

**A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study**  
**Date: March 16, 2016**  
**Daniel 5**

1. What does verses 1-4 tell us is happening at the beginning of this text?
  - a. King Belshazzar gave a great banquet for a thousand of his nobles.
  - b. King Belshazzar drank wine at the banquet with the nobles.
  - c. The king gave orders to bring the gold and silver goblets that Nebuchadnezzar his father had taken from the temple in Jerusalem so that the king and his nobles, his wives and his concubines might drink from them.
  - d. As they drank the wine, they praised the gods of gold and silver, of bronze, iron, wood and stone.
  
2. What happened during the party? \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. What happened to the king when he saw this? \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. How did the king respond, according to verse 7?
  - a. He called for all the enchanters, astrologers, and diviners...
  - b. Wait, haven't we been through all of this before?
  - c. He offered to anyone who can read the writing and tell him what it means to make them third highest ruler in the kingdom.
  
5. What did the queen say when she heard what was going on?
  - a. Don't be alarmed! Don't look so pale!
  - b. There is a man in your kingdom who has the spirit of the holy gods in him.
  - c. Your father appointed him chief of the magicians, enchanters, astrologers, and diviners.
  - d. Call for Daniel, and he will tell you what the writing means.
  
6. How does Daniel respond to the king's request?
  - a. You may keep your gifts for yourself and give your rewards to someone else.
  - b. Nevertheless, I will read the writing for the king and tell him what it means.
  - c. He told King Belshazzar the story of his father's arrogance.
  - d. He told King Belshazzar that he has not humbled himself, though he knew the story about his father.
  
7. What was written on the wall and what did it mean?
  - a. Mene \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Tekel \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Peres \_\_\_\_\_
  
8. What will happen when you are "weighed on the scales"? \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. What happened that night? \_\_\_\_\_  
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