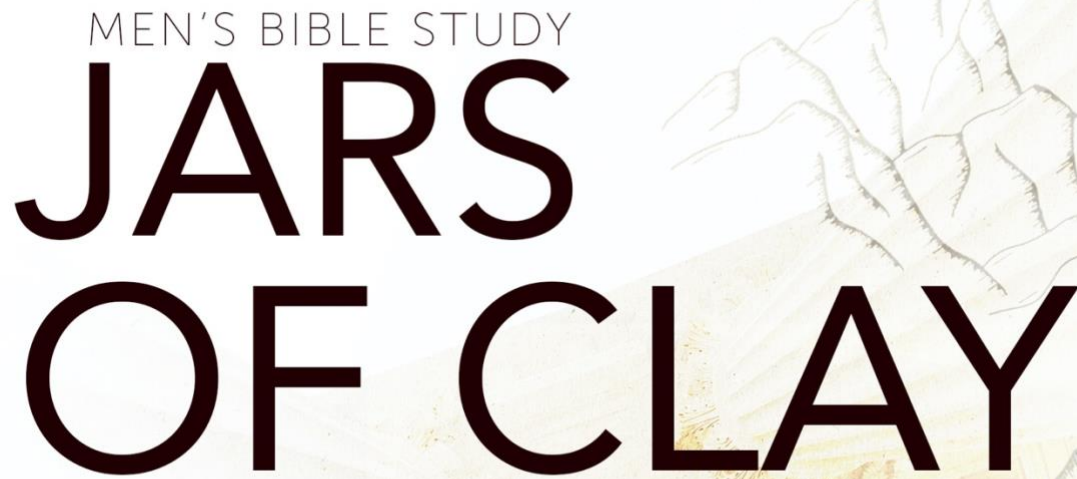


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MEN'S BIBLE STUDY



# JARS OF CLAY

**SESSION THREE:**

**DANIEL – FAITHFUL UNDER FIRE**

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**Daniel 6**

1. Daniel was \_\_\_\_\_

- By the \_\_\_\_\_ of his life
  
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2. Daniel was \_\_\_\_\_

3. Daniel was \_\_\_\_\_

- Crisis didn't \_\_\_\_\_ his disciplined life, it \_\_\_\_\_ it.

4. Daniel was \_\_\_\_\_

5. Daniel was \_\_\_\_\_

## **WHAT'S YOUR HIGHLIGHT?**

Review your notes from this week's teaching. Was there anything that caught your attention, challenged you, or confused you?

## **WHAT'S YOUR STORY?**

Daniel was a man of integrity despite his circumstances. His life and words were consistent with what he believed. Have you experienced any positive or negative consequences of living a life of integrity? If so, what were they?

## **DIGGING DEEPER**

### **Read Colossians 3:22-24 and Genesis 39:1-12**

1. What does integrity look like according to these verses?

### **Read Genesis 31:38-42**

In this passage, Jacob defends his integrity during a conversation with his father-in-law. How do you see Jacob's integrity being revealed in this passage?

1. What do you think motivated Jacob in this passage and Joseph in the previous passage to act with integrity?
2. When do you find it hardest to live with integrity?

Faithfulness means we persevere in what we know is right or what we have committed to do regardless of the cost, difficulty, or outcome. What encouragement do you find from the following passages to persevere during difficult times?

### **Read Galatians 5:9-10; 2 Corinthians 4:16-18; James 1:2-5**

1. Has there been a time in your life where you doubted God's faithfulness because of the obstacles or challenges you faced?

Rather than view themselves as slaves to the various kings they served, Daniel and his friends viewed themselves as servants to God. Maintaining a similar perspective is one of the keys to usefulness. What do the following passages say about the kind of mindset we should strive for as servants of God?

**Read Luke 17:7-10 and Matthew 20:20-28**

1. What do you find most challenging about the attitude expressed in these verses?
2. How well are you doing at putting yourself in a place where God can use you?
3. What is one change you can make or something you would like to continue doing that would put you in a better position for God to use you?

**SESSION THREE GROUP PRAYER**

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

