

## **SERMON** NOTES

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Use this sheet to help you think through the sermon today.

Preacher/Speaker
Scripture Passage
Additional Verses

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## Day One—Sermon Application

In today's sermon, we learned that believers will persevere (Romans 8:31-34). Which of these verses means the most to you? Why?

Are you experiencing any of these things mentioned in verse 35? Who is behind this in your life—God, Satan or other people? For what purpose are these things happening?

## **Day Two—Worship Preparation**

Next Sunday, we'll be singing a new song called *Man of Sorrows*. Spend some time praying through the lyrics of this song.

Man of sorrows Lamb of God	Oh that rugged cross
By His own betrayed	My salvation
The sin of man and wrath of God	Where Your love poured out over me
Has been on Jesus laid	Now my soul cries out
Silent as He stood accused Beaten mocked and scorned	Hallelujah Praise and honour unto Thee
Bowing to the Father's will He took a crown of thorns	Here is a link if you want to listen. https://youtu.be/YIOJ5o8W4Lw

## Day Three—Sermon Anticipation

Read the story of Jonah, the great fish and the city of Ninevah in Jonah 1-4.

Jonah is often called the reluctant missionary. He was disobedient, selfish, sinful and had a lousy disposition; and yet God saw fit to use him. The people of Nineveh were proud, and the city was sinking in corruption. The prophet, Nahum, called it "the bloody city, all full of lies and plunder." They were known for their brutality and their cruelty. So the question is... If God asked you, would you go?

IN JONAH 4:2, we discover why Jonah did not want to go in the first place. He realized what would happen if he went. The Bryan Taylor translation of that verse says, "If I go to Ninevah, that whole place will repent, so I'm not going!" Have there ever been times that you felt this way in your own heart about something?

APPLICATION: Each of us has a Ninevah—a place we do not want to go, but God is calling us to go. Where is your Ninevah?