

Outline for Sabbath School Teachers with ideas for group discussion inspired by the Teachers' Edition of the Sabbath School Lesson prepared by the General Conference SS ministry.

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Title: Daniel and the End Time

Key texts: *Daniel 1-4, 6; Luke 16:10; Revelation 13:11-15; John 3:7.*

Themes to Explore:

1. Daniel does not present just historical-prophetic visions, but also testimonies of faithfulness in specific times of crisis.
2. The book of Daniel emphasizes faithfulness to God, the correct way to venerate Him – true and false worship.
3. The faithful witness of Daniel and his friends is a lesson for believers of the last days.

B. Learning Objectives

Know: Accept the challenge to be witnesses for God in our particular time.

Feel: Promote love and respect for your neighbours and give them reason to do likewise.

Do: Desire to be faithful to God in all circumstances always, in the small as well as the big things.

C. Other possible questions for deeper study, debate, sharing and testimony

1. *Why is this lesson important to me? (Motivate);*
 - 1a. Apart from the prophecies that Daniel presents, what other lessons strike you?
2. *What else is there still to learn from God's Word? (Explore);*
 - 2a. What important lessons do we learn from the book of Daniel about the lifestyle of those who await the return of Christ?
3. *How can I practice what I've learned from God's Word? (Apply);*
 - 3a. What lessons about the new birth, spiritual life (prayer) and witnessing do we learn from this book?
4. *How can I communicate and apply what I've learned from God's Word? (Create).*
 - 4a. How can we be an effective witness, like Daniel, with whomever we come into contact?