Jonah # 7- RESTORATION

| Te | xt: Jonah 2:1-10 |
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| <u>l.</u> | (vs.1-6) |
| • | The Lord doesn't careit happens just so it happens! |
| • | Literally—"From the belly of, I called." |
| • | Prayer is appropriate and at any time. |
| • | Three things about the water: it was, heavy, and overwhelming. |
| • | The alternative to US saying to GOD, "Your will be done is GOD saying to US, "Okay, will be done!" |
| • | God will allow us to go through circumstances to draw us back to Himself. |
| <u>II.</u> | (vs.7-9) |
| • | Jonah's "false gods"—self-will, radical nationalism, and prejudice. |
| • | Jonah has finally accepted the fact that redemption will even come from the Lord for the! |
| <u>III.</u> | (v.10) |
| • | This rancid stench represents what God thinks of, disobedience, and sin in general. |
| CC | <u>ONCLUSION</u> |
| • | The thing that us the most could be the very thing God will use to make us more <i>fruitful</i> and <i>faithful</i> . |