Be Different, And Make A Difference

"But Daniel made up his mind that he would not defile himself with the king's choice food or with the wine which he drank"

(Daniel 1:8).



Daniel Made a Decision

"But Daniel made up his mind . . ."
(8a).

Daniel Made the Right Decision

"... that he would not defile himself" (8b).

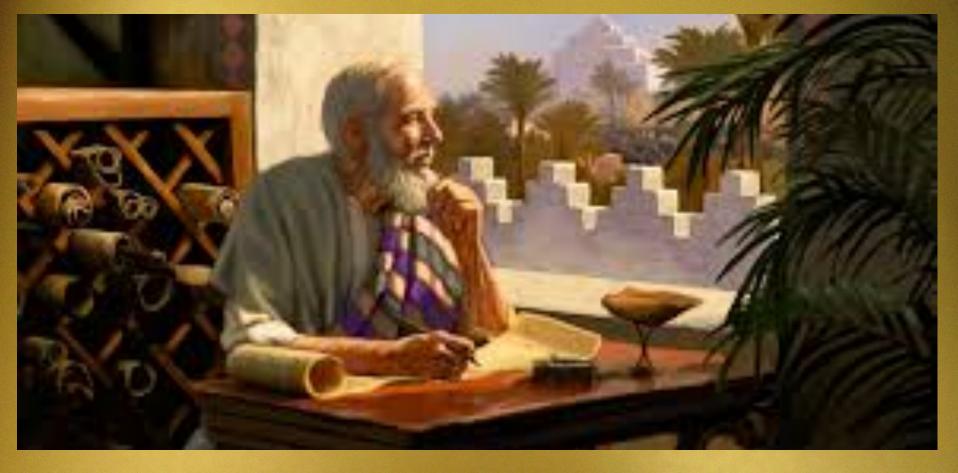
Daniel was Prepared to Face the Consequences of His Decision

"Please test your servants for ten days... and deal with your servants according to what you see" (12a, 13b).

Daniel Reaped the Rewards of His Decision

"Out of them all not one was found like Daniel" (19).





"Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky above, and those who turn many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever" (Daniel 12:3).

What About Us?

• Will we make up our minds about where we stand?

Will we prove to be faithful when we are tested?

• Will we accept the consequences of our stand?

• Will we reap the rewards for having stood for God?