

# Bible Study on Daniel

## Chapter 2

1. Read chapter 2 and write down any questions and thoughts that come to you.
2. Why does chapter 2 open up with Daniel meeting the king during the second year of Nebuchadnezzar's reign, when in chapter 1 we read in verse 5 that Daniel and the others were to be educated for three years before seeing the king?
3. What is the challenge that King Nebuchadnezzar issues to the wise men of Babylon? Verses 1 through 6.
4. What does the king's challenge tell you about him?
5. What is significant about the answer from the magicians and enchanters in verses 10 through 11?
6. What is the result of their answer?

7. What was Daniel's reaction to the decree from the king? Verses 14 through 19.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
8. What was Daniel's first reaction to the revelation from the Lord on what the king's dream was? Verse 19.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
9. What principle can we learn from Daniel's reaction to this trial in Chapter 2?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
10. What is significant about how Daniel approaches the king to tell him his dream and the meaning?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
11. Is this dream a dream for the short term or long term? Has the prophecy been fulfilled?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
12. What is a key principle that God wanted Nebuchadnezzar to understand about his position?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
13. What does the stone that was cut from a mountain represent? See also Isa 28:16, Matt 21:42, and Luke 20:18.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
14. What is the result of Daniel's delivery of God's message to the king? Verses 46 through 19.