The Chronological Order of the Book of Daniel

Chapters 1 – 4 Captivity and interpretation of dreams and visions

Chapter 7 Vision of the four beasts

Chapter 8 Vision of the ram and he-goat

Chapter 5 Belshazzar's feast – conquest of Babylon

Chapter 9 Vision of the seventy weeks

Chapter 6 Daniel in the lion's den

Chapters 10-12 Daniel's prayer and visions

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Daniel 1:1 – 2:3 Written in the Hebrew language

Daniel 2:4 – 7:28 Written in the Aramaic language

Daniel 8:1 – 12:13 Written in the Hebrew language

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Six separate kingdoms are represented in the book of Daniel:

 \Rightarrow Babylon (2:32, 36-38; 7:4) \Rightarrow Rome (2:33, 40; 7:7)

 \Rightarrow Media-Persia (2:32, 39; 7:5) \Rightarrow Kingdom of Antichrist (2:41-43;7:8)

 \Rightarrow Greece (2:32, 39; 7:6) \Rightarrow Kingdom of Christ (2:34-35, 44-45; 7:9-14)

(Warren Wiersbe, Be Resolute, 2000, pp. 14-15)