

# A Call From the Deep

Jonah 1:17-2:10

## I. INTRODUCTION

## II. JONAH FLEEING (Jonah 1:1-16)

### A. Commission (Jonah 1:1-2)

### B. Rebellion (Jonah 1:3)

### C. Repercussion (Jonah 1:4-10)

### D. The Sacrifice (Jonah 1:11-17)

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6. The Lord caused a \_\_\_\_\_ to swallow Jonah as He plunged into the depths of the sea.  
(Jon. 1:17)

- Who caused the special fish mission?
- What does this tell us about the LORD?
- What kind of fish was this?
- How did Jonah survive?
- What does the phrase “three days and three nights” mean and what is its significance?

## III. Jonah Calling (Jonah 2:1-10)

### A. Jonah’s Repentance (Jonah 2:1-2)

1. Jonah finally \_\_\_\_\_ to God from the belly of the fish. (Jon. 2:1)

- What is repentance and what is it not?

2. The reason for this change is the \_\_\_\_\_ that Jonah has endured. (Jon. 2:2)

- What does this remind us of?

3. The amazing truth that Jonah declared is that the LORD \_\_\_\_\_ . (Jon. 2:2)

- Why is this significant?

### **B. Jonah's Reflection (Jonah 2:3-7)**

1. The cause of his affliction was the LORD due to divine \_\_\_\_\_ . (Jon. 2:3; Heb. 12:5-11)

- What is divine discipline or chastening?
- It is strictly for believers \_\_\_\_\_ . (Heb. 12:5-7)
- The purpose of Divine discipline is to bring the believer back into \_\_\_\_\_ with Him again. (Heb 12:10)
- The correct response to God's discipline is \_\_\_\_\_ of sin. (1 Jn. 1:9)
- What do we need to remember concerning the trials we face?

2. The extent of his affliction was that found himself as far away from God as possible, yet never out of His care, so He placed his \_\_\_\_\_ back in the LORD. (Jon. 2:4-7; Rom. 2:4)

- His circumstances were dire, to the extent that the only direction he could look was \_\_\_\_\_ .

### **C. Jonah's Confession (Jonah 2:8-9)**

1. Because of God's grace and compassion, He was able to \_\_\_\_\_ God. (Jon. 2:8-9)

- Have you seen God's grace in your life?

### **D. Jonah's Restoration (Jonah 2:10)**

1. Jonah was now READY for the mission that God desired for Him, so the fish \_\_\_\_\_ him out on dry ground to continue his journey to Ninevah. (Jon. 2:10)

- What is it going to take in your life to cause you to do the LORD'S will instead of your own?