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### WHEN THE HEAT IS ON UNSHAKABLE: THRIVING NO MATTER WHAT IS THROWN AT YOU Daniel 3:1-30

## Our world is similar to Daniel's. Dan. 3:1-15

- Today's world creates a larger-than-life *image* for us to worship. Dan. 3:1-7
- If we reject the world's image and idols people will try to burn us. Dan. 3:8-12
- If we do the <u>right</u> thing it will always make some people angry. Dan. 3:13-15; Ex. 20:3-5

# What can I do when the heat is on? Dan. 3:16-23

- Don't <u>worry</u> about defending yourself. Dan. 3:16; 1:8; 2 Chr. 20:15; 32:7; 1 Sam. 17:47; 23:14-24; Dan. 6:16-20
- Don't <u>forget</u> God has the power to save us. Dan. 3:17; Rom. 8:31; Ex. 14:13-31; Josh. 3, 6, 10
- We must believe that God will <u>save</u> us. Dan. 3:17; Is. 43:23; 2 Cor. 11:24-31
- We must <u>speak</u> forth our loyalty to God no matter what. Dan. 3:18-23; 1 Pet. 1:6-7; 2 Cor. 12:9-10; Josh. 24:14-15; Eph. 6:6-7; Col. 3:22-23; 1 Pet. 5:6-9

# What do I need to do when the heat is on? Dan. 3:24-30

- God's <u>presence</u> will be with us through the fire. Dan. 3:24-25; Heb. 13:5-6; Is. 43:23; Matt. 28:20
- God is going to turn off everything that is <u>tying</u> us down. Dan. 3:21, 23; Is. 48:10; 2 Cor. 4:8-9; 1 Pet. 1:6
- God will give us a new-found freedom. Ps. 66:12; 2 Cor. 11:24-31
- God can make sure we come out <u>unharmed</u>. Dan. 3:26-27; 1 Sam. 18:10-11; 19:10; 20:33
- God will <u>use</u> this to bring unbelievers to God. Dan. 3:28-30; Acts 16:22-34
- God will lovingly <u>reward</u> our faithfulness. 1 Cor. 3:10-15; Matt. 25:21, 23; Eph. 2:10