

The Book of Jonah:

“God’s Sovereign Grace Toward Rebellious Sinners”

(All References Are From The English Standard Version, (ESV) Unless Otherwise Noted)

Chapter 4:1-5 - “Growing In Grace & Forgiveness - Part 12 of 2”

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Jonah 4:1-5:

[1] *But it displeased Jonah exceedingly, and he was angry.*

[2] *And he prayed to the LORD and said, “O LORD, is not this what I said when I was yet in my country? That is why I made haste to flee to Tarshish; for I knew that You are a gracious God and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love, and relenting from disaster.*

[3] *Therefore now, O LORD, please take my life from me, for it is better for me to die than to live.”*

[4] *And the LORD said, “Do you do well to be angry?”*

[5] *Jonah went out of the city and sat to the east of the city and made a booth for himself there. He sat under it in the shade, till he should see what would become of the city.*

Romans 9:14-15

What shall we say then? Is there injustice on God's part? By no means! For He says to Moses, “I will have mercy on whom I have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I have compassion.”

Romans 3:23

for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God

Romans 6:23

For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Job 40:4

“Behold, I am of small account; what shall I answer You? I lay my hand on my mouth.”

Matthew 5:23-24

So if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift.

Matthew 6:14-15

For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

Matthew 18:21-35

(The Parable of The Unforgiving Debtor)