



Losing Your Mind

"You be driven away from mankind and your dwelling place be with the beasts of the field, and you be given grass to eat like cattle and be drenched with the dew of heaven; and seven periods of time will pass over you, until you recognize that the Most High is ruler over the realm of mankind and bestows it on whomever He wishes" Daniel 4:25.

"Therefore, O king, may my advice be pleasing to you: break away now from your sins by doing righteousness and from your iniquities by showing mercy to the poor, in case there may be a prolonging of your prosperity" Daniel 4:27

God's Law the Standard

"And I will make justice the measuring line, and righteousness the level" Isaiah 28:17.

"For whoever keeps the whole law and yet stumbles in one point, he has become guilty of all...So speak and so act, as those who are to be judged by the law of liberty" James 2:10,12.

"He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him" Ephesians 1:4.

"Nothing unclean and no one who practices abomination and lying, shall come into it [Heaven]" Revelation 21:27.

All Imperfect

"Therefore, just as through one man sin entered into the world, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned" Romans 5:12.

"There is none righteous, not even one...all have turned aside, together they have become useless, there is none who does good, there is not even one" Romans 3:10,12.

"For all of us have become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous deeds are like filthy garments" Isaiah 61:6.

A Plan of Salvation

"And I will put enmity between you and the woman and

between your seed and her seed; He shall bruise you on the head, and you shall bruise Him on the heel." Genesis 3:15.

"Since Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example for you to follow in His steps, who committed no sin, nor was any deceit found in His mouth" 1 Peter 2:21,22.

"I have kept my Father's commandments, and abide in His love." John 15:10

The Old Testament Sanctuary

"The wages of sin is death" Romans 6:23.

"He made Him who knew no sin to be sin on our behalf, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him" 2 Corinthians 5:21.

"And we proclaim Him, admonishing every man and teaching every man with wisdom, that we may present every man complete in Christ" Colossians 1:28.

"There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus" Romans 8:1.

Steps to Christ

"These things have been written to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, in order that you may know that you have eternal life" 1 John 5:13.

Step One: Accept Jesus. "He who has the Son has the life; he who does not have the Son does not have the life" 1 John 5:12.

Step two: Believe in Jesus. "Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, and you shall be saved, you and your household" Acts 16:31.

Step Three: Confess to Jesus. "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness" 1 John 1:9.

Step Four: Decision for Jesus. "Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him, and will dine with him and he with Me" Revelation 3:20.

DISCOVER PROPHECY



Discussion Questions

1. Why did God give King Nebuchadnezzar another vision?
2. King Nebuchadnezzar lost his mind in a dramatic way when he lost sight of God. Do people today lose their minds when they take their focus off of God and place it on themselves? In what ways?
3. In what area of your life are you tempted to give yourself credit that belongs to God?
4. Is it ever too late to find salvation?
5. If God's standard of righteousness is perfection and we are all imperfect, how can we be saved?
6. Read 1 John 5:13-15. Do you think we can have assurance of salvation? That we can know we are saved? How can we know? What is our confidence in?
7. Pastor Tim gave four steps to Jesus. Have you accepted Jesus as your savior? If not, what is preventing you?

Next Steps

1. God did something dramatic to reach King Nebuchadnezzar. Identify some ways that God has used to reach you.
2. Mental illness is a serious health issue- even among young people. Can you identify ways to keep your mind healthy?
3. King Nebuchadnezzar took his focus off of God. What are some things that might be distracting you from a stronger relationship with God?
4. Take time to think through the four steps Pastor Tim gave in giving your heart to Jesus. Read each verse and choose to personally take each step.
5. If you have not yet been baptized, as a public display of your decision for Jesus, begin making plans now for your baptism.