

THE BOOK OF DANIEL

***Fulfilled Prophecy** Daniel 8:1-27

A Two-Horned Ram: Medo-Persia

A One-Horned Goat: Greece

A Powerful Horn: Antiochus Epiphanies

Application:

1. Prophecy is not so much about the when but the who.
2. Prophecy builds our confidence in the Bible.
3. Prophecy places our lives in the "Greater Story" of God's plan.
4. Prophecy forces us to face the truth of God's sovereignty.

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REALife Application

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or REALife Group.

1. Do you enjoy the study of prophecy? Why or why not? Have you ever seen the study of prophecy misused? Explain. What are you learning about God through our study of Daniel?
2. Think back through Daniel 8. Notice the details of the prophecy and how they are fulfilled. What does this tell you about the trustworthy nature of God's Word? Are there areas that you need to stop questioning and just believe?
3. Do you believe you have a "micro-destiny"? Explain how knowing the big picture of God's plan aids you in living out your life today.
4. What are some things about the nature of God and His ways that you struggle with? How are you working to resolve these struggles?

Memory Verse

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. **2 Timothy 3:16-17**