

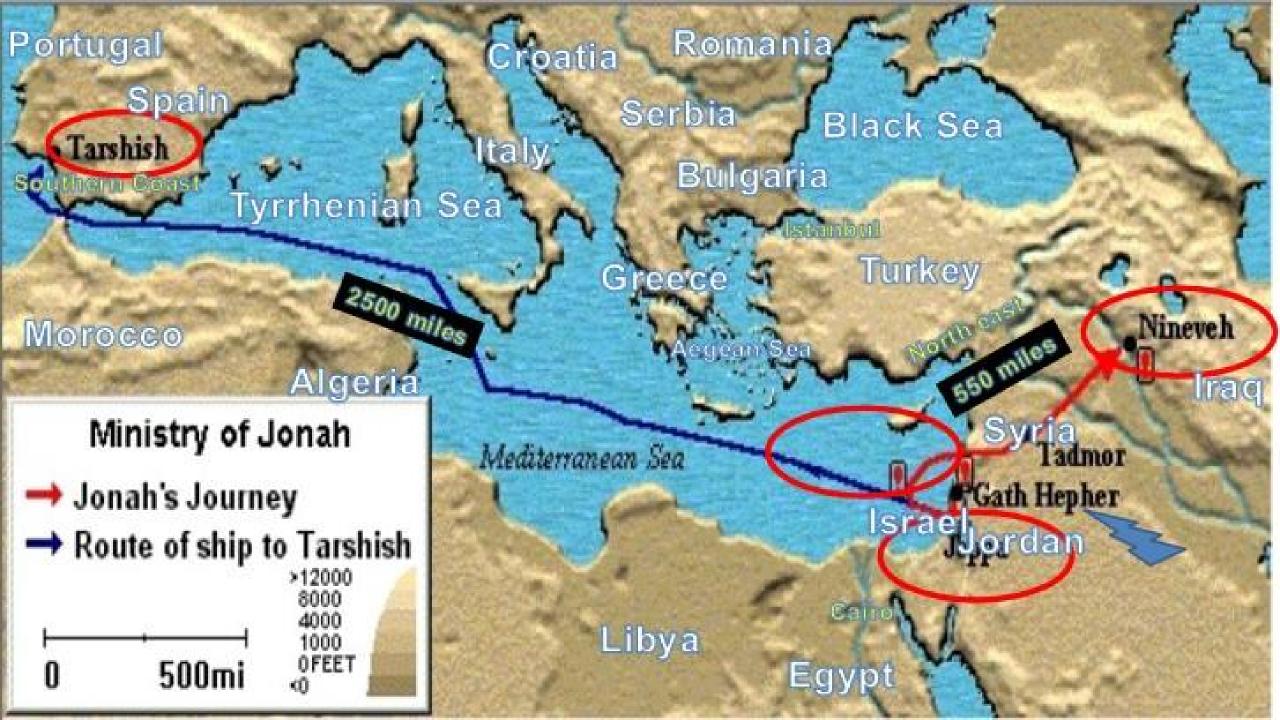


JON#H 3:3-10

Series:

Lessons on Obedience

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God's Mercy is Greater than your Sin.

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1. God's Plans Don't Change.

Jonah 3:1-2

¹ And the word of the LORD came unto Jonah the second time, saying, KJV

¹ Once again the LORD spoke to Jonah. (TEV)



² Arise, go unto Nineveh, that great city, and preach unto it the preaching that I bid thee KJV

² He said, "Go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to the people the message I have given you." (TEV)

³ So Jonah arose, and went unto Nineveh, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nineveh was an exceeding great city of three days' journey KJV

³ So Jonah obeyed the LORD and went to Nineveh, a city so large that it took three days to walk through it.



4 And Jonah began to enter into the city a day's journey, and he cried, and said, Yet forty days, and Nineveh shall be overthrown. KJV

⁴ Jonah started through the city, and after walking a whole day, he proclaimed, "In forty days Nineveh will be destroyed!"

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2.God's Power Don't Change.

Jonah 3:5

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. KJV

⁵ The people of Nineveh believed God's message. So they decided that everyone should fast, and all the people, from the greatest to the least, put on sackcloth to show that they had repented (TEV)

6 For word came unto the king of Nineveh, and he arose from his throne, and he laid his robe from him, and covered him with sackcloth, and sat in ashes. KJV

6 When the king of Nineveh heard about it, he got up from his throne, took off his robe, put on sackcloth, and sat down in ashes. (TEV)

Jonah

7 And he caused it to be proclaimed and published through Nineveh by the decree of the king and his nobles, saying, Let neither man nor beast, herd nor flock, taste any thing: let them not feed, nor drink water: KJV

7 He sent out a proclamation to the people of Nineveh: "This is an order from the king and his officials: No one is to eat anything, all persons, cattle, and sheep are forbidden to eat or



8 But let man and beast be covered with sackcloth, and cry mightily unto God: yea, let them turn every one from his evil way, and from the violence that is in their hands. KJV

8 All persons and animals must wear sackcloth. Everyone must pray earnestly to God and must give up their wicked behavior and their evil actions. (TEV)

Tonah 1:

9 Who can tell if God will turn and repent, and turn away from his fierce anger, that we perish not? KJV ⁹ Perhaps God will change his mind; perhaps he will stop being angry, and we will not die!" (TEV)



REPENT



"TO RETURN"

"TO TURN ABOUT"

BEYT

GENESIS 6:6

THAT HE HAD MADE MAN ON THE BARTH, AND IT SHEVED HIM AT HIS HEART.

GENESIS 6:7

AND THE LORD SAID, I WILL
DESTROY MAN WHOM I HAVE
CREATED FROM THE FACE OF
THE EARTH; BOTH MAN, AND
BEAST, AND THE CREEPING
THING, AND THE FOWLS OF
THE AIR; FOR IT REPENTETH
ME THAT I HAVE MADE THEM.

9

HOUSE OR TENT

SHEEN

W

TO CONSUME TO PRESS TO DESTROY

DESTROYING OR BURNING THE HOUSE DOWN.

BURN OR DESTROY THE PLACE
YOU LIVING IN AND THEN
TURN AROUND AND LEAVE.

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3. God's Promises Don't Change.

Jonah 3:10

10 And God saw their works, that they turned from their evil way; and God repented of the evil, that he had said that he would do unto them; and he did it not. KJV

10 God saw what they did; he saw that they had given up their wicked behavior. So he changed his mind and did not punish them as he had said he would.

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