

WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU GET A SECOND CHANCE

The Manifestation of Your Life Mission
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Jonah 3:1-10

"Then the word of the Lord came to Jonah the second time." Jonah 3:1 (ESV)

GOD DELIGHTS IN SHOWING US GRACE & MERCY

"A man who refuses to admit his mistakes can never be successful. But if he confesses and forsakes them, he gets another chance." Proverbs 28:13 (TLB)

"The faithful love of the Lord never ends! His mercies never cease. Great is his faithfulness; his mercies begin afresh each morning." Lamentations 3:22-23 (NLT)

EVERY NEW DAY _____

WHAT DO I DO WHEN GOD GIVES ME ANOTHER CHANCE?

1. _____
"I with the voice of thanksgiving will sacrifice to you; what I have vowed I will pay. Salvation belongs to the Lord!" And the Lord spoke to the fish, and it vomited Jonah out upon the dry land." Jonah 2:9-10 (ESV)

- _____ **TO GOD**
"It is good to say thank you to the Lord, to sing praises to God . . . Every morning tell him, 'Thank you for your kindness!'" Psalms 92:1-2 (TLB)

- _____ **IN THANKS TO GOD**
"Those people honor who bring me offerings to show thanks. And I, God, will save those who do that." Psalms 50:23 (NCV)

- _____ **TO GOD'S MISSION FOR ME**
"Give yourselves completely to God—every part of you—for you are back from death and you want to be tools in the hands of God, to be used for his good purposes." Romans 6:13 (TLB)

2. _____
"Do not let the grace that you received from God be for nothing!"
2 Corinthians 6:1 (NCV)

Paul: "I don't care about my own life. The most important thing is that I complete my mission, the work that the Lord Jesus gave me—to tell people the Good News about God's grace." Acts 20:24 (NCV)

"Then the Lord spoke to Jonah again: 'Go to that great city, Nineveh . . . and warn them of their doom, as I told you to before!'" Jonah 3:1-2 (TLB)

Circumstances may change me but _____

"God's gifts and his call can never be withdrawn; he will never go back on his promises." Romans 11:29 (TLB)

3. _____
"Jonah set out and journeyed to Nineveh in obedience to the command of the Lord." Jonah 3:3 (NCB)

_____ **obedience is disobedience**

4. _____
This is one part of your Life Mission

"The city was so big that it took three days just to walk through it. After walking for a day, Jonah warned the people." Jonah 3:3-4 (CEV)

A Warning: cautionary advice about a danger, trap, or problem

"For three years I never stopped warning each of you night and day with tears!"
Acts 20:31 (NIV)

"Jonah warned the people, 'Forty days from now, Nineveh will be destroyed!'"
Jonah 3:4 (NCV)

We are to humbly accept warnings & lovingly give warnings

WHEN?

1. **WHEN PEOPLE ARE** _____

2. **WHEN PEOPLE ARE** _____

5. _____
"The people of Nineveh believed God . . . dressed in sackcloth . . . the king of Nineveh, he got up from his throne, took off his robe, put on sackcloth, and sat in ashes. Then he made this announcement and sent it throughout the city: ' . . . No one is to eat or drink anything. Turn from your wicked ways and your acts of violence. Who knows? God may reconsider his plans and turn from his burning anger so that we won't die.' God saw what they did. He saw that they turned from their wicked ways. So God reconsidered his threat to destroy them, and he didn't do it." Jonah 3:5-10 (GW)

"Warn each other every day, while it is still 'today', so that none of you will be deceived by sin and hardened against God. For if we are faithful to the end, trusting God just as firmly as when we first believed, we will share in all that

belongs to Christ . . . When you hear his voice, don't harden your hearts as Israel did when they rebelled." Hebrews 3:13-15 (NLT)

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