

GUIDED BIBLE STUDY

Salvation Comes from the Lord

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Highlighted Scripture

Jonah 2:9 (KJV)

But I will sacrifice unto thee with the voice of thanksgiving; I will pay that that I have vowed. Salvation is of the Lord.

Jonah 3:10 (KJV)

And God saw their works, that they turned from their evil way; and God repented of the evil, that he had said that he would do unto them; and he did it not.

Jonah 4:2 (KJV)

And he prayed unto the Lord, and said, I pray thee, O Lord, was not this my saying, when I was yet in my country? Therefore I fled before unto Tarshish: for I knew that thou art a gracious God, and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, and repentest thee of the evil.

Discussion Questions

- 1. Why do you think Jonah resisted God's call to go to Nineveh?
- 2. How can remembering your own forgiveness help you extend mercy to others?

- 3. What does Jonah's story reveal about God's character and His heart toward repentance?
- 4. When have you found it hard to obey God's direction because it didn't align with your feelings or opinions?

Reflection Challenge

- Reflect on someone or a group of people you've struggled to forgive or show compassion toward. Pray for them this week.
- Meditate on Jonah 2:9 "Salvation is of the Lord." Ask God to help you see others through His eyes.
- Make a commitment to say, "Lord, send me," whenever God places an
 opportunity to serve or share before you.

🙏 Prayer Prompt

"Lord, help us to see that all You created are good and worthy to receive Your goodness and forgiveness. Help us all to have a repentant heart so we can accept Your love. Don't let us run away from the tasks You assign us, but help us to run toward them with open arms.

I pray these things, Lord, in Your mighty name. Amen."