Daniel in the den of lions

Daniel 6:11-23

Lesson 13

Daniel accused of breaking the law. Daniel 6:11-13

Daniel 6:14 "Then the king, when he heard *these* words, was sore displeased with himself, and set *his* heart on Daniel to deliver him: and he laboured till the going down of the sun to deliver him."

Q1. The King was displeased with _____.

Q2. The King set his heart on Daniel to _____ him.

Daniel 6:15 "Then these men assembled unto the king, and said unto the king, Know, O king, that the law of the Medes and Persians *is*, That no decree nor statute which the king establisheth may be changed.

16 Then the king commanded, and they brought Daniel, and cast *him* into the den of lions. *Now* the king spake and said unto Daniel, Thy God whom thou servest continually, he will deliver thee."

Q3. Did the King believe God could deliver Daniel from the lions? _____

Daniel 6:17 "And a stone was brought, and laid upon the mouth of the den; and the king sealed it with his own signet, and with the signet of his lords; that the purpose might not be changed concerning Daniel.

18 Then the king went to his palace, and passed the night fasting: neither were instruments of musick brought before him: and his sleep went from him."

Q4. How long did the King fast? _____

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Daniel 6:19 "Then the king arose very early in the morning, and went in haste unto the den of lions.

20 And when he came to the den, he cried with a lamentable voice unto Daniel: *and* the king spake and said to Daniel, O Daniel, servant of the living God, is thy God, whom thou servest continually, able to deliver thee from the lions?"

Q5. When the King got to the den of lions, did he believe that God had delivered Daniel?

Daniel 6:21 "Then said Daniel unto the king, O king, live for ever.

22 My God hath sent his angel, and hath shut the lions' mouths, that they have not hurt me: forasmuch as before him innocency was found in me; and also before thee, O king, have I done no hurt."

Q6. God sent his _____ to shut the lion's _____.

Daniel 6:23 "Then was the king exceeding glad for him, and commanded that they should take Daniel up out of the den. So Daniel was taken up out of the den, and no manner of hurt was found upon him, because he believed in his God."

- Q7. The King was ______ glad that Daniel was still alive.
- Q8. Was Daniel taken up out of the den? _____
- **Q9.** Was there any manner of hurt found on Daniel? _____

Q10. Why?