



Daniel 12  
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**Main Idea: As God's people in exile we are dependent on Him, but we can persevere because He knows us and He knows the times.**

1. As we complete our study, Daniel: Lessons from Exile, what has stood out most to you about Daniel's life?
2. Daniel was attentive to God. What does being attentive to God mean to you? How can you seek God more?
3. How does the assurance that God is all-powerful, sovereign over world history, and good, help us persevere in difficult times?
4. Daniel was dependent on God. What does it look like for you to become more dependent on God?
5. Read verses 1-4. What is comforting about these verses to you personally? What is sobering about these verses to you personally? What can you apply to your life?
6. Read verses 5-12. Why do you think God doesn't give us knowledge of the specific time of the last days or Jesus' second coming?
7. What can you observe from this passage that needs to happen before Jesus' second coming?

8. Discuss this quote from Sinclair Ferguson: *“The biblical response to the promises of God’s coming kingdom is to always live for that kingdom now, recognize his reign now, be obedient now, fulfill your present responsibilities now”*
9. Read verse 13. What does it look like for you to “go your way till the end”?
10. What are some good ways that your community group can be a source of encouragement to you to persevere while in exile?