

Bringing Home THE Story . . .

Pre-K



Shadrach, Meshach & Abednego

Daniel 3

You can find a link to the whole Bible story on the **Weekly Parent Letter** page where we posted this devotion!

WHAT WAS THIS STORY ABOUT?

SHADRACH, MESHACH, & ABEDNEGO were young Jewish men (contemporary with Daniel) who served King Nebuchadnezzar in Babylon. When the king demanded that all of his officials bow down to a golden idol, these three refused. An angry king had them thrown into a furnace heated 7 times hotter than normal. Suddenly a **FOURTH** figure appeared in the fire - the Son of God!

Shadrach Meshach & Abednego were saved:

- not one hair was singed;
- their clothes remained intact; and,
- they didn't even smell like smoke!

Nebuchadnezzar quickly changed his tune, praising God and decreeing that **NO ONE** will speak against this God for "no other god can save in this way."

LIFE APPLICATION: When push comes to shove, we are always wise to side with the Lord! Consider what He has saved us from: death, our flawed human nature, and the forces of evil!

OPENING PRAYER

To be read by an adult or older child

Dear Father, You are the only God Who can save! Thank You for saving us through Your Son.
In Jesus' name,
Amen.

SOME QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR CHILD

It's good for a parent to ask the child the question AFTER they share THEIR own answer . . .

What should we do when people want us to do the wrong thing?

What are some of the things that scare you?

God is with you ALWAYS - how does that make you feel ?

What are some things you want to say thank You to God for ?

CLOSING PRAYER

Echo Prayer (Parent says a line and the children repeat it)

Dear Lord, No one can save us like You can. Help us do what's right even when it's tough. In Jesus' name, Amen	Dear Lord, No one can save us like You can. Help us do what's right even when it's tough. In Jesus' name, Amen
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