



Title: Fire of Commitment: Part 2

Passage: Daniel 6

Memory Verse: "Then this Daniel distinguished himself above the governors and satraps, because an excellent spirit was in him; and the king gave thought to setting him over the whole realm." Daniel 6:3

Note to Facilitators: Don't forget to use the website for icebreakers and encouraging stories to share with your group.

Read Daniel 6:1-3.

1. The Bible said Daniel had an "excellent spirit." What do you think that means? Have you ever met someone that just radiated the Holy Spirit?
2. How might someone describe your spirit? When people meet you can they tell you are a Christian? Why or why not?

Read 1 Timothy 3:7.

3. What is your reputation with people outside the church?

Read Daniel 6: 4-9.

4. What was the last thing you were accused of? Was it an accusation of righteousness or unrighteousness?

Read Daniel 1.

5. Daniel decided at a very early age that he would not let the world defile him. What are some benefits of setting your standards early on?
6. List some things that you can do to help you keep those high standards (Daily Word, weekly Small Group, fasting, etc...).

Read Daniel 6:10.

7. How was Daniel able to persevere through the trials that he faced? **Remember:** "If you are being persecuted for your faith, your faith will most likely get you through that persecution!"

Read Daniel 6:14-16.

8. Daniel's faithful obedience caused Darius to believe in God. Do you cause others to know God because of your faith? Who are they?
9. What things do you do continually? Are they godly or ungodly things?

Homework: Write down the things that you are accusable of. Ask God to eliminate them from your life. Keep a journal of the miracles God performs in your life because of your new step of commitment.