

What gives a person the strength to become a champion, such as Daniel or David in the Scriptures? The book of Daniel tells us that “The people who know their God shall be strong, and carry out great exploits.” (Daniel 11:32)

Daniel started out as a young captive taken from Jerusalem to serve in the courts of Babylonian and Medo-Persian kings. Yet Daniel stood out among his peers. Over his lifetime he interpreted dreams by the wisdom of God, and demonstrated an “excellent spirit” people around him could see. (Daniel 6:3) He always found favour in the eyes of the Gentile kings he served, and experienced supernatural deliverance when there seemed to be no way out. Daniel walked out of the lions’ den unharmed because he knew his God, His power, and His heart for him.

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