



Lesson #3-12 Hope in the Lions[®] Den Daniel 6:6-27



Key Verse:

"[God] delivers and rescues, [God] works signs and wonders in heaven and on earth; for [God] has saved Daniel from the power of the lions." Daniel 6:27

The Point: We can trust in God's faithfulness.

Advent Theme (November 29—December 20)

The Hope of the Messiah



Pray everywhere.

You will need:

† Activity Sheet

Instructions:

1. Let's review our lesson for today. When I say "We can trust God," you say, "Because God is faithful!" Let's try:

Leader: **We can trust God...** All: Because God is faithful. Leader: **Daniel knew that we can trust God** All: Because God is faithful. Leader: **Even if we are facing a den of lions, we can trust God** All: Because God is faithful.

Leader: Even if someone tries to tell us we should not pray, we can trust God All: Because God is faithful.

Leader: When we are alone, we can trust God All: Because God is faithful.

Leader: When we are afraid, we can trust God All: Because God is faithful. Leader: When we are at home, we can trust God All: Because God is faithful. Leader: When we are far from home, we can trust God All: Because God is faithful. Leader: When it feels like God is close, we can trust God All: Because God is faithful. Leader: And when it feels like God is far away, we can trust God All: Because God is faithful.

2. Using the Activity Sheet, find a place that matches the description (or another unique place) and go there to pray, because no matter where you are, you can pray. You might choose to extend this activity throughout the week, praying in a different location each day.

Because God Is Faithful

Go somewhere you would sing to pray this prayer together.

Dear God, thank you for always being faithful. Help us to trust you no matter what. Help us to find time to pray like Daniel. Thank you for the hope you bring us. Amen.

Remember: God is always faithful, no matter where you are, or what you are facing and because of that, we can trust God no matter what!

Go somewhere you would eat to pray this prayer together.

Dear God, thank you for always being faithful. Help us to trust you no matter what. Help us to find time to pray like Daniel. Thank you for the hope you bring us. Amen.

Remember: God is always faithful, no matter where you are, or what you are facing and because of that, we can trust God no matter what!

Go somewhere you would welcome people to pray this prayer together.

Dear God, thank you for always being faithful. Help us to trust you no matter what. Help us to find time to pray like Daniel. Thank you for the hope you bring us. Amen.

Remember: God is always faithful, no matter where you are, or what you are facing and because of that, we can trust God no matter what!

Go somewhere you would care for others to pray this prayer together.

Dear God, thank you for always being faithful. Help us to trust you no matter what. Help us to find time to pray like Daniel. Thank you for the hope you bring us. Amen.

Remember: God is always faithful, no matter where you are, or what you are facing and because of that, we can trust God no matter what!

Go somewhere you would read God's Word to pray this prayer together.

Dear God, thank you for always being faithful. Help us to trust you no matter what. Help us to find time to pray like Daniel. Thank you for the hope you bring us. Amen.

Remember: God is always faithful, no matter where you are, or what you are facing and because of that, we can trust God no matter what!

Go somewhere you would worship to pray this prayer together.

Dear God, thank you for always being faithful. Help us to trust you no matter what. Help us to find time to pray like Daniel. Thank you for the hope you bring us. Amen.

Remember: God is always faithful, no matter where you are, or what you are facing and because of that, we can trust God no matter what!