## **Unmistakable Clarity**

Confronting King and Culture
Daniel 5
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## Narrative movements

- 5:1-4 Defiant **pride** 
  - o **Indulgent** people are ready to fall
  - o **Ignorant** people are ready to fall
  - o **Irreverent** people are ready to fall
- 5:5-9 Doom <u>declared</u>
- 5:10-12 Doom **denied**
- 5:13-29 Doom **described**
- 5:30-31 Doom **delivered**

What does it look like when God's people speak with clarity?

- 1. The message is not about **self** (13-16)
- 2. The message is not for **sale** (verse 17)
- 3. The message will confront **sin** (verse 22-24)
- 4. The message will be **spoken clearly** (verse 26-28) Notice how it says this is the interpretation of **each word**.
- 5. The message (once given) will be fulfilled **suddenly** (30-31)

We need to be careful not to muddle our message