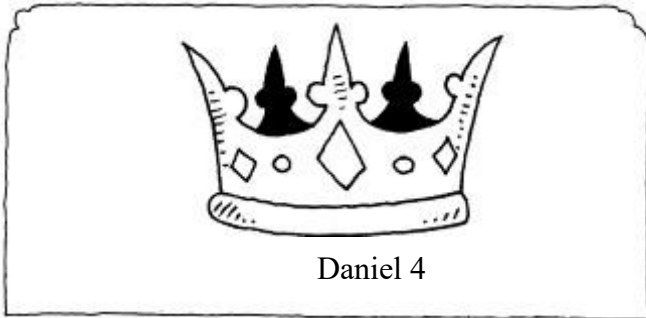


NEBUCHADNEZZER the very proud King

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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.



A long time ago, in Babylon, there lived
a very proud king called Nebuchadnezzar.
"I am great. I made myself great and
I don't need God at all," he thought.



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



King Nebuchadnezzar started
to change how he behaved.
He went outside his palace
and lived like an animal.



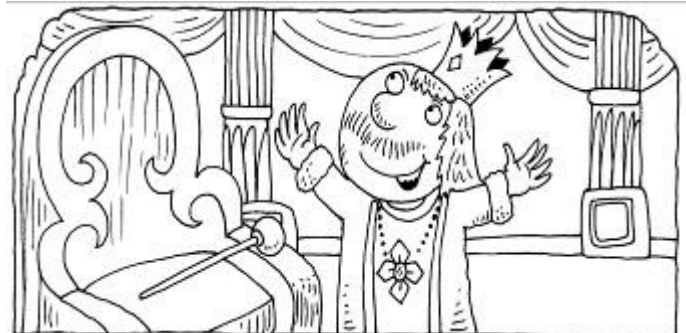
His hair grew long and his
nails grew long. He slept
outside on the ground
and he even ate grass.



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



"I'm sorry!" he cried to God.
"I have been foolish and proud,"
he prayed. "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.