

THE PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING

Daniel 10:1-21

February 26, 2023

I. THE OCCASION OF THIS MESSAGE. 1

- A. The Year. 1a
 - 1. 537/6 B.C.
 - 2. Cyrus the Great.
 - 3. The Persian Empire; the Medo-Persian Empire.
 - 4. The Babylonian Empire has been superseded and replaced by the Medo-Persian Empire.
- B. The Recipient Of The Message. 1b
 - 1. Daniel is the one who receives this message.
 - 2. This Daniel is specified as Belteshazzar. (1:7)
- C. The Character Of The Message. 1c
 - 1. It is Certain.
 - 2. It involves Conflict ["but the appointed time was long"].
- D. The Understanding Of The Message. 1d

II. DANIEL IS SEEKING UNDERSTANDING. 2-4

- A. A Time Dedicated To Seeking The Lord. 2-3
 - 1. Emotionally taxing time.
 - 2. Physically taxing time.
 - 3. Extended time.
- B. When & Where Daniel Receives His Vision. 4
 - 1. When. 4a
 - 2. Where. 4b

III. GOD'S RESPONSE. 5-6

- A. A Man. 5
- B. His Clothes. 5
- C. His Body. 6
- D. His Voice. 6

IV. DANIEL'S SITUATION WHEN HE RECEIVES THE VISION. 7-9

- A. Daniel Is Alone.
- B. Daniel Is Weak.
- C. Daniel Fainted.