



Dr. Dye Lesson Recap Jonah Chapter 4 Part 1| 02/19/2023| “ I Told You So”

## **I Told You So**

**The following recap of Jonah Chapter 4:1-5 = 02-19-23 lesson.**

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*Little Sistar sat on a wall; Little Sistar had a great fall; All the kings' horses and all the kings men couldn't put Little Sistar together again!*

*It's all God! When God puts you together you end up better than what you were before!*

*Rejoice Sistar because you have the strength and knowledge of the Lord!*

### **I. I'm so Mad!!!! (The Second Pit)**

- Jonah was angry because of an “it”- what is the it? It was the destruction that God was going to bring to Nineveh
- Jonah was exceedingly upset by the actions of the Ninevites he obeyed God but it was unwillingly. Jonah went from one pit to another.
- Have you ever entered into bondage because of your being angry?
- Do you have Ninevites in your life and want to see them get even?
- Do you ever have thoughts of wanting God to “sickem” because of the evil that was done to you?
- Don't try to take vengeance onto others; allow God to do the “getting”
- God is not a respecter of person he loves all with an everlasting love!
- Your enemies deserve all that we deserve, death! But God is a God of mercy which is why you should not wish ill on your enemies.
- God shows you compassion so you should be compassionate to others.
- You should not want others to be lost but all to be saved!
- Pray for all those that have done you wrong and allow God to step in and change their hearts!



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## II. I’d rather be dead!

- Are you angry when you see the Lord blessing your enemy?
- Are you really happy when you see your enemy have a change in heart?
- Do you find yourself waiting for the opportunity to say, “I told you so?”
- Sistar God wants you to obey but he wants you to do it willingly not out of a spiteful heart.
- Do you think that just because you have been mistreated that God will not allow others to talk about you?
- If God didn’t allow his son to bypass being ridiculed what makes you think you would be any different?
- It’s easy to take chastisement when you’ve did something wrong but it’s not easy when you know you have done things correctly. Allow God to do the judging and carrying out vengeance.
- Your purpose in God is higher than instant gratification.
- When you take vengeance in your own hands you miss seeing the total hand of God!
- Remember that it’s not about you Sistar! God’s purpose is about him and his eternal plan.
- Get rid of your own agenda and allow God to take root in your life!
- God’s plan is for you to be renewed daily by the renewal of your heart!
- If you find yourself wishing ill on your enemies and acting out in your emotions, you are not allowing God to execute his plan.
- What is your mind focused on? What is your attitude?
- You show your attitude by what your attached too!
- You can cooperate with God’s word by not reacting in your emotions!

To Be Cont’d on 2-26-23

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