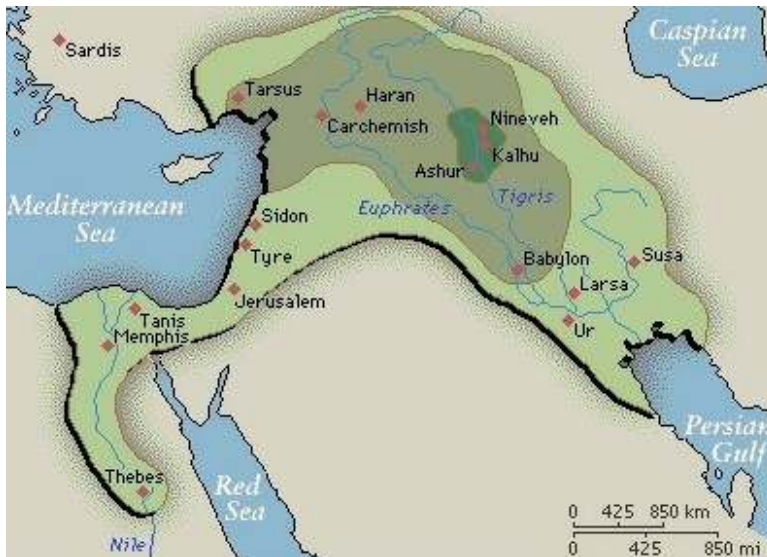


You Are A
Merciful God
Jonah 4:2

"Men have been looking so long at the great fish in Jonah that they have failed to see the great God of Jonah."
G. Campbell Morgan



Nineveh is located opposite the modern city of Mosul in Northern Iraq!

The Book of Jonah

Reading the entire book...

There are eight miracles of nature

Storms, a fish, a plant, and a worm

Chapter 1

Circumstantial guidance: Wanting to go somewhere and the means to do it just shows up—but is it really God's perfect will?

Chapter 2

Unless you understand that Jonah WAS dead inside the fish you will not understand the meaning of the story. See Matthew 12:40

Chapter 3

Three days in the fish and three days to walk the city!

Chapter 4

The great message of Jonah is that God cares for (has pity on) Nineveh. Likewise, today He cares for—has compassion on—the entire world. Starting with those around us!

The Power Driven Church
The Power of
God's Mercy

Getting or not getting what you deserve!



Mercy & The
Kingdom Of God

Matthew 20:1-16

The Parable of the Workers in the Vineyard

The Kingdom of Heaven is like...

A. Two Kingdoms in Conflict

1. The Kingdom of this world: Merit

Merit is based on getting what we deserve.

Many say, "But that's not fair..."

The employees in the parable

Jonah's attitude about Nineveh

2. The Kingdom of Heaven: Mercy

Mercy is based on getting what we do not deserve—but what we need.

The employer in the parable

God's attitude towards Nineveh

B. Mercy and Rights

*In the Kingdom of heaven you have
no rights—only mercies!*

David Pawson

- A healthy body is not a right—it's a mercy!
- Salvation is not a right—it's a mercy!
- Peace is not a right—it's a mercy!

And He said, I will make all My goodness pass before thee, and I will proclaim the name of the LORD before thee; and will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. Exodus 33:19

For he saith to Moses, I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion. Romans 9:15

Blessed are the merciful, For they shall obtain mercy. Matthew 5:7