

MAIN POINT:

God Is Caring

BIBLE VERSE:

"When I am afraid, I put my trust in You." Psalm 56:3

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

Daniel loved God, and obeyed Him. He prayed to God, even when King Darius made a rule that the people must only pray to the king or they would be thrown into the lions' den. The king liked Daniel and didn't want to throw him to the lions, but his officials said he had to do it. In the morning, the king ran to the den to see if God had saved Daniel from the lions, and He had! God is caring.

WATCH IT

Find the lesson video on our website: <https://cschurch.ca/childrens-online>

DO IT → LION PUZZLE

Supplies:

- Lion Puzzle template (see last page, or draw your own!)
- Crayons
- Scissors

Activity Instructions:

- Have your child colour the puzzle template.
- Cut the pieces apart.
- Encourage your child as they assemble the puzzle.

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TALK ABOUT IT:

1. **God sent His angel to close the lions' mouths so they couldn't hurt Daniel. God is caring so He protected Daniel. God is caring and protects us too. We never have to be afraid. What are ways God provides protection for us?** *(He gives us adults who help keep us safe, He helps us remember safety rules, He gives us the Bible with His Words to help us know what to do.)*

2. **God is with us and He is caring, so we don't have to be afraid. What are some things we might be afraid of? After we say what we're afraid of, we'll say "God Is Caring" to help us remember that no matter what, He cares for us.** *(For example, if your child is afraid of the dark, you can say, "we don't need to be afraid of the dark because (say together), "God Is Caring".)*

FAMILY PRAYER:

Dear Jesus, We know You care for us. We know that You are always with us. Please help us trust You when we are afraid. In Your name, Amen

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