

# Jonah



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## Part 2:

# When You're Waiting on God

- **If you want to run from God, the devil will always offer you a ride.**

Now the Lord provided a huge fish to swallow Jonah, and Jonah was in the belly of the fish for three days and three nights. (Jonah 1:17)

- **God doesn't always give us what we \_\_\_\_\_  
but God gives us what we \_\_\_\_\_**

Is anyone in trouble? Let them pray!" (James 5:13)

"I sank beneath the waves, and death was very near. The waters closed above me; the seaweed wrapped itself around my head. I went down to the bottoms of the mountains that rise from off the ocean floor." (Jonah 2: 5-6)

"In my great trouble I cried to the Lord and He answered me; from the depths of death, I called, and Lord, You heard me!" (Jonah 2:2)

- **God's \_\_\_\_\_ are not God's \_\_\_\_\_**

Jonah began praying in Verse 1 and God didn't do anything until Verse 10 – which makes Verse 9 so much more meaningful. Pay attention to the sequence of events.

Verse 1: "Jonah prayed to the Lord his God from inside the fish."

Verse 9: "I will never worship anyone but You! For how can I thank You enough for all You have done? ... For my deliverance comes from the Lord alone."

Verse 10: "And the Lord ordered the fish to spit up Jonah on the beach, and it did."

- **While you're \_\_\_\_\_, God is still \_\_\_\_\_**

"For as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of a huge fish, so the Son of Man will be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth." (Matthew 12:39)

"Salvation comes from the Lord." (Jonah 2:9)