

8	DOWN	"Nebuchadnezzar the king made an image of" DANIEL 3:1
1	DOWN	It was commanded, " the gold image that King Nebuchadnezzar has set up." DANIEL 3:5
4	ACROSS	"Whoever does not fall down and worship shall be cast immediately into the midst of a burning fiery" DANIEL 3:6
7	ACROSS	"Nebuchadnezzar spoke, saying to them, 'Is it true, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-Nego, that you do not my gods or worship the gold image which I have set up?' " DAN 3:13-14
3	DOWN	Nebuchadnezzar said to them, "If you do not worship, you shall be cast immediately into the midst of a burning fiery furnace. And who is the god who will you from my hands?" DANIEL 3:15
8	ACROSS	They answered him, "If that is the case, our whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and He will deliver us from your hand, O king." DANIEL 3:17
2	ACROSS	"And he commanded certain mighty men of valor who were in his army to Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-Nego, and cast them into the burning fiery furnace." DANIEL 3:20
5	DOWN	"Therefore, because the king's command was urgent, and the furnace exceedingly" DANIEL 3:22
9	ACROSS	"And these three men, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-Nego, fell down bound into the of the burning fiery furnace." DANIEL 3:23
6	ACROSS	Nebuchadnezzar looked into the burning fiery furnace and said, "I see men loose." DANIEL 3:25
4	DOWN	"Then Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-Nego came from the midst of the" DANIEL 3:26
2	DOWN	"be the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-Nego, who sent His Angel and delivered His servants who trusted in Him." DANIEL 3:28

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He ordered his men to heat the furnace seven times hotter than ever before. And then he ordered his strongest men to tie up Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego.

When the fiery furnace was blazing seven times hotter than ever before, the king's men tied up Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego - in their shirts, their robes, and Caps and all - and threw them into the fire.

The fire was so hot, it burned up the mighty men who threw Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego into it.

Suddenly, King Nebuchadnezzar leaped to his feet.

"Didn't we tie up three men and throw them into the blazing fire?" he asked his magicians, sorcerers and wisemen.

"Yes we did," said the magicians, sorcerers and wisemen.

"Then why do I see FOUR men - walking around in the fire!" The king said, "They are not tied up, and they are not hurt - and one of them looks like a god!" (Well, it WAS God, as a matter of fact, the one true God!)

So King Nebuchadnezzar went to the door of the fiery furnace and Called out, "Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, servants of the One True God! Come out!"

ShadraCh, MeshaCh, and Abednego stepped out of the fiery furnace.

All the magicians, sorcerers and wisemen gathered around them

in Complete amazement. Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego were not hurt by the fire in any way! Their hair was not singed, and their Clothes were not burned. There wasn't even the smell of smoke on them.

King Nebuchadnezzar said, "Praise the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego! He has sent his angel and rescued the men who serve him so faithfully! They disobeyed my orders and did not fall down and worship the golden statue I have set up in the plain of Dura. They risked their lives. They would not worship any other god except their God, and their God has saved them."

And then King Nebuchadnezzar commanded, "Listen people of all nations, races and languages! Whoever speaks disrespectfully of the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego shall be torn limb from limb, and their houses will be made a pile of ruins!" (You didn't want to mess with King Nebuchadnezzar!)

"There is no God who can save like the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego!!"