figured out?
3. Imagine you were Paul; why do you think it would be helpful to know you heard directly from Jesus?
4. Think of how Paul encountered Jesus on the road to Damascus. Based on this, why do you think Jesus spoke to him directly?

Ephesians 1:9–11

1. The Apostle Paul wrote that God reveals something to His children; what is it?
2. In verse 9, why did God reveal this to us?
3. According to verse 10, when will His plan happen?
4. In verse 10, what will happen in God's timing? Will this only be in heaven?
5. According to verse 11, we were chosen in advance to receive something because of Christ; what is it?
6. In verse 11, is there a possibility God's plan might fail; why or why not?