

# *Jonah*

*A Story of Call and  
a Compassionate Lord*

The Lord said to Jonah...

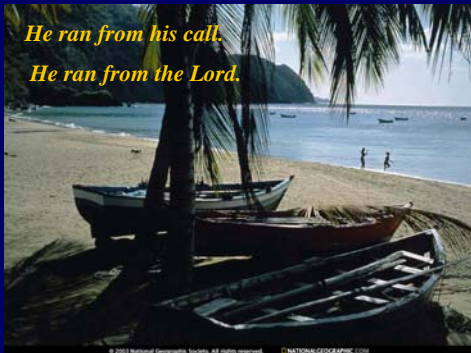
“Go immediately to Ninevah”

**But Jonah set  
out to flee...**



He went down to Joppa and  
found a ship going to  
Tarshish...so he paid his fare and  
went on board, to go...away  
from the presence of the Lord.

*He ran from his call.  
He ran from the Lord.*

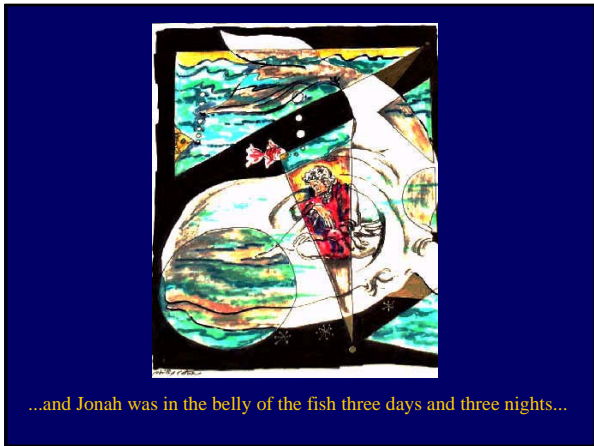
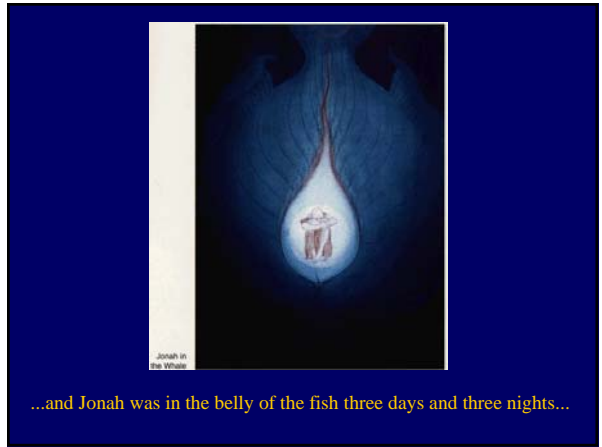


*Jonah rejected the Lord's call.*



*In the midst of darkness...*

“...the Lord provided a large fish to swallow up Jonah...”



*The Lord provided a fish.*

*The Lord saved Jonah.*

*Jonah praised the Lord.*

Then Jonah prayed to the Lord his God from the belly of the fish saying, "I called to the Lord out of my distress, and he answered me; out of the belly of Sheol I cried, and you heard my voice."

"As my life was ebbing away, I remembered the Lord; and my prayer came to you...I with the voice of thanksgiving will sacrifice to you; what I have vowed I will pay.

Deliverance belongs to the Lord!"

Then the Lord spoke to the fish, and it spewed Jonah out upon the dry land.



*The Lord showed...*

***Compassion***  
***Love*** ***Mercy***

*The Lord showed...*

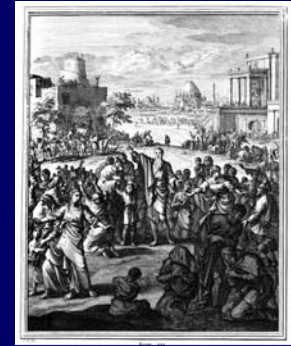
***Compassion***  
***Love*** ***Mercy***



The word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time, saying "Get up, go to Nineveh..."

*This time...  
Jonah obeyed.*

So Jonah set out and went to Ninevah...



*Jonah proclaimed God's judgement upon Nineveh.*

*The people of Nineveh turned to the Lord.*

*The Lord showed...*

***Compassion  
Love Mercy***

*The Lord showed...*

***Compassion  
Love Mercy***

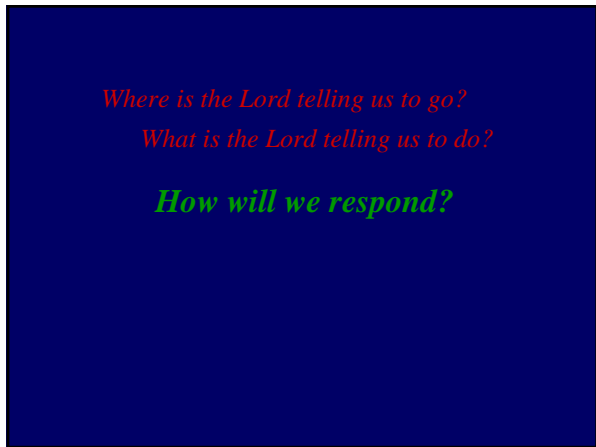
...upon the people of Nineveh.

...upon Jonah.

...upon you and me.



*Like Jonah, we are called...*

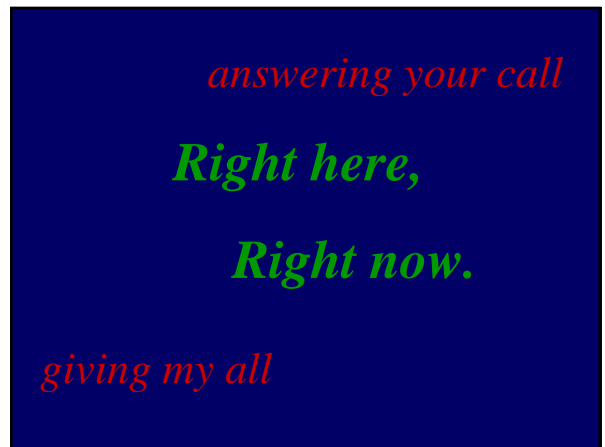


*Where is the Lord telling us to go?  
What is the Lord telling us to do?*

*How will we respond?*



*Go!*



*answering your call*

*Right here,*

*Right now.*

*giving my all*



*Right here,  
Right now.*

*Go with compassion, love and mercy...*

**Serve the Lord!**