

SERMON NOTES

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

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Scripture Passage	
Additional Verses	

Did you miss part of the "Vintage Faith" Series? Go to: http://www.templerogers.org/sermon-series/vintage-faith/	
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Day One—Sermon Application

As we studied Jonah 1:17-2:10, we learned some clear cut steps toward repentance. What are those steps? In what areas of your life do you need to repent? Will you do that today?

Repentance includes an acknowledgment of wrong and desire to do what is right. Throughout Jonah 2, he recounts all the ways he did wrong. In verse 9, what does he say he will do in the future? What will you do to find your way back to God?

Day Two—Worship Preparation

Next Sunday, we will be singing the song **Behold the Throne of God**. Spend some time praying over these lyrics.

Before the throne of God above
I have a strong, a perfect plea;
a great High Priest, whose name is Love,
who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on his hands,
my name is written on his heart;
I know that while in heaven he stands
no tongue can bid me thence depart

When Satan tempts me to despair and tells me of the guilt within, upward I look, and see him there who made an end of all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free; for God the Just is satisfied to look on him and pardon me

Day Three—Sermon Anticipation

Read and meditate on Jonah 4 today.

There are few things that I encourage you to consider today:

- 1. Jonah proclaimed, "That's why I was going to Tarshish, because I knew that You are a gracious and compassionate God, slow to anger; abundant in loving kindness and one who relents concerning calamity." Is that unbelievable? When he experiences the greatest revival in history, he becomes angry. Do we act this way sometimes in our lives and churches? If they get saved then that means they, in all their high maintenance lives, will invade my space and time?
- 2. The Lord said, "Do you have good reason to be angry?" Have you ever just had one of those days that you were angry when you woke up? I know I have! Why? No reason really. God reminds me daily that I really have nothing to be angry about.
- 3. Read Jonah 4. What's the main point of this passage? Do you have the same problem as Jonah? Do you care more about plants than you do people? Are you more consumed about physical/tangible things than the spiritual wellbeing of others?