

Nebuchadnezzar's dream – Great image (Dan 2:26-36)	Interpretation of Nebuchadnezzar's dream of the great image (Dan2:36-45)	Daniel's dream (Dan 7:1-15) – Four beasts out of the sea	SUMMARY:
<p>31 Thou, O king, saw, and behold a <u>great image</u>. This great image, whose brightness was excellent, stood before thee; and the form thereof was terrible.</p>		<p>3 And <u>four great beasts</u> came up from the sea, diverse one from another.</p>	
<p>32a This image's head was of fine gold,</p>	<p>37 Thou, O king, art a king of kings: for the God of heaven hath given thee a kingdom, power, and strength, and glory. 38 And wheresoever the children of men dwell, the beasts of the field and the fowls of the heaven hath he given into thine hand, and hath made thee ruler over them all. Thou art this head of gold.</p>	<p>4 The first was like a <u>lion</u>, and had eagle's wings: I beheld till the wings thereof were plucked, and it was lifted up from the earth, and made stand upon the feet as a man, and a man's heart was given to it.</p>	<p>1st kingdom -> BABYLON - King Nebuchadnezzar (the HEAD of gold & like a lion) Dan 4:16 Dan 4:30-31</p>
<p>32b his breast and his arms of silver,</p>	<p>39a And after thee shall arise another kingdom inferior to thee,</p>	<p>5 And behold another beast, a second, like to a <u>bear</u>, and it raised up itself on one side, and it had three ribs in the mouth of it between the teeth of it: and they said thus unto it, Arise, devour much flesh.</p>	<p>2nd kingdom -> MEDIA PERSIA (Breast & arms of silver & like a bear) Dan 5:30-31</p>
<p>32c his belly and his thighs of brass,</p>	<p>39b and another third kingdom of brass, which shall bear rule over all the earth.</p>	<p>6 After this I beheld, and lo another, like a <u>leopard</u>, which had upon the back of it four wings of a fowl; the beast had also four heads; and dominion was given to it.</p>	<p>3rd kingdom -> GREECE (Belly and thighs of brass & like a leopard) Dan 8:20-21</p>
<p>33 His legs of iron, his feet part of iron and part of clay.</p>	<p>40 And the fourth kingdom shall be strong as iron: forasmuch as iron breaks in pieces and subdues all things: and as iron that breaks all these, shall it break in pieces and bruise. 41 And whereas thou <u>saw</u> the feet and toes, part of potters' clay, and part of iron, the kingdom shall be divided; but there shall be in it of the strength of the iron, forasmuch as thou saws the iron mixed with miry clay. 42 And as the toes of the feet were part of iron, and part of clay, so the kingdom shall be</p>	<p>7 After this I saw in the night visions, and behold a fourth beast, dreadful and terrible, and strong exceedingly; and it had great iron teeth: it devoured and brake in pieces and stamped the residue with the feet of it: and it was diverse from all the beasts that were before it; and it had ten horns. 8 I considered the horns, and, behold, there came up among them another little horn, before whom there were three of the first horns plucked up by the roots: and, behold, in this horn were eyes like the eyes of man, and a mouth speaking great things.</p>	<p>4th kingdom -> ROMAN EMPIRE (Legs of iron) -> FEET AND TOES (part potter's clay, part iron) -> kingdom divided but will have strength of iron. Kingdom partly strong (iron) and partly broken (clay)</p>

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	<p>partly strong, and partly broken. 43 And whereas thou sawest iron mixed with miry clay, they shall mingle themselves with the seed of men: but they shall not cleave one to another, even as iron is not mixed with clay.</p>		
<p>34 Thou sawest till that a stone was cut out without hands, which smote the image upon his feet that were of iron and <u>clay</u>, and brake them to pieces. 35 Then was the iron, the clay, the brass, the silver, and the gold, broken to pieces together, and became like the chaff of the summer threshing floors; and the wind carried them away, that no place was found for them: and the stone that smote the image became a great mountain, and filled the whole earth.</p>	<p>44 And in the days of these kings shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed: and the kingdom shall not be left to other people, but it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, and it shall stand for ever. 45 Forasmuch as thou sawest that the stone was cut out of the mountain without hands, and that it brake in pieces the iron, the brass, the clay, the silver, and the gold; the great God hath made known to the king what shall come to pass hereafter: and the dream is certain, and the interpretation thereof sure.</p>	<p>9 I beheld till the thrones were cast down, and the Ancient of days did sit, whose garment was white as snow, and the hair of his head like the pure wool: his throne was like the fiery flame, and his wheels as burning fire. 10 A fiery stream issued and came forth from before him: thousand thousands ministered unto him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood before him: the judgment was set, and the books were opened. 11 I beheld then because of the voice of the great words which the horn spake: I beheld even till the beast was slain, and his body destroyed, and given to the burning flame. 12 As concerning the rest of the beasts, they had their dominion taken away: yet their lives were prolonged for a season and time. 13 I saw in the night visions, and, behold, one like the Son of man came with the clouds of heaven, and came to the Ancient of days, and they brought him near before him. 14 And there was given him dominion, and glory, and a kingdom, that all people, nations, and languages, should serve him: his dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom that which shall not be destroyed.</p>	<p><u>GOD will set up HIS KINGDOM</u> -> stone cut without hands – JESUS -> Broke in pieces the iron, the brass, the clay, the silver, and the gold -> shall destroy and consume all these kingdoms -> Horn spoke great words against God, beast slain, burning flame -> Son of man coming on clouds before Ancient of Days -> Given to Him dominion, and glory, a kingdom of all people, nations, languages -> Everlasting, shall never be destroyed, shall not pass away & stand for ever</p>