



The Gospel According to Jonah: *Jonah's Salvation*

Discussion Questions

Date: January 19, 2020 | **Scripture:** Jonah 1:1-17

1. Read Jonah 1:1-17. What stands out to you?
2. Like Jonah, sometimes God asks us to do things we do not want to do. What did Jonah not want to do? What is God asking you to do but you are unwilling?
3. Jonah's story shows us that obeying God is hard, and that disobeying God is much harder. Have you had an experience where this has been true? What was it, and what did you learn in the process?
4. Jonah 1 is a case study in God's sovereignty-what God is going to do, he *always* does. How do we see this in Jonah? How can we find comfort in trusting God's control and plan?
5. Jonah's story teaches us that God always saves through substitutes. Look up Matthew 12:38-41. How does Jonah point us to Christ?
6. Scripture teaches us that Jesus Christ is our propitiation for sin. What is a propitiation? (See Romans 3:23-25; 1 John 2:2; 4:10) How should viewing Christ as our propitiation impact our lives?

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That is good news for
us!