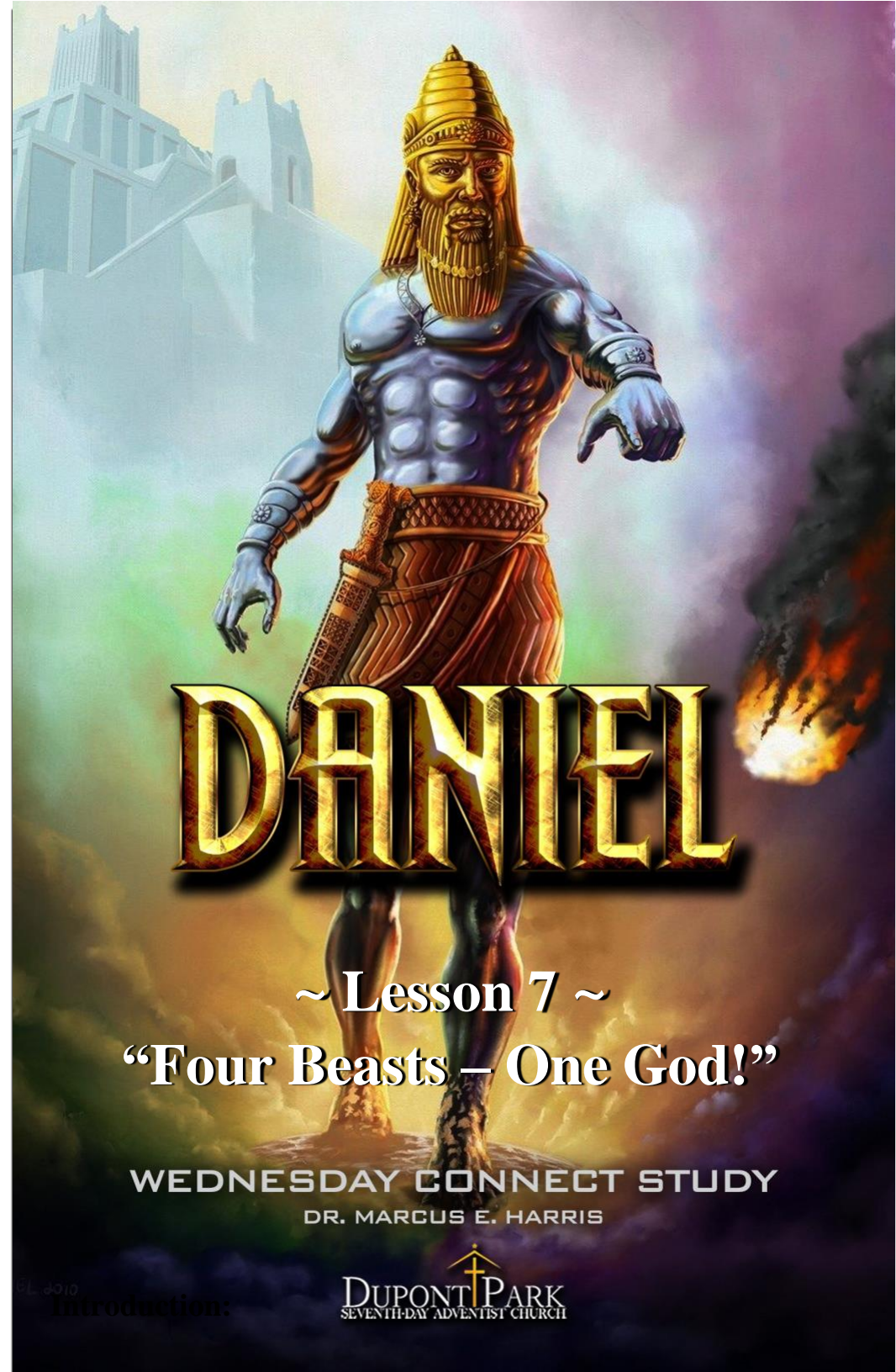


Introduction

We go back to a time during the reign of the Babylonian King, Belshazzar. In fact, it is in the first year of his reign. Until this point, we have been given the accounts of dreams of others while God used His servant Daniel to interpret the message the Almighty was sending to these earthly monarchs and kingdoms. Now Daniel himself receives a dream or night vision directly with a prophetic word from God. In dramatic fashion reveals more detail regarding kingdom successions according to His divine plan. Dark days are coming for God's people, but through the power of a sovereign God, the righteous will overcome, Let's give careful study to the message of Daniel 7 in this week's lesson as we review what Daniel saw in his dream, look for the interpretation and see if there is any connection with the dreams of Nebuchadnezzar in God's revelation of the *Four Beasts – One God!*



DANIEL

~ Lesson 7 ~

“Four Beasts – One God!”

WEDNESDAY CONNECT STUDY

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Focus Text ~

¹⁵ “I, Daniel, was grieved in my spirit within *my* body, and the visions of my head troubled me. ¹⁶ I came near to one of those who stood by, and asked him the truth of all this. So he told me and made known to me the interpretation of these things: ¹⁷ ‘Those great beasts, which are four, *are* four kings *which* arise out of the earth. ¹⁸ But the saints of the Most High shall receive the kingdom, and possess the kingdom forever, even forever and ever.’

Daniel 7:15–18 (NKJV)

Introduction:

The Dream

Describe in detail the dream/vision Daniel was given as recorded in Daniel 7:1-10

What was the second part of this dream that captivated Daniel’s attention?

Daniel 7:9-14

The Interpretation

What was Daniel's reaction to this dream and what was the message from God? What part of the dream was Daniel particularly interested in?

Daniel 7:15-27

Who is the Ancient of Days?

What time prophecy is revealed in this dream?

What happens to God's people in this dream?

How does Daniel end his account of this experience?

Daniel 7:28

Conclusion:

What are some takeaways for you and how do they apply to the Christian journey from your study of Daniel 7?
