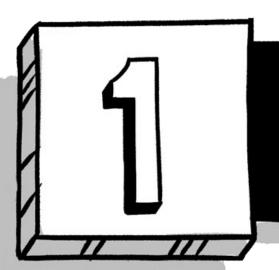


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Shipmates, this book, containing only four chapters - four yarns - is one of the smallest strands in the mighty cable of the Scriptures. Yet what depths of the soul does Jonah's deep sealine sound!... As sinful men, it is a lesson to us all, because it is a story of the sin & hardheartedness... All the things that God would have us do are hard for us to do... And if we obey God, we must disobey ourselves; and it is in this disobeying ourselves, wherein the hardness of obeying God consists. -Page 36



## JONAH REJECTS MISSION GOD'S



Jonah 1:2-3 "Go immediately to Nineveh, that large capital city, & announce judgment

against its people because their wickedness has come to my attention." <sup>3</sup> Instead, Jonah immediately headed off to Tarshish to escape from the commission of the Lord.







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## 2 JONAH'S PRAYER



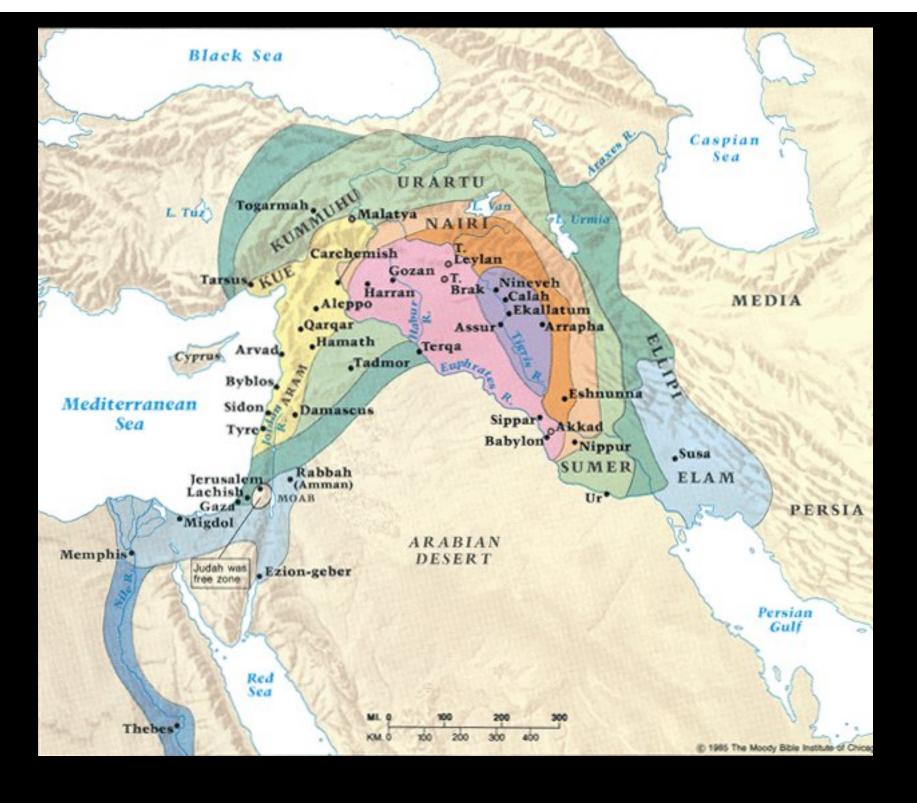
Jonah 2:189 "I called out to the Lord from my distress, & he answered me...

<sup>9</sup> I will surely do what I have promised.

