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Daniel 3:14-3:21





# They Believed in God's Purpose

- Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego knew what they were doing and what they had to do.
- Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego were guilty of what they were being accused.
- Jesus knew that He would not convince Pilate or the leaders of His innocence.
- When Martin Luther took a stand against the Catholic Church and was given a chance to change his mind, he stated *"Here I stand; I can do no other. God help me."*





# They Believed in God's Protection

- Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego's faith in their action was grounded in the fact that they believed in God's protection.
- God will protect and keep us.
- We need to be able to believe and say, *"The God whom we serve is able to save us."*





# They Believed in God's Plan

- **God will save us, but if He does not then we must still obey him.**
- **God protects His people, but sometimes that will not save us physically.**
- **There have been more Martyrs in the last hundred years than there were in the nineteen hundred years before that.**
- **We must believe God knows exactly what He is doing.**





# Conclusion

- **Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego's belief was proven.**
- **A blazing furnace was not going to stand in God's way.**
- **Whether we burn in the trials or whether we do not burn in the trials, God's promise is that He will be there for us.**
- **We know that whatever God chooses to do will be good.**

