

Even kings must bend before the King: the sequel (Daniel 5)

What happens when you set yourself on a collision course with the Creator of the Universe?

What this sequel will show us

1. The Insolent Desecration (v.1-4)

Historical context

Has to make an impression! So...

The real issue

2. The Divine Interruption (v.5-12)

The finger of God

Freaked out

Untouchable?

King	Queen mum
Calls for enchanters, astrologers etc	Call Daniel?

3. The Repudiation of Wisdom (v.13-23)

The uncomfortable thought

The “hired gun” mentality

- History lesson! (v.18-21)
- Direct accusation! (v.22-23)
You knew!

Are our hearts also in the verse 23 mode? How does God deal with it?

What else verse 23 shows us

4. The Fall of the Arrogant (v.24-31)

The writing on the wall

The key takeaway