# ***Jonah: Shipping Out and Shaping Up!***

Study #1: Jonah 1:1-2 ***Jonah: The Prepared Prophet*** Dr. Harlan Betz

**1A. INTRODUCTION: Why study Jonah?**

1. Jonah gives us a clear picture of ourselves.

2. Jonah reveals seven truths about God!

**2A. INSTRUCTION: What does it say? What does it mean?**

**The Call:** *The word of the Lord came to Jonah*  **(1:1)**

**The Word of the Lord has come to you in three ways:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Jonah is called as a prophet and Jonah is prepared as a Prophet.**

Those God calls, God \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_! (1 Thessalonians 5:24)!

**Jonah can be broken down by chapters this way:**

In chapter one Jonah is in a ship, going \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ God.

In chapter two Jonah is in a fish, going \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ God.

In chapter three Jonah is in a city, going \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_God.

In chapter four Jonah is in a booth, going \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ God.

**The Commission**: *Arise and go!” “Get up and go!”*  **(1:2)**

We need to hear these words!

(Acts 1:8; Matt 28:18-20; Rom. 1:16; 1 Pet. 3:15; Rom. 10:15).

We have the only true message of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**The Concern:** *Ninevah* **(1:2)**

Great in prestige:

Great in power:

Great in prosperity:

Great in perversity:

**3A. IMPLICATIONS: How does this apply to my life?**

1. **Wake up!**

**2. Speak up!**