

# Daniel and the Lions



Daniel 6 for Children

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If lions had the gift of speech  
There are some things that they could teach.  
There is one cat especially  
Who could tell much to you and me.

If he could talk, what would he say?  
His story could be told this way:  
“Long, long ago in Babylon  
A lot of things were going on.

“I’d lived each day with my small crew  
And did just what most lions do.  
(You may well know, as an aside—  
A crew of us is called a ‘pride.’)



“As we were rushing for the feast  
We couldn’t touch him in the least.  
God sent His angel here, and he  
Was far more powerful than we.

“We couldn’t hurt Daniel because  
God closed our mouths and sheathed our claws.  
So when the king came here to see,  
Daniel was healthy as could be.

