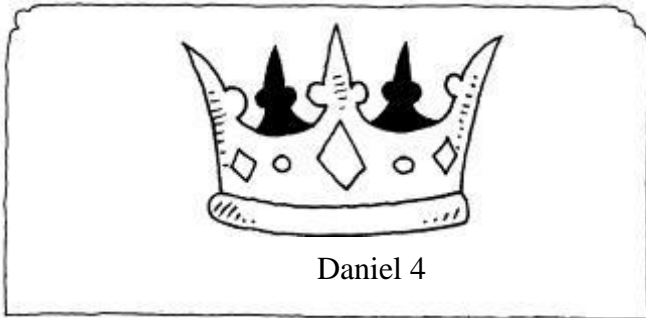


THE very proud king

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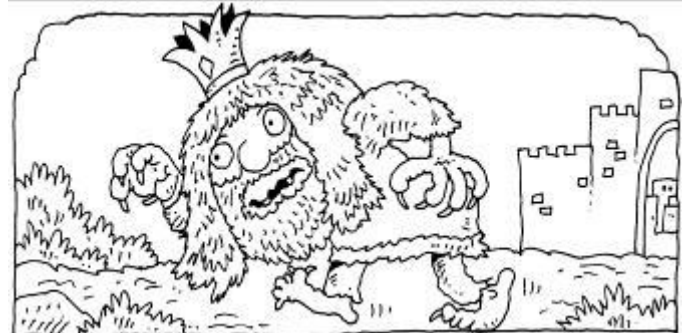
Never forget that it is
God who gives everyone life
and puts Kings on their throne.
Thank God for everything you have.



"I made myself great!
I am great and
I don't need God
in my life at all," he thought.



God was not pleased with this king
who thought he didn't need him.
"You will spend some time
living like an animal!" said God.



The proud king started
to change how he behaved.
He went outside his palace
and lived like an animal.



The proud king started
to change how he behaved.
He went outside his palace
and lived like an animal.



After a long time
the king was sorry.
He understood that he needed God
to help him to be a good king.



"I'm sorry!" cried the King.
A big tear trickled down his face
and he prayed, "I have been foolish and proud.
God I can't be a good King without your help."



The king went back to his palace.
He always remembered he needed
God every day and that even
his kingdom came from God.