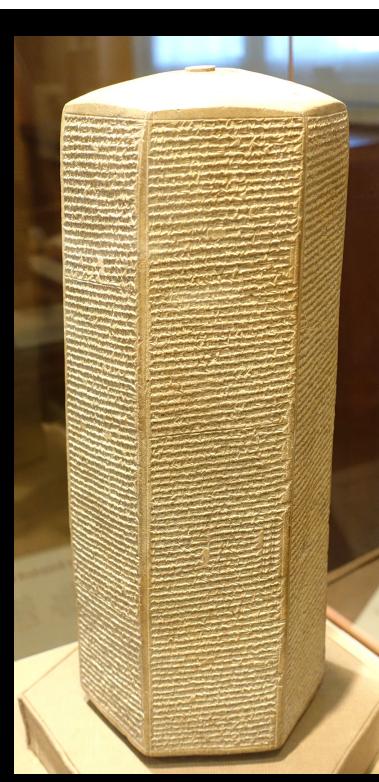
Salvation belongs to the Lord!"

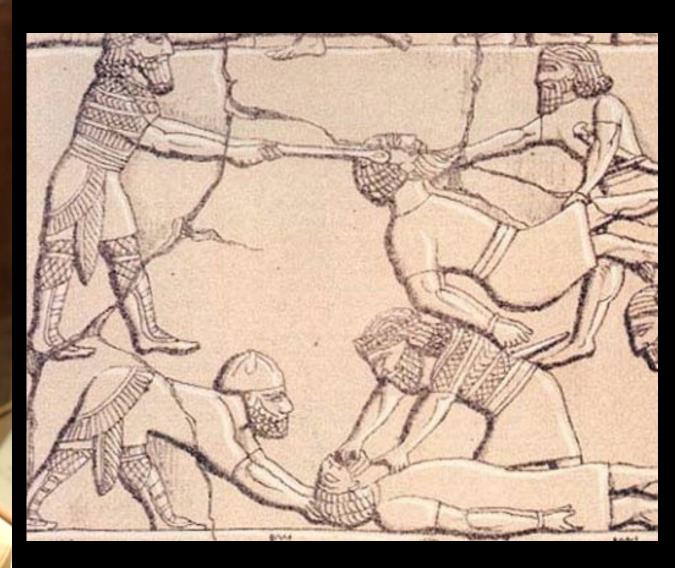


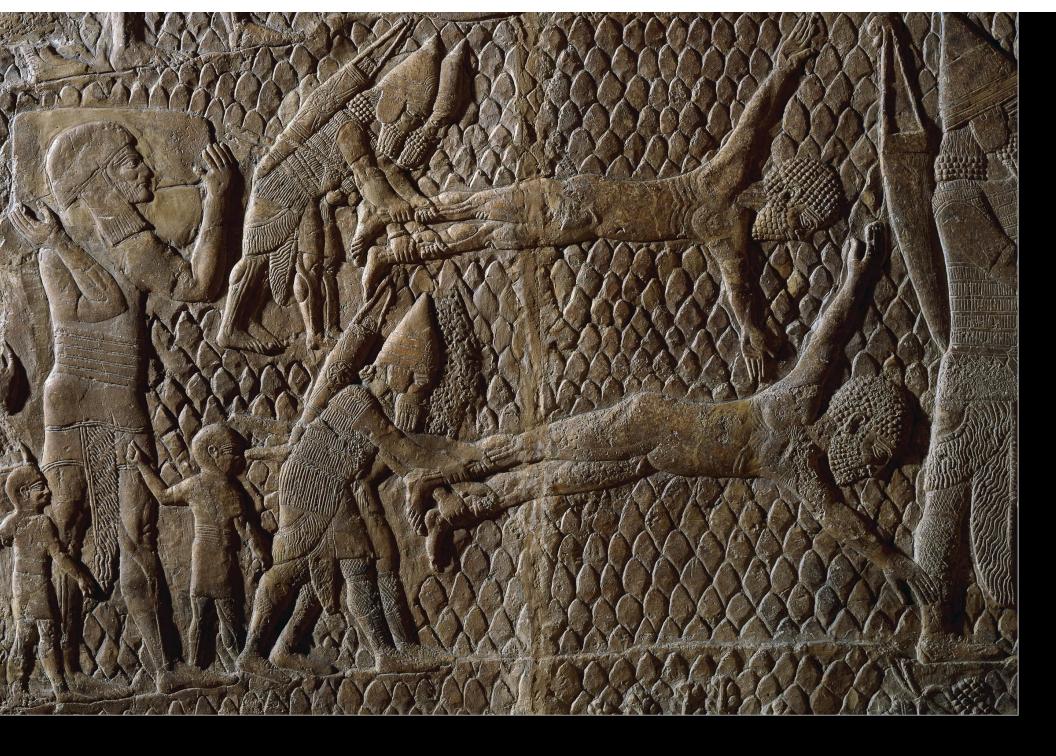
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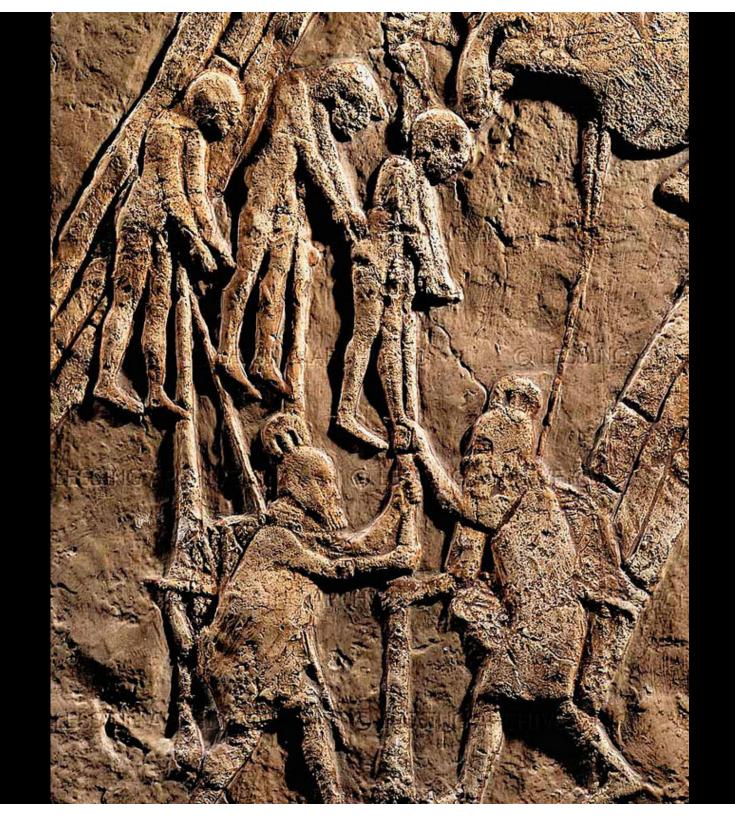
















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Negative: Hosea 7:8 ....unturned bread

Good: Psalm 30:11 ...you turned my wailing into dancing

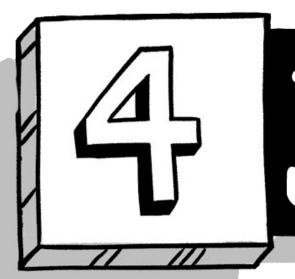
<u>Good:</u> 1 Samuel 10:6 ...you will be changed (turned in KJV) into a different person.



Jonah 3 The people of Nineveh believed in God...

the king of Nineveh... issued a proclamation

... No human or animal, cattle or sheep, is to taste anything; they must not eat & they must not drink water... Every person and animal must put on sackcloth and must cry earnestly to God, and everyone must turn from their evil way of living and from the violence that they do.



## JONAH S ANGER WITH GOD'S MERCY



Jonah 4:1 **This displeased Jonah** terribly and he became very angry.



4:11 Should I not be even more concerned about Nineveh, this enormous city? There are more than one hundred twenty thousand people in it who do not know right from wrong, as well as many animals!"

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"My prayer Is that those who planted the bomb or played a part in supporting it publicly acknowledge what they have done and seek God's forgiveness." "But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us."

#### Romans 5:8

# We love because he first loved us.

#### 1 John 4:19

Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing."

#### Luke 23:34



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