



WEIGHED IN THE BALANCE

A Study of Daniel 5

One day we will be confronted by our Creator God.
How will you respond?

1. BELSHAZZAR'S ATTEMPT TO MAKE BABYLON GREAT (vv. 1-4)
 - a. Absence of Kingly Leadership
 - b. Absence of Military Strength
 - c. Absence of Defined Morality
 - d. Absence of Defined Theology
2. DIVINE INTERVENTION DIRECTS MANKIND (vv. 5-12)
 - a. When the reality of Divine attributes appear, men are affected.
 - b. God does not leave Himself without Biblical instruction.
3. GOD HOLDS THE BREATH AND THE WAY OF THE UNBELIEVER
 - a. Belshazzar's Position (vv. 22-23)
 - b. Daniel's Response (vv. 17-23)
4. GOD HOLDS THE SUMMONS TO JUDGE ALL MEN (vv. 24-30)
 - a. God sends a direct and distressing message.
 - b. God holds the king to His Standard:
 - i. numbered
 - ii. weighed
 - iii. divided
 - c. God distributes the rewards

