

Introduction:

At the time of this chapter of the book of Daniel, King Cyrus has issued the prophesized decree that allowed the Jewish exiles to return home to rebuild the temple and the city. Unfortunately, the progress has not turned out as expected, and the people's morale has been affected. The hope of Israel returning to its glory days begins to wane. It would be understandable that the news of the obstacles facing the repairers of the city would reach the ears of those still in the foreign land and heighten their concern, including Daniel. Perhaps in this context, God continues to reveal His plans and sends encouragement to the people through His prophet. How grateful we can be knowing and realizing that we serve a God who does not leave His people without hope. Let's carefully review the message of Daniel 10 in this Biblical study of "*Michael & The Prince of Persia.*"

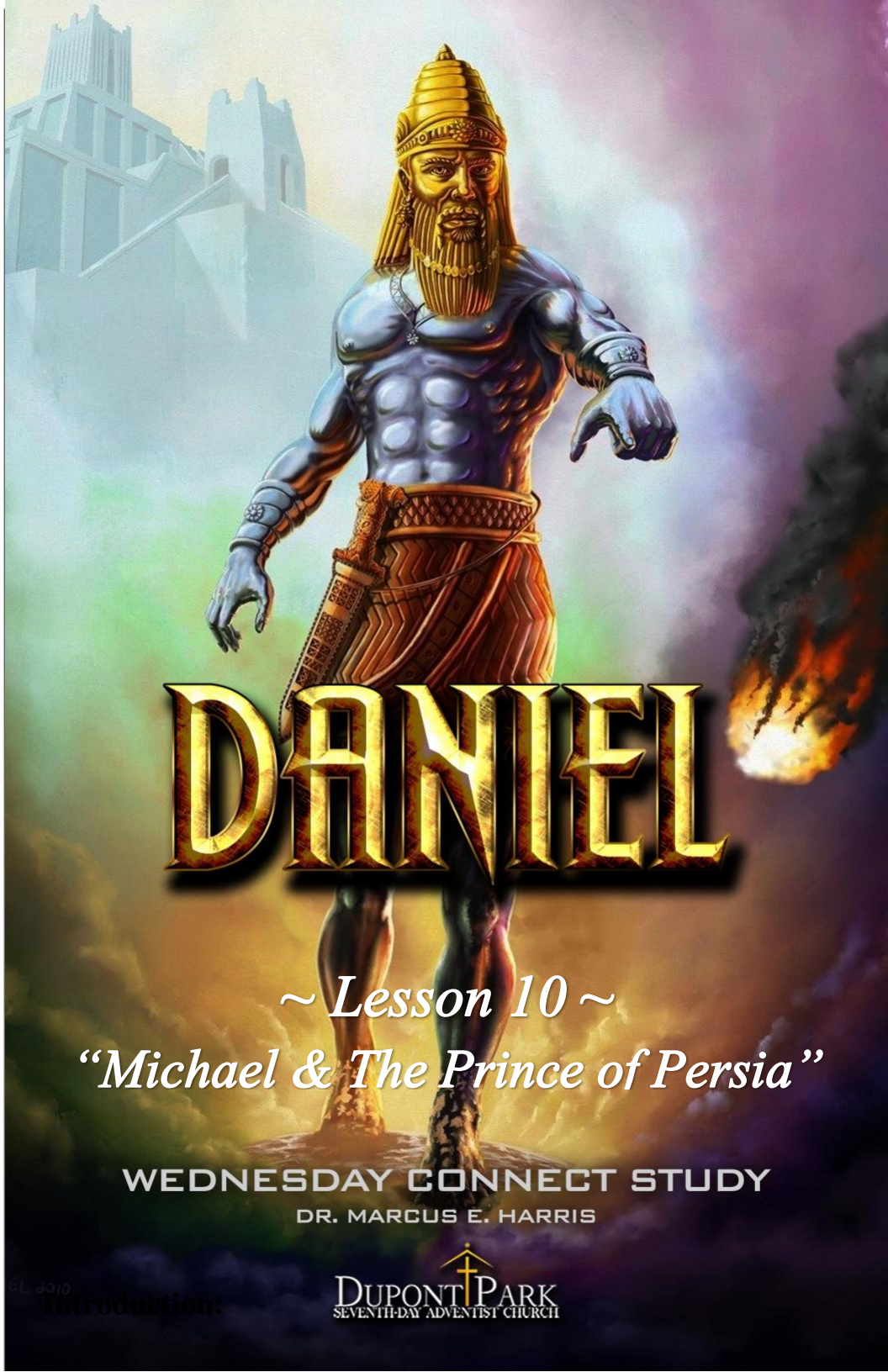
~ Lesson 10 ~

"Michael & The Prince of Persia"

WEDNESDAY CONNECT STUDY

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Focus Texts ~

¹² Then he said to me, “Do not fear, Daniel, for from the first day that you set your heart to understand, and to humble yourself before your God, your words were heard; and I have come because of your words. ¹³ But the prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me twenty-one days; and behold, Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, for I had been left alone there with the kings of Persia.

Daniel 10:12–13 (NKJV)

The Setting

What was Daniel’s condition just before this vision? Daniel 10:1-3

The Vision of the Divine One

What did Daniel see and experience in this part of the passage? Daniel *10:4-8*

What revelation was given to Daniel in the following verses, and what was his reaction? Daniel *10:9-15*

Be Encouraged

What were Daniel's admission and the Messenger's response? Daniel 10:16-21

How does Daniel's encounter speak to you and your spiritual journey?

Conclusion:

What are some takeaways for you, and how do they apply to the Christian journey from your study of Daniel 10?
