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- Daniel 2 is significant as regards the history of men's kingdoms.
- Daniel 2 is significant as regards the history of God's kingdom.

Daniel: God's Antithetical, Indestructible, Triumphant Kingdom (3) The True God, Revealer of Secrets

1) God's Secret.

- a) Our text speaks of a particular secret of God, involving two aspects.
- b) Why was this a secret?
- c) Preparing the way for the great wonder of revealing this secret through Daniel, God made known in a general way to Nebuchadnezzar what it was.

2) God's Revelation.

- a) God revealed His secret to Daniel in a night vision. In His work of revelation, God showed that His kingdom is antithetical, indestructible, triumphant!
- b) God revealed Himself through the office of prophet. In preserving the office of prophet, God showed that His kingdom still existed!

3) God's Blessedness.

- a) Responding to this revelation from Jehovah, Daniel blessed Him; so do we.
- b) The reason for this praise is that the revelation regarded the redemption of Jehovah's