

Salvation is of the Lord

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What We Believe, part 2

Jonah 1-4

- I. The story
 - A. Jonah
 - B. The sailors and the storm (1:8, 10)
 - C. Jonah in the fish's belly(2:8, 9)
 - D. Nineveh (3:4)
 - E. The pity of God
 - F. The question

- II. Salvation is the Lord's to grant
 - A. To whomever he chooses to save (Matthew 22:11-14; John 15:16; Deuteronomy 7:7-8; 1 John 4:19)
 - B. Denials of God's sovereignty in salvation (1 John 1:8-10)

- III. Salvation is so radical that only the Lord can do it
 - A. Putting to death and bringing to life (1 Samuel 2:6)
 - B. Transforming the human heart (Jeremiah 17:9)
 - C. A total salvation
 - D. Causing and calming storms
 - E. What is our response to this powerful Lord?

- IV. Salvation reveals the heart of the Lord
 - A. The hatred of God for human evil
 - B. The passionate love of God for human beings
 - C. There's another piece to this: the trouble is not optional ...
 - D. Another sleeper in a storm