

INSERT FOR LESSON #1, THE BIBLE CAN WE TRUST IT?



Amos 3:7 states, "Surely the Lord GOD will do _____, but he revealeth his secret unto his servants the _____."



According to John 14:29, why does God tell us His plans (or prophecies) in advance? _____



"And now I have told you before it come to pass, that, when it is come to pass, ye might believe."(John 14:29)

Read Daniel 2:1-30. Then find answers to the following questions.



Why was King Nebuchadnezzar troubled? **Daniel 2:3**, And according to Daniel 2:6 what did he ask the wise men to show him?



Who had given him this dream? _____ **Daniel 2:28**.

What was the dream to show? _____ **Daniel 2:29**.

Using Daniel 2:31-36, in the section to the right, list the materials from which each part of the image in Nebuchadnezzar's dream was made.

What did the head of gold symbolize?

Daniel 2:36-38.

What nation did Nebuchadnezzar represent?

Daniel 1:1

According to the interpretation, what would arise after the golden kingdom of Babylon?

Daniel 2:39.



Use the previous and following questions to fill in the blanks beside the image with the kingdoms that each part was used to represent.



When Babylon fell, what two nations, symbolized by the image's silver chest and arms, shared world rulership? **Daniel 5:28,31; 6:28**

According to **Daniel 8:20, 21** what kingdom would follow Media and Persia?

What was the fourth nation that ruled in the days of Jesus and Paul? **Acts 25:16, 28:17**

According to Nebuchadnezzar's dream, this fourth kingdom would be as strong as what metal? **Daniel 2:40.** The historian Gibbon states "*nations or their kings were successively broken by the iron monarchy of Rome.*"



What does the iron and clay of the feet in Daniel 2:41-43 represent?



Looking at history, we can see that the beginning of this dream has all been fulfilled as prophesied. Daniel 2:45 states, "...the great God hath made known to the king what shall come to pass hereafter: and the dream is certain, and the interpretation thereof sure."



What does the stone of the dream symbolize? **Dan. 2:44** _____



When will God set up His eternal kingdom? What will God's kingdom do to the kingdoms of men? **Daniel 2:44,45** _____



"The king answered unto Daniel, and said, Of a truth it is, that your God is a God of gods, and a Lord of kings, and a revealer of secrets..."
Daniel 2:47