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Title: Man Overboard!
Text: Jonah 1

Introduction

God does what he wants; and what he wants is mercy.

I. The Prophet *Running away*

II. The Sailors *Lost and dying*

III. The God *Deliverance and mercy*

“Therefore, as one trespass led to condemnation for all men, so one act of righteousness leads to justification and life for all men.” (Romans 5:18)

Conclusion

- As the story starts, what’s the shock about Jonah? Why does he do it?
- What’s the irony between God’s prophet and the pagan sailors?
- Can we thwart God? What does that mean for disobedience?
- How does Jonah image Christ in chapter 1?
- How is this a tale of mercy so far?