



**FREEDOM CHURCH**



# Jonah & The Whale

# Obedience mercy and transformation

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**Go to the great city  
of Nineveh and  
preach against it,  
because its  
wickedness has  
come up before  
me.**





**But Jonah ran away from the LORD and headed for Tarshish. He went down to Joppa, where he found a ship bound for that port. After paying the fare, he went aboard and sailed for Tarshish to flee from the LORD.**



**Psalm 33v11**

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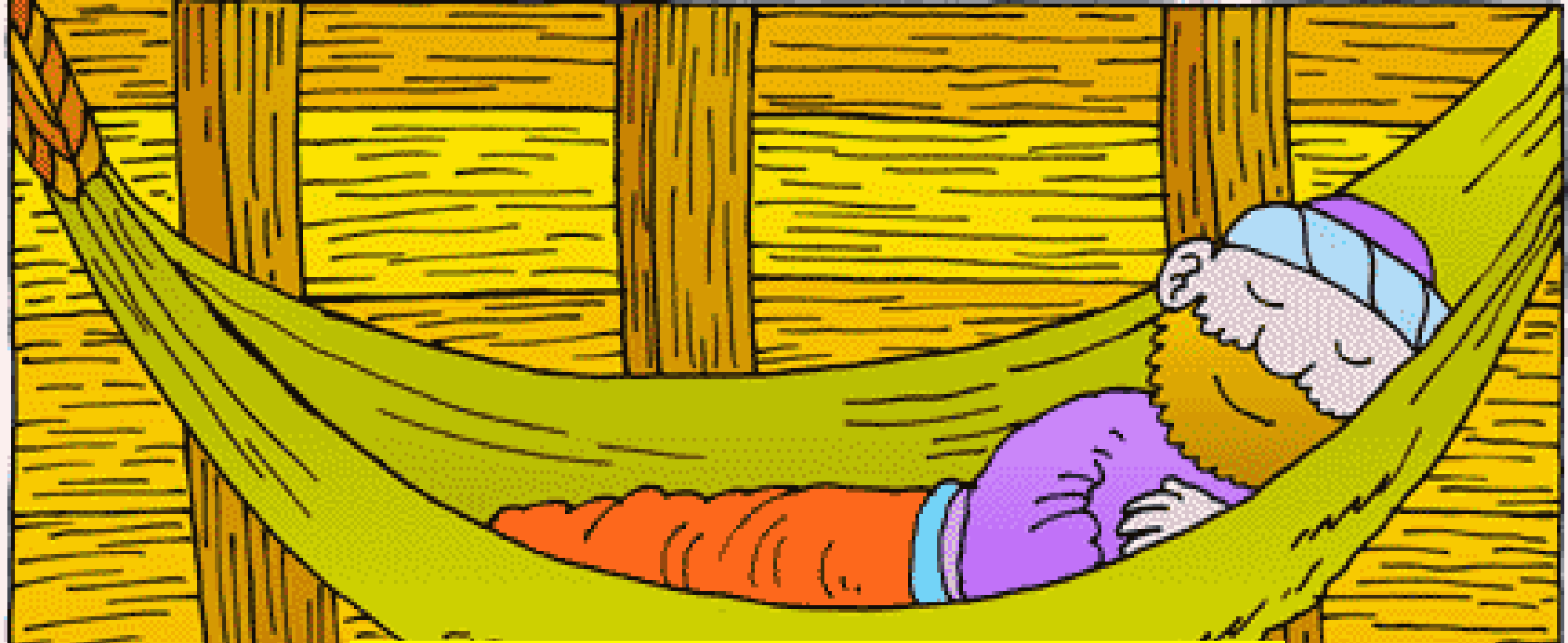
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*Why do you call me 'Lord, Lord,' and  
not do what I tell you?*

