

## JONAH

### The Prophet Who Ran from God

#### RUNNING FROM GOD

**1. RUNNING FROM GOD STARTS WITH GETTING ANGRY WITH GOD.**

Jonah 1:1-4; 4:2

**2. RUNNING FROM GOD TAKES SEVERAL FORMS.**

**3. RUNNING FROM GOD HAS NEGATIVE CONSEQUENCES.**

A. God will send a storm. Jonah 1:4

B. You will put other people in danger. Jonah 1:5-6

C. You will be consumed by regret and guilt. Jonah 1:12

**4. RUNNING FROM GOD IS FUTILE**

Jonah 1:17; Psalm 139:7-12

## RETURNING TO GOD

**1. REPENT OF YOUR RUNNING**

Jonah 2:1,2,4,7, 10

**2. RESUME YOUR CALLING**

A. God is a God of second changes.

Jonah 3:1-2

B. Go back to where you got off track in the first place. Jonah 3:3-4

C. God can bless you when you return to Him. Jonah 3:5

**3. REFUSE TO GET OFF TRACK**

**Jonah 4:1-3**