

Sermon Notes – November 1, 2015
“For God So Loved ... Iraq?”
Book of Jonah
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Brief outline of Jonah

- Chapter 1: The LORD calls, Jonah runs.
- Chapter 2: Jonah prays, the LORD delivers him.
- Chapter 3: Jonah obeys, Nineveh repents.
- Chapter 4: The LORD is compassionate, Jonah is angry.

Sometimes God calls people to places and situations where they don't want to be.

- Looking backward, can you recognize some situations in your life that were not what you wanted, but you now see were the places God wanted you to be?

The Israelite, Jonah, was repulsed that the LORD would show compassion toward the gentile, pagan people of Nineveh.

- Is there a group of people – or perhaps an individual – whom you would find it difficult to minister to, and might even be upset with God, were he to lead them to repentance and faith in Himself?