I Get It Now

What's a crazy dream you've had that you still remember?

Read Daniel 2:1-49.

- 1. Why did the king demand that the wisest in his kingdom tell him his dream?
 - A. He couldn't remember it himself, no matter how hard he tried.
 - B. The king was testing their wisdom.
 - C. The king was testing their magical powers.
 - D. Nebuchadnezzar said and did unexpected things.
 - E. God used this as a setup to show his power through Daniel.
 - F. He wanted to clean house and start over.
 - G. They had previously done this sort of thing previously.
 - H. The king sensed there was something ominous about this dream.
 - I. Other.
- 2. How did Daniel and his friends survive the king's death decree?
 - A. They hid.
 - B. Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego fled back to Judah.
 - C. They confronted the king.
 - D. Daniel used wisdom and discretion to change what was happening.
 - E. They overpowered the executioners with better weapons.
 - F. By praying.
 - G. God saved them.
 - H. They obtained an audience with the king.
 - I. Other.
- 3. What process did Daniel follow in revealing the dream to the king?
 - A. Daniel asked the king for some time.
 - B. Daniel prayed with hope, desperation, and trust in God.
 - C. Daniel recruited trusted friends to also pray.
 - D. They brainstormed potential dreams they could tell the king.
 - E. They praised God for the answers given to Daniel.
 - F. They reminded the king no one had been able to answer his demand.
 - G. They gave credit and glory to God before revealing the answer.
 - H. They saved the lives of many by giving both the dream and interpretation.
 - I. Other.

- 4. What was God's message to Nebuchadnezzar?
 - A. You're #1.
 - B. God is #1.
 - C. I'd like to have a personal relationship with you.
 - D. Daniel is my man.
 - E. An inferior kingdom will conquer yours.
 - F. My people will one day become the world's dominant power.
 - G. Your kingdom is limited.
 - H. God is eternal.
 - I. Other.
- 5. Why did God reveal the future to Nebuchadnezzar?
 - A. He didn't.
 - B. So that God's people would know God was still with them.
 - C. So that Nebuchadnezzar would discover there was one greater than him.
 - D. To elevate Daniel and his friends even higher in the kingdom.
 - E. Just because He wanted to do so.
 - F. To show that God was in control.
 - G. To show that powerful kingdoms would come and go; only God is eternal.
 - H. Other.
- 6. What was Nebuchadnezzar's response to Daniel's presentation?
 - A. He had him thrown into the lion's den.
 - B. He congratulated Daniel.
 - C. He worshiped Daniel.
 - D. He made others worship Daniel.
 - E. He promoted Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego.
 - F. He let Daniel and his friends live, but executed all the other wise men.
 - G. He acknowledged Yahweh for the first time in his life.
 - H. Other.
- 7. Which amazes you more: That Daniel told the king the forgotten dream, *or* that Daniel also interpreted the meaning of the dream? Why?
- 8. When have you been in a desperate situation and called out to God to save you? What happened?