

“Sabbath School Lesson: From a Furnace to a Palace” posted by Seventh-day Adventist Church on YouTube on 4/30/20 with Dr. David Tasker from “Avondale University College” speaking.

Below the video title a verse is quoted as follows:

““If you throw ‘us into the hot furnace [oven], the God we serve can save us. And if he wants to, he can save us from your power” (Daniel 3:17, ERV).”

“ERV” is the abbreviation for the English Revised Version also known as the Revised Version that came out as a complete bible in 1885. I’m not sure what bible is being quoted but it’s definitely not the ERV. This is what the ERV says in that verse.

“If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fire furnace; and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king.” Daniel 3:17 from the ERV.

In this whole talk, there is only one quotation from a bible. That comes at 4:25 when part of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Psalm is quoted from the New International Version (NIV).

Remember, this is Lesson 4 from the Sabbath School Bible Study Guide for the first quarter of 2020. In that lesson on page 32 of the Standard Edition it says:

“To the best of his knowledge, the king identifies the fourth figure as ‘the Son of God’ (Dan. 3:25).”

A little below that on the same page is a quotation from a Spirit of Prophecy book:

“But the Lord did not forget His own. As His witnesses were cast into the furnace, the Saviour revealed Himself to them in person, and together they walked in the midst of the fire. In the presence of the Lord of heat and cold, the flames lost their power to consume.” *Prophets and Kings* page 508-509.

Let’s see what the ERV, the NIV and the King James Version (KJV) have to say about that:

“He answered and said, Lo, I see four men loose, walking in the midst of the fire, and they have no hurt; and the aspect of the fourth is like a son of the gods.” Daniel 3:25 from the ERV.

“He said, ‘Look! I see four men walking around in the fire, unbound and unharmed, and the fourth looks like a son of the gods.’” Daniel 3:25 from the NIV.

“He answered and said, Lo, I see four men loose, walking in the midst of the fire, and they have no hurt; and the form of the fourth is like the Son of God.” Daniel 3:25 from the KJV.

Is there any difference between “Son of God” and “a son of the gods?”

I wonder if brother Tasker has any English Bible on the face of the earth he believes is the infallible Word of God.

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