

God Protects Class Notes

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2. If they refused to bow down to the golden image they would be thrown into the burning _____.
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4. King Nebuchadnezzar was _____ at the men and commanded them to be brought before him.
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 - c. ☐ We do not serve other gods.
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WORD BANK

Not	Believed	Shut
Angel	Lions' Den	Fiery Furnace
Angry	Image	Four

6. What did the king see in the furnace? _____ men walking around, unhurt!

PART 2: GOD PROTECTED DANIEL (Daniel 6:10, 6:16–17, 6:22–23)

7. Daniel disobeyed King Darius and prayed to the one true God. What happened to him? He was thrown into a _____.
8. God sent His _____ to _____ the lions' mouths—Daniel was saved.
9. There was no injury on Daniel because He _____ in his God.

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God Protects Class Notes Answer Key

Print one class notes for each student. Keep the answer key for your use.

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