

Jonah

Jonah 1: Miracle of 3 Day survival of the great fish is a symbol of CHRIST'S survival of Death.

Jonah 1:1-3 Jonah is sent by the LORD to Nineveh, but instead flees to Tarshish.

Jonah 1:4-12 During his trip by sea, a great storm from the LORD comes upon the ship. Jonah is cast out by the seamen and the storm is calmed. He miraculously survives.

Jonah 1:17 Now the LORD had prepared a great fish to swallow up Jonah. And Jonah was in the belly of the fish three days and three nights. Matthew 12:39-41

Jonah 2 There is hope for all who return to the LORD in prayer; even from the darkest place.

Jonah 2:1 Then Jonah prayed unto the LORD his God out of the fish's belly,

Jonah 2:2 And said, I cried by reason of mine affliction unto the LORD, and HE heard me; out of the belly of hell cried I, and THOU heardest my voice.

Jonah 2:9 But I will sacrifice unto thee with the voice of thanksgiving; I will pay that, that I have vowed. Salvation is of the LORD.

Jonah 2:10 And the LORD spake unto the fish, and it vomited out Jonah.

Jonah 3:1-4 Jonah sent again to Nineveh and preaches there, in 40 days - destruction.

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Jonah 3:5-10 Nineveh is spared by the LORD upon the repentance of the people

Jonah 3:5 So the people of Nineveh believed GOD, and proclaimed a fast, and put on sackcloth, from the greatest of them even to the least of them.

Jonah 3:9 Who can tell if GOD will turn and repent, and turn away from HIS fierce anger, that we perish not?

Jonah 3:10 And GOD saw their works, that they turned from their evil way; and GOD repented of the evil, that HE had said HE would do unto them, and HE did it not.

Jonah 4:1-4 Jonah is angry that the LORD had shown mercy to Nineveh, forgetting the mercy he had been shown by the LORD.

Jonah 4:5-9 The LORD provides a gourd to provide a shade of protection to Jonah, but it withers the next day, and Jonah is sad.

Jonah 4:10 Then said the LORD Thou hast had pity on the gourd, for the which thou hast not laboured, neither madest it grow; which came up in a night, and perished in a night.

Jonah 4:11 And should not I spare Nineveh, that great city, wherein are more than six score thousand persons, that cannot discern between their right hand and their left hand; and also much cattle?

The LORD spares 120,000 in Nineveh.