

# FAMILY DEVOTION

**I KNOW IT SOUNDS CRAZY BUT IT'S TRUE!**  
"Proud Cow Disease"



**"I Will Choose To Stay Humble And Say NO To Pride!"**



**"Pride goes before destruction, and haughtiness before a fall." - Proverbs 16:18**

## **SAY:**

Pride is a disease. It infects our attitude and causes us to become so full of ourselves that others can hardly stand to be around us. Pride is shameful to God.

## **READ:**

Daniel 4

## **ASK/DISCUSS:**

- What was the name of the king in this story?
- What did King Nebuchadnezzar ask Daniel to interpret?
- What did Daniel tell the king he needed to repent of or he would end up eating grass with the cows?
- Where was the king when God cursed him?
- What did Nebuchadnezzar do that caused the curse to be lifted?

## **SAY:**

King Nebuchadnezzar was a proud king. God warned him to destroy the pride in his life or face the consequences. King Nebuchadnezzar ignored God's warnings and continued in his prideful ways. To teach him a lesson, God actually turned him into a cow-like creature. He was forced to live in the wilderness until he learned his lesson. We can learn from this story that we must work hard to make sure we don't end up filled with pride.

## **DISCUSS:**

- What are some ways we can become prideful?
- What are some ways we can become humble instead?

## **PRAY:**

*Pray with your children if they have been struggling with pride. Then begin to praise God and give Him the glory.*