

God Loves the Word "Impossible"

Jonah: Preach to Your Enemy!

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I've got to be honest – I love Jonah! He's defies God, tries to distance himself from God, preaches hoping his audience won't respond, and gets mad when they repent! Impulsive, whiny, vengeful...if God can work through a guy like Jonah, God might just be able to pull off something with folks like you and me!

Let's set the stage and let the drama unfold....

- The only prophet sent to a pagan city...the only prophet to run from God...and brag about it!

A Storm and a Fishy Prayer (chapters 1, 2)

8 Words Stirs Up Revival in Ninevah (3)

Jonah Wants Napalm but Learns a Lesson in Mercy (4)

Did You Notice???

- **How active God is in this book?**
(1: 4...1: 17...2: 10...4: 6...4: 7...4: 8)

What Do We Have in Common with Jonah?

- *Ever try to "distance" yourself from God?*
- *Ever been saved when you deserved to die? Ever miraculously spared?*
- *Ever hoped God would pound your enemies with justice?
Resented His mercy towards them?*
- *Ever been humbled when God revealed your sin?*
- *Does it bother you much that folks are going to hell? Including kids?*