
SUNDAY WORSHIP GUIDE
DANIEL 1:1-21

Daniel: Exiles Living In a Foreign Land
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One Thing:

- We live as exiles by depending on the faithfulness of God

Gospel Thinking:

- We live as exiles in a foreign land:
 1. **By remembering that God is sovereign even over the chaos – vv. 1-2**
 2. **By being watchful and alert! – vv. 3-7**
 - Daniel and His friends were
 - A. Isolated from the influences of their community – vv. 3*
 - B. Re-educated in the ways of Babylon – vv. 4b-5a*
 - C. Given new identities – vv. 7a*

Romans 12:2 – Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind

3. **By being steadfast in their resolve to be faithful to God – vv. 8-21**

Gospel Living:

1. **We combat the world's efforts to reshape us by being reshaped through God's word**
2. **We remember to give thanks to God for His faithfulness**