Chapter 13. Daniel's Faith

Fill in the blanks

1. Daniel was brought to Babylon as a _____ from the land of Judah.
2. The capital of Judah was _____.
3. King Darius made Daniel the _____ because of his wisdom and sense of justice.
4. The jealous princes convinced the king to make a law that no one could pray to anyone except _____.
5. The punishment for breaking the new law was being thrown into the _____.
6. Daniel continued praying _____ times a day facing Jerusalem.
7. King Darius had to _____ the stone covering the lions' den.
8. The king spent the night without _____ or sleep.
9. God sent _____ to shut the lions' mouths.
10. After seeing Daniel unharmed, many people became his _____.

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Multiple Choice Questions

1. What distinguished Daniel's position in Babylonian society from his original status?

(a) He rose from being a slave to chief prince

(b) He maintained his status as a foreign diplomat

(c) He became the king's personal bodyguard

(d) He remained an ordinary citizen

2. Why did the other princes conspire against Daniel?

(a) He had insulted their religious beliefs

(b) They were jealous of his favoured position

(c) He had refused to share his wealth

(d) They disagreed with his political views

3. What was the specific requirement of the law designed to trap Daniel?

(a) All citizens must worship Babylonian gods

(b) Foreigners were forbidden from government positions

(c) No one could pray to anyone except the king

(d) Jewish customs were declared illegal

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4. How did Daniel demonstrate his unwavering faith after the law was passed?

(a) By secretly praying in hidden locations

(b) By organizing public protests

(c) By temporarily stopping his prayers

(d) By continuing his regular prayer routine openly

5. What emotional conflict did King Darius experience regarding Daniel's punishment?

(a) He was eager to enforce the law

(b) He tried but failed to change the law

(c) He reluctantly enforced it with regret

(d) He blamed Daniel for breaking the law

6. What supernatural intervention saved Daniel in the lions' den?

(a) The lions miraculously disappeared

(b) Angels shut the lions' mouths

(c) Daniel was made invisible

(d) The lions refused to attack

7. What was the immediate evidence of Daniel's divine protection?

(a) He emerged without any injuries

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(b) The lions became friendly

(c) The den transformed into a temple

(d) He converted the lions to his faith

8. What theological truth did Daniel emphasize after his rescue?

(a) God rewards political loyalty

(b) Miracles require special rituals

(c) Angels always protect believers

(d) Divine protection comes with innocence

9. How did King Darius react to Daniel's miraculous survival?

(a) He punished the conspirators severely

(b) He acknowledged the power of Daniel's God

(c) He repealed all religious laws

(d) He converted to Judaism immediately

10. What was the long-term impact of this event according to the text?

(a) Daniel became the new king

(b) The lions' den was turned into a shrine

(c) Babylonian religion was abolished

(d) Many became followers of Daniel's faith

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