

## Daniel - Changing Spiritual Climates

*Changing spiritual climates takes time, so be faithful through the process...*

*Daniel Chapter 4*

*"And how mighty His wonders!" – King Nebuchadnezzar  
He witnessed God outwardly...now he will encounter Him inwardly*

*I, Nebuchadnezzar, was at rest in my house, and flourishing in my palace - Daniel 4:4*

- When we come empty, we have plenty of room for God. When we come full, we have no room for God

Your friends have witnessed God in you...yet none of these things bring about a change in their "spiritual climate". Outer circumstances alone will not convert their life--they must make an inner heart decision.

*The king spoke, saying, "Is not this great Babylon, that I have built...?"*

*Pride—not acknowledging God and allowing blessings to blind us. Often these blessings need to be removed before they are empty enough to find Christ.*



*"...the Most High God..."*

*[Then]I....lifted my eyes to heaven...*

A king's journey to The King...

- "Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon came to Jerusalem and besieged it..." – Daniel 1:1
- [The King said], "Truly your God is the God of gods, the Lord of kings..." – Daniel 2:48
- [He] made an image of gold...and commanded the people worship it – Daniel 3
- "Blessed be the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-Nego...[they have] not served nor worshiped any god except their own God...there is no other God who can deliver like this." – Daniel 3:28-29
- "I thought it good to declare the signs and wonders that the Most High God has worked for me...Now I, Nebuchadnezzar praise and extol and honor the King of heaven...." – Daniel 4:2&37