

**Will You Stand  
The Test?**

## Daniel 3:19-25

<sup>19</sup> Then was Nebuchadnezzar full of fury, and the form of his visage was changed against Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego: therefore he spake, and commanded that they should heat the furnace one seven times more than it was wont to be heated. <sup>20</sup> And he commanded the most mighty men that were in his army to bind Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, and to cast them into the burning fiery furnace. <sup>21</sup> Then these men were bound in their coats, their hosen, and their hats, and their other garments, and were cast into the midst of the burning fiery furnace.

<sup>22</sup> Therefore because the king's commandment was urgent, and the furnace exceeding hot, the flames of the fire slew those men that took up Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego. <sup>23</sup> And these three men, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, fell down bound into the midst of the burning fiery furnace. <sup>24</sup> Then Nebuchadnezzar the king was astonished, and rose up in haste, and spake, and said unto his counselors, Did not we cast three men bound into the midst of the fire? They answered and said unto the king, True, O king. <sup>25</sup> 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.

# I. God's People Will Be Tried

*II Tim. 3:12... they that live Godly shall suffer persecution.*

*No matter where you live, you will be tried if you are God's child.*

Three things happen when we are tried:

1. It will toughen us.
2. It will teach us.
3. It will make us tender.

## II. The Price Of Compromising

- Spiritual Loss
- Destroyed Destiny
- Loss of Influence

# Things that can't be compromised...

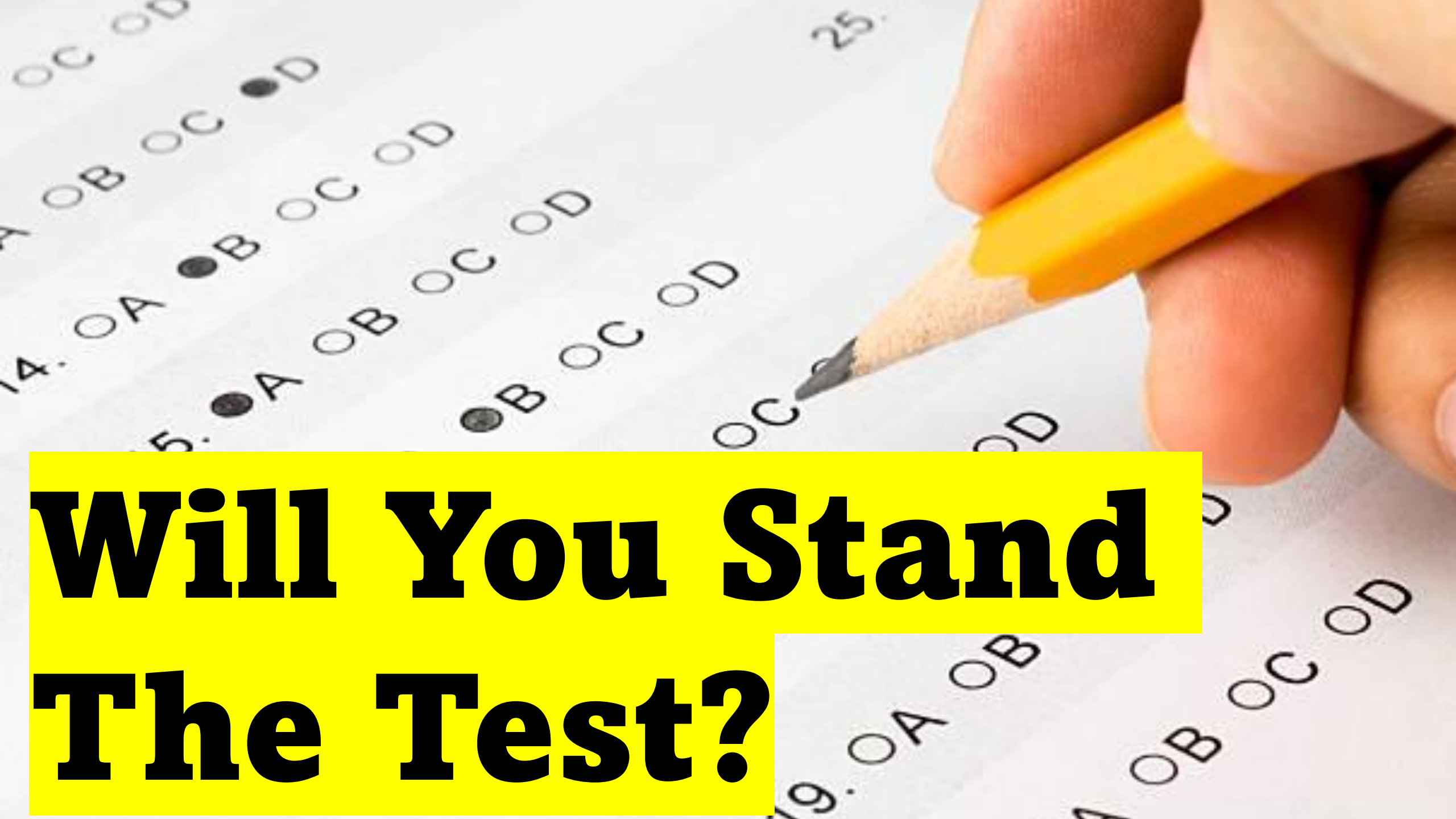
1. Preaching
2. Churches
3. Holy Living
4. Holy Spirit
5. Emotions
6. Testimony

# III. The Power Of God To Deliver

II Tim. 4:18

The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and will bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.





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