

**DANIEL: The Kingdoms of Men & The Kingdom of God**  
**The Ravaging Power of Evil and the Sovereign Restraint of God**  
**Text: Daniel 8:1-27**

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**Main Point:** *The ravaging power of evil is never free from God's sovereign restraint or his restoring grace.*

**Sermon Outline:**

I. The Surprising Fragility of History's Mightiest Kingdoms (Daniel 8:1–8; 15–21)

II. The Fearsome Tyranny of God's Enemies (Daniel 8:9–12; 22–25a)

III. The Courage-Inducing Disclosure of God's Sovereign Rule (Daniel 8:13–14; 25b)