

FUSION Q's... Daniel 4 – Pride & Judgement

Discussion Questions

- Q1. What stood out for you in the talk today?
- Q2. Why do you think we all struggle with pride so much?
- Q3. Why do you think it's so hard to trust that God is in control of the future... and of *your* future?
- Read 2 Timothy 3:1-5, 14-17**
- Q4. Do you think Paul's assessment of the "last days" describes our culture? Why or why not?
- Q5. What does Paul mean by saying, "they will act religious, but they will reject the power that could make them godly" ?
- Q6. Are there things on this list that you feel our culture has influenced you towards? How can you correct your path?
- Q7. How is it possible to remain faithful to what we have been taught (what the Bible says) when our culture's values are often the opposite of God's?
- Q8. What is the significance of Paul's statement that "All Scripture is inspired by God"?
- Q9. According to Paul, what is the Bible meant to do?

Bible Passages for Fusion Discussion

2 Tim 3:1-5, 14-17 (NLT)

You should know this, Timothy, that in the last days there will be very difficult times. ²For people will love only themselves and their money. They will be boastful and proud, scoffing at God, disobedient to their parents, and ungrateful. They will consider nothing sacred. ³They will be unloving and unforgiving; they will slander others and have no self-control. They will be cruel and hate what is good. ⁴They will betray their friends, be reckless, be puffed up with pride, and love pleasure rather than God. ⁵They will act religious, but they will reject the power that could make them godly. Stay away from people like that!

¹⁴But you must remain faithful to the things you have been taught. You know they are true, for you know you can trust those who taught you. ¹⁵You have been taught the holy Scriptures from childhood, and they have given you the wisdom to receive the salvation that comes by trusting in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right. ¹⁷God uses it to prepare and equip his people to do every good work.