



(Waiting for The Kingdom)

Daniel 12:1-13

Main Idea

What do we do while the war rages?

Ice Breaker

1. Which do you like better; starting a project or finishing one?

Discussion Questions

1. For Daniel & his readers what is the good & bad news found in verses 1-4?

2. What is left unanswered for Daniel? For you?

What does this say for the foundation of faith for follower of Jesus?

3. Will your name be “written in the Book”?

4. What comfort do you find in this chapter?

Application

1. Although there will be suffering in the years to come, there is great promise of hope for those who follow Jesus (V. 1)

2. There is much speculation over the numbers in verses 11-12. However, the point is that this time of persecution has an end because God is in control and He will be victorious over evil.

Knowing we have God’s Word we can live victoriously. Thank God for His wonderful provision!

3. God reaffirmed the resurrection to Daniel and that one day he would see the fulfillment of God’s words. However, Daniel was not to go throughout his life wondering what the visions meant but rest in the comfort of God’s sovereignty. (V. 13)

God doesn’t reveal everything to us in life but He will tell us what we need to know

Bottom Line

As the war rages on we must have the right outlook, ask the right questions, and participate in the right activities.