

AT HOME DISCUSSION

OUTSIDE THE ZONE: September 27th | Week 3

MAIN POINT AND BIBLE VERSE

Big Question

When will you stand up for what's right?

The Verse

Daniel 3:16-18 NIV

Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego replied to him, "King Nebuchadnezzar, we do not need to defend ourselves before you in this matter. If we are thrown into the blazing furnace, the God we serve is able to deliver us from it, and he will deliver us from Your Majesty's hand. But even if he does not, we want you to know Your Majesty, that we will not serve your gods or worship the image of gold you have set up."

ICEBREAKER QUESTION

What is the spiciest thing you've ever eaten? How did you feel afterward?

LESSON QUESTIONS

1. We learned about Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego—who had extraordinary courage. How do you think they stayed true to what they believed in— even when they thought they might die?
2. If you were in their shoes, at what point would you give up your beliefs? (*When they kidnap you? Change your name? Offer you food? Threaten you?*)
3. If your beliefs were challenged, would you stick up for them even if you had no idea whether you'd be okay?
4. Read Daniel 3:16-18 NIV. Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego were teenagers, but they were incredibly bold. What habits do you think they had developed before they were captured so that they could show this kind of courage away from home?
5. How can you stand up for what you believe and still be respectful? Are there times when you don't have to be respectful to stand up for what you believe?
6. What does it take for you to stand up for what's right?
7. What habits can you develop today to build your courage for tomorrow?

PRAY TOGETHER

