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### **Daniel's Excellent Spirit Brought:**

- 1. Wisdom
- 2. Strategy
- 3. Promotion
- 4. Favor
- God wants you to have impact and influence.
- God wants us to be transformed and change the world not to conform to the world.
- Know what is happening in your culture but do not participate in and conform to the culture.
- Daniel observed the culture but did not conform.
- Daniel transformed his culture through his excellent spirit!
- Transformation takes place when you study God's word.

#### Daniel 6:3 (KJV)

<sup>3</sup> Then this <u>Daniel was preferred above the presidents and princes</u>, because <u>an excellent spirit was in him</u>; and the <u>king thought to set him over the whole realm</u>.

- Excellent means of high quality or of the best.
- Spirit means attitude in Hebrew.
- Your attitude limits what God can or cannot do in your life.
- Attitude affects your thinking.
- Daniel was promoted and favored because of his excellent spirit that was in him.
- Real promotion comes from God.
- Promotion comes from within the heart. God looks on the heart.
- Judge your future by looking on the inside not what is going on the outside around you.
- Excuses are the language of under achievers.

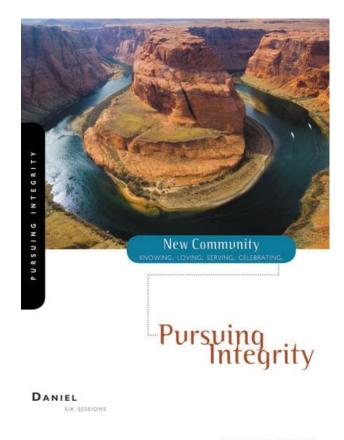
## 3 Keys To Having An Excellent Spirit:

- 1. Chose it!
- 2. Others will see it!
- 3. God will promote it!

# **Discussion Questions:**

1. What did having an "excellent spirit" bring into Daniel's life?

Resources:
If you would like to look at "An Excellent Spirit" sermon series in more depth, Church On The Rock bookstore has excellent resources available.



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