



5-Day Devotional: The King Is Coming

Day 1: God's Sovereign Control Over Kingdoms

Read: Daniel 2:20-23, 44-45

Throughout history, empires have risen and fallen—Babylon, Persia, Greece, Rome—yet God remains sovereign over all. Just as Daniel interpreted Nebuchadnezzar's dream, revealing that kingdoms are established and removed by God's hand, we can trust that nothing happens outside His control. When world events seem chaotic and frightening, remember that God is orchestrating history toward His ultimate purpose. The rock not cut by human hands will establish an eternal kingdom. This truth should anchor our souls in turbulent times. God hasn't lost control; He's fulfilling His plan. Take comfort today knowing that the same God who directed ancient empires directs your circumstances. Surrender your anxieties about the future to the One who holds all authority.

Day 2: The Ancient of Days Takes His Seat

Read: Daniel 7:9-14; Revelation 4:1-11

Picture the courtroom scene Daniel witnessed: the Ancient of Days seated on a throne of blazing fire, clothed in brilliant white, with thousands upon thousands serving Him. This is not a distant, uninvolved deity, but the righteous Judge who will make all things right. While earthly rulers occupy their temporary thrones, God's throne endures forever. The beasts may rage, the horn may speak arrogantly, but their time is limited. Justice is coming. When you face injustice, persecution, or the arrogance of evil, remember this vision. The court will convene, the books will be opened, and the King will judge with perfect righteousness. Your vindication is secure in Him. Live today with the confidence that ultimate justice belongs to the Ancient of Days.

Day 3: Complete Surrender, Not Compartmentalization

Read: Romans 12:1-2; Luke 9:23-26

Partial surrender is no surrender at all. We cannot hold Jesus' hand while clinging to the beast's. Many believers attempt to compartmentalize their lives—giving God Sunday mornings while reserving other areas for themselves. But Jesus calls us to present our bodies as living sacrifices, wholly acceptable to God. This means surrendering our time, talents, treasure, relationships, ambitions, and secret struggles. What are you holding back? What 1% are you unwilling to release? That very thing may be the barrier between you and abundant life in Christ. Nebuchadnezzar eventually looked up and surrendered; Belshazzar took his pride to the grave. Today, identify what you're withholding and place it on the altar. True transformation begins when we stop negotiating with God and fully yield.



Day 4: The Holy Ones of the Most High

Read: Daniel 7:18, 22, 27; 1 Peter 2:9-10

Your identity determines your destiny. When Christ returns, humanity will be divided into two groups: those identified with the beast and those identified as "the holy ones of the Most High." This isn't about perfection but position—are you in Christ? The holy ones will receive the kingdom, possess it forever, and rule with Christ. This incredible privilege comes through faith in Jesus, who makes us holy through His righteousness. You are chosen, royal, set apart—not because of your merit but because of His grace. Live today conscious of your identity. You are a holy one of the Most High God. Let this truth shape your decisions, conversations, and priorities. The kingdom is your inheritance; live like an heir.

Day 5: Ready for the King's Return

Read: Matthew 24:36-44; 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

The King is coming. This is not speculation or religious fantasy—it is the certain promise of Scripture. Just as Daniel's prophecies about Babylon, Persia, and Greece were fulfilled with precision, so will the prophecies about Christ's return. We don't know the day or hour, but we know it's approaching. The question isn't "if" but "are you ready?" Readiness isn't about predicting timelines or decoding symbols; it's about surrendered living today. When you stand before Jesus—and you will—will you be identified with Him or with the world? Confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord. Believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead. Call upon His name. Don't wait for a more convenient time. The King is coming, and those who belong to Him will reign forever.