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Jonah

The Running Prophet

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- ✘ **Jonah ran from God's command.**
 - + **God commands Jonah to go to Nineveh, but he does not. *Jonah 1:1-3***
 - + **He could not hide himself from God. *Jonah 1:4-7***
 - + **Jonah confessed what he had done. *Jonah 1:8-17***

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✘ Jonah ran to God.

+ From inside the belly of the fish, Jonah cried out to the Lord. *Jonah 2:1-9*

+ The Lord cause the fish to vomit Jonah unto dry land. *Jonah 2:10*

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✘ Jonah ran with God.

+ Jonah does what God commanded him.

Jonah 3:1-4

+ The people of Nineveh reacted to what Jonah said. *Jonah 3:5-10*

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✘ Jonah ran ahead of God.

+ Jonah's reaction to God's mercy.

Jonah 4:1-3

+ God gives Jonah a teaching moment.

Jonah 4:4-8

+ The lesson. *Jonah 4:9-11*

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✘ What we can learn from Jonah:

+ We cannot run from our responsibilities.

Matt. 28:18-20; 2 Tim. 2:2

+ When we make mistakes, God is willing to take us back. *1 John 1:5-9*

+ We are to rejoice when people turn to serve God. *1 Thess. 1:6-10*

STEPS OF SALVATION:

FROM **SINNER** TO **SAVED**

SAVED

MAN'S PART

Remain Faithful
Co 1.21f;
Re 2.10

Baptism
into Christ

Mk 16.16;
1P 3.21

Confess

Faith, Ro
10.9, 10;
Ac 8.37

Repent

of Sins
Ac 2.38;
17.30

Believe

Gospel
Jn 8.24;
He 11.6

Hear

Gospel
Ro 10.13f;
Jn 6.44, 45

Spirit
Revealed
Word

Jn 16.13

Jesus Shed
His Blood

Ep 1.7;
1Pe 1.19

God Sent
His Son
Jn 3.16;
1Jn 4.10

GOD'S PART

SINNER

**What must
I do to be
saved?!**