

## SERMON STUDY NOTES

7<sup>th</sup> March 2021  
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### The Sudden Intervention of God: (Daniel 5)

1. What act of blasphemy did Belshazzar commit against God? (v2-4) Why was it so drastic?
2. What does this reveal about Belshazzar's attitude toward God and the Jewish people?
3. How did he react when he received God's message from Daniel?
4. How had Belshazzar failed to learn the lessons of his ancestor King Nebuchadnezzar?
5. Share about a time when you were confronted and convicted about a wrong thing you'd done.
6. Why do periods of prosperity, safety & security often result in more people turning away from the things of God?
7. What examples do we see today of sacred things being used and abused in an unholy way?
8. Share about a time when God stopped you (or someone you know) in your tracks.

9. How do you usually respond when you feel that God has intervened in your life?
10. What does it take for a Christian to achieve the kind of reputation that Daniel had?
11. Name an elderly person you know with Daniel like characteristics (Daniel was around 84)
12. What lessons from history do you think are relevant reminders to us today?