

A Story of What God did Against Me for Me: God Humbled Proud Nebuchadnezzar

Daniel 4

- I. God's work for me begins with His word against me (4:4-27). God warned the proud king with a dream.
 - A. The troubling word required interpretation (4:4-18). The proud king needed help to understand the dream.
 - B. The troubling word required change (4:19-27). The proud king needed counsel because of the dream.

- II. God's word against me works out for me (4:28-33). God humbled the proud king for his own sake.
 - A. The proud refuse to change (4:29-32). The proud king continued in his pride.
 - B. God intervenes to humble (4:28, 33). The proud king was humbled.

- III. God's work for me moves me to happily praise him (4:34-37, 1-3). God received praise from the humbled king.
 - A. The humbled exult in who God is (4:34-35, 3). The humbled king recognized God's sovereignty.
 - B. The humbled delight in what God has done (4:36-37, 1-2). The humbled king revelled in God's work.