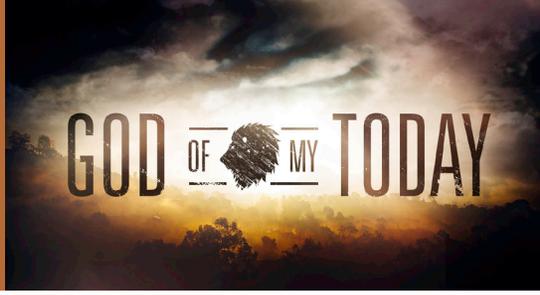


God of My Today SERMON NOTES

JUST: SO I WILL OBEY
DANIEL 5:1-30 | NOVEMBER 13, 2016
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3. Stay _____ to your God and lovingly say what is _____,
in order to please your God, not the people around you. (17-30)

Intro:

1. Humbly _____, and let God _____ you up in His timing. (1-12)

Conclusion:

2. Serve not for personal _____ but for the _____ of God. (13-16)

New Reading Plan:

Monday, Nov. 14th - Luke 14:1-11

Humble yourself

Tuesday, Nov. 15th - Matthew 23:1-12

The greatest shall serve

Wednesday, Nov. 16th - Psalm 119:17-40

Lead me in Your way

Thursday, Nov. 17th - Jeremiah 17:1-13

Trust in the Lord, not man

Friday, Nov. 18th - Philippians 2:5-11

Humble King: So We Bow

IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

KEY PASSAGE: Daniel 5:1-30

Opening: Read Daniel 5:1-30. From the passage/sermon, what truths impacted you the most?

1. What are the main events in the flow of the story?

a. What similarities do you see between Belshazzar and King Nebuchadnezzar?

b. How did Daniel respond to Belshazzar?

2. We know that God is just.

a. How do you see that in this story?

b. Where have you experienced God as just in your life?

c. In your life, where do you struggle to obey God?

IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

3. Read the following passages. What do they tell you about pride and obedience?

a. Psalm 119:35-37

b. Jeremiah 17:5-10

c. Matthew 23:11-12

d. Luke 14:11

4. What can you learn from the following passages about being selfless and serving?

a. 1 Samuel 12:24

b. Philippians 2:3-8

c. Matthew 20:26-28

d. 1 Peter 4:10

Application: What obstacles are keeping you from obeying the Lord? In what area(s) of your life can you be a more humble servant? What can you specifically do to serve in that area?