

The LIONS

in Daniel chapter six **were** / **are** ...

“Then King Darius wrote: To all peoples, nations, and languages that dwell in all the earth: Peace be multiplied to you. I make a decree that in every dominion of my kingdom **men must tremble and fear before the God of Daniel**. For He is the living God, and steadfast forever; His kingdom is the one which shall not be destroyed, and His dominion shall endure to the end. He delivers and rescues, and He works signs and wonders in heaven and on earth, Who has delivered Daniel from the power of the lions. *(Daniel 6:25-27)*

an important part
of a climactic chapter
(fill in the blank)

deadly but
miraculously overcome
(fill in the blank)

feared more than
most other wild animals
(fill in the blank)

helping show that
Daniel's God is GOD
(fill in the blank)

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in a
tomb like den (6:17)
(fill in the blank)

instinctively
ready to kill and devour
(fill in the blank)

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much like
the fiery furnace in 3:4-29
(fill in the blank)

Descriptive



associated with Babylonian power

Meditation

not feared
by Daniel (6:10, 23)
(fill in the blank)

not to be feared
instead of the Lord (6:25-27)
(fill in the blank)

part of a
resurrection-like story
(fill in the blank)

probably
terrified by the angel
(fill in the blank)

probably like
the guards in Matt. 28:4
(fill in the blank)

stronger than
Daniel's enemies (6:24)
(fill in the blank)

used to
intimidate (6:7, 26-27)
(fill in the blank)

weak compared
to the God of Daniel (6:27)
(fill in the blank)

wrongly
depicted by many artists
(fill in the blank)

Directions: after reading through **Daniel chapter six** and **some good articles on the nature of lions and Babylon**, consider and discuss the way the lions that Daniel was delivered from are described above. *Do you agree with the points made? Would you change or add to them in any way?* — **At the end of the study, discuss the most important descriptive phrases and make applications. In this, think about who or what you find intimidating while comparing such to the mighty God of Daniel and the power of God seen in the resurrection of the Lord Jesus.** — © 2022 by Jon F. Mahar, Hakusan City, Japan and Alexander, Maine, U.S.A.