

KINGS DANIEL SERVED / *Daniel 6*

Name	Empire	Story told in	Memorable event
Nebuchad-nezzar	Babylonia	chapters 1–4	Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego thrown into blazing furnace; Nebuchad-nezzar became insane for 7 years
Belshazzar	Babylonia	chapters 5, 7–8	The writing on the wall—which signaled the end of the Babylonian Empire
Darius	Medo-Persia	chapters 6, 9	Daniel thrown into a lions' den
Cyrus	Medo-Persia	chapters 10–12	The exiles return to their homeland in Judah and their capital city, Jerusalem