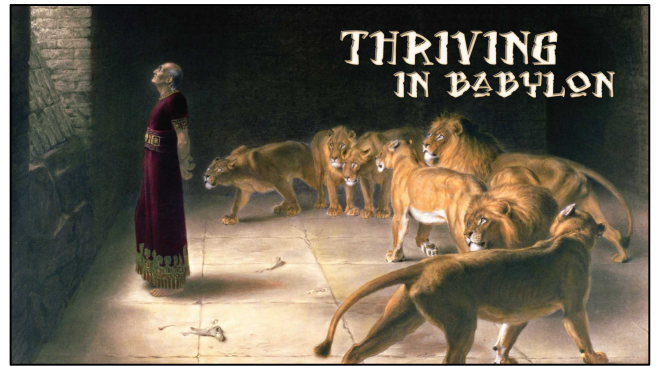


## Thriving in Babylon

### Didn't Bend, Didn't Bow, Didn't Burn (03.26.17)

**S** Scripture  
**O** Observation  
**A** Application  
**P** Prayer



- What's one idea from the message that stood out to you? Why do you think it grabbed you?
- Who were you always spending time with when you were growing up? Did people have a name for your group, like Frank's being known as The Garrett Boys?
- Do you find yourself making more mistakes when you are by yourself or with others? What is the impact of having others around?

**Read:** Daniel 3:1-3.

- Throughout history, people have erected monuments, such as Egypt's pyramids. What is it about the human spirit that causes us to do this?

**Read:** Daniel 3:12-15.

- Do you ever feel caught between your obedience to God and some earthly authority?
- Who or what helps you choose God?

**Read:** Daniel 3:16-18.

- What stands out most to you about Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego's response?
- How do you think you would have responded in their situation?
- What do you find significant about the fact that Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego are always mentioned together, and never separately?

**Read:** Hebrews 10:24-25.

- What have been the biggest benefits of having community in your life?

**Prayer:** Give thanks for the strong relationships in your life.