## God of My Today SERMON NOTES

SOVEREIGN: SO I AM BOLD DANIEL 2:1-30 | OCTOBER 9, 2016 SENIOR PASTOR TIM HARKNESS



Intro:			
1 your God. (1-		cumstances look bad,	ir
2 <i>F</i>	lard: In dark circu	mstances, do not push av	vay from you
God. Rather,	draw	in prayerful dependend	ce. (16-23)

3 Humbly: Always give God the proper,			
drawing attention to His greatness, not yours. (24-30)			
Conclusion:			

## **New Reading Plan:**

Monday, Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> - 2 Corinthians 4:1-18

Afflicted but not crushed

**Tuesday, Oct. 11**th - **Psalm 37:1-19**Be still before the Lord

Wednesday, Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> - Psalm 37:20-40

The LORD will not forsake His saints

Thursday, Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> - Psalm 40:1-17 He is my help and my deliverer

Friday, Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> - Daniel 2:31-49 True: So I Trust



**KEY PASSAGE: Daniel 2:1-30** 



Opening: Read Daniel 2:1-30. From the passage/sermon, what truths impacted you the most?

- 1. What are the main events in the flow of the story?
- 2. In this story, we see a great picture of our God who is sovereign.
  - a. How do you see God as sovereign in this story?
  - b. How does God's sovereignty affect the way you handle your decisions and relationships?
- 3. Read Psalm 62:5-8, Proverbs 3:5-6, Jeremiah 32:17 & 26-27, and Nahum 1:7.
  - a. What do we learn about trusting God from these passages?
  - b. Think of an area in your life where fear is gripping you—how can you stand firm and trust God in that situation?



c. What promise about God do you need to remind yourself of, as you trust in Him with that fear?

- 4. What do the following passages tell you about God's sovereignty?
  - a. Isaiah 46:10
  - b. Job 42:2
  - c. 1 Samuel 2:10
  - d. Revelation 4:11
- 5. How do the above passages impact your understanding of God?

Application: What step(s) do you need to take to be more bold, standing firm in Christ and being prayerfully dependent on Him?