

God Is Always With You



MEMORY VERSE: "For my salvation comes from the Lord alone."
Jonah 2:9

DAY 1

JONAH 1:17 — Jonah Is Thrown Into the Sea

1. What happened to Jonah? What do you imagine this time was like?
2. What did Jonah's experience of 3 days and nights in the belly of the fish predict?
Refer to Matthew 12:39-40.
3. God could have rescued Jonah in any number of ways. Why do you think God chose this way?

DAY 2

JONAH 2:1-7 — Jonah Prays to God

4. What is your impression on what Jonah's prayer to God?
5. What causes you to pray? Do you believe that God hears you?
Have you ever found yourself feeling far from God, unseen and forsaken.

6. What do think God wants you to learn from Jonah's life and prayer here?

DAY 3

JONAH 2:8-9 — Salvation Comes from the Lord

7. Read verse 8. Why do you think Jonah compared his running from God to worshiping "false gods"?
How can you apply this to your life?

8. What does Jonah tell God? v. 9

9. What does "Salvation comes from the Lord alone" mean? Refer to Romans 10:9-10.
Have you received the Lord's salvation?

DAY 4

JONAH 2:10 — God Ordered the Fish to Spit Out Jonah

10. What does God do?

11. How do you think you would have handled being inside the fish?

12. Who made the fish spit Jonah up (2:10)? Who appointed the fish to swallow Jonah (1:17)? Who brought the storm upon the ship (1:4)? What does this tell you about God and the physical world?

DAY 5 JONAH 1-2 — Wrap Up

13. What does the fact that Jonah survived for three days and nights in the belly of a fish tell you about God?

14. Being in the fish's belly got Jonah's attention. Is God trying to get your attention? Explain.

15. God could have chosen someone else to do what Jonah ran away from. God could choose others to do what we run from. Why do you think He chose Jonah? Chooses us?

TAKE AWAY

Start a prayer journal - a place to keep track of your prayers and God's answers.

BLESSING

Your sin is never too great, your situation is never too difficult for God.

Jonah was disobedient, rebellious, and selfish. He had run from the Lord. He had endangered the lives of those on the ship where he had tried to hide. Jonah was swallowed by a fish, and he was inside its belly for 3 days.

If you are in rebellion or if you are hiding from God for some reason, please know the Lord wants to restore you!

God truly is faithful. He never gives up on us.

God will go to great lengths to get your attention because He loves you,

And as soon as Jonah prayed, God heard and responded.