

Daniel's Prayer of Confession

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Understanding from Jeremiah's prophecy that the exile would last seventy years, Daniel prayed—confessing Israel's sin, acknowledging God's righteousness, and pleading for Jerusalem's restoration.

Key Verses

Daniel 9:3-19

And I set my face unto the Lord God, to seek by prayer and supplications, with fasting, and sackcloth, and ashes: And I prayed unto the LORD my God, and made my confession, and said, O Lord, the great and dreadful God, keeping the covenant and mercy to them that love him, and to them that keep his commandments; We have sinned, and have committed iniquity, and have done wickedly, and have rebelled... O Lord, hear; O Lord, forgive; O Lord, hearken and do; defer not, for thine own sake, O my God.

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