Luke 6:46



**Jonah asleep**



God sent a  
huge storm

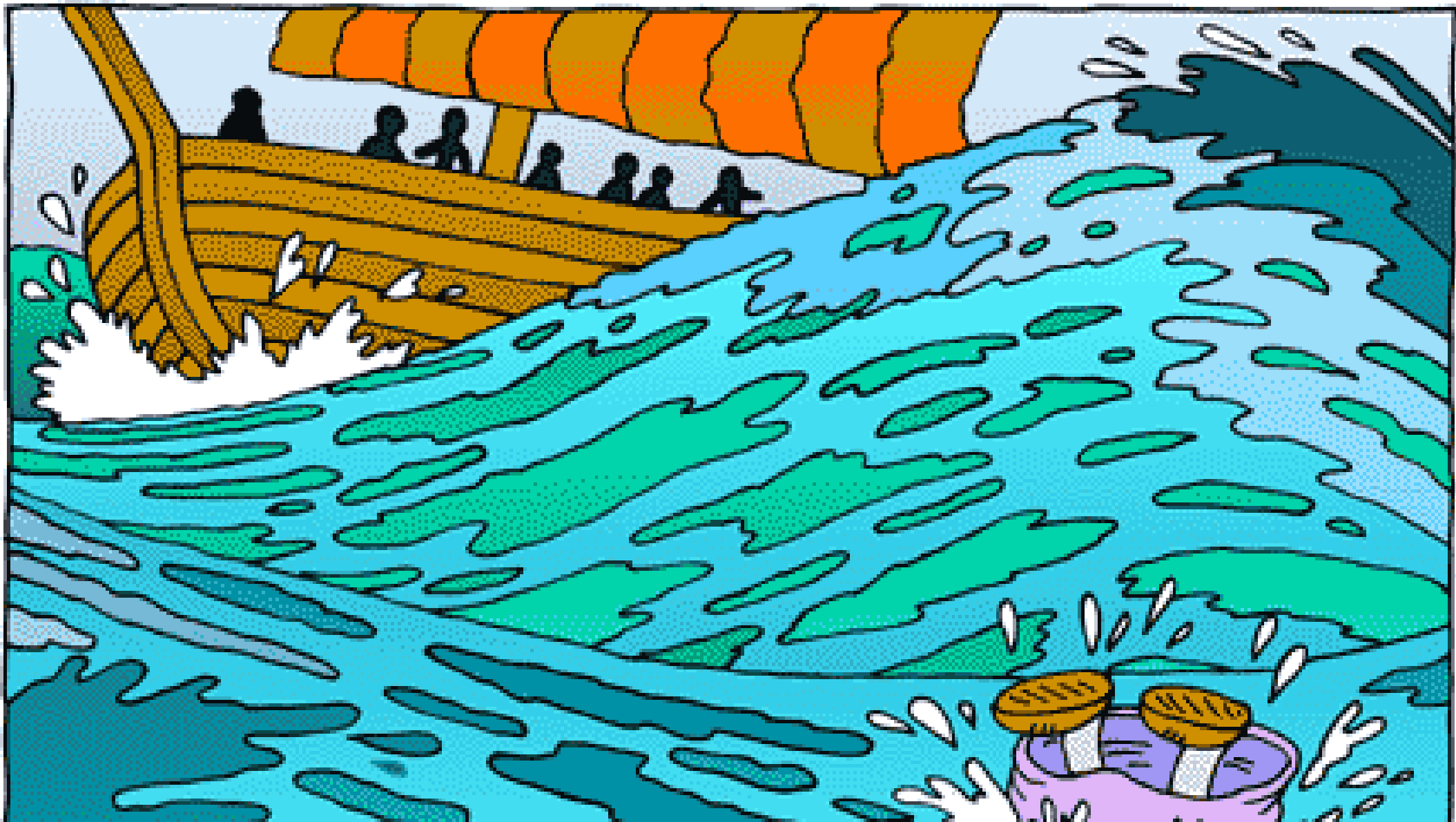


**How can you sleep? Get up and call on your god! Maybe he will take notice of us so that we will not perish.'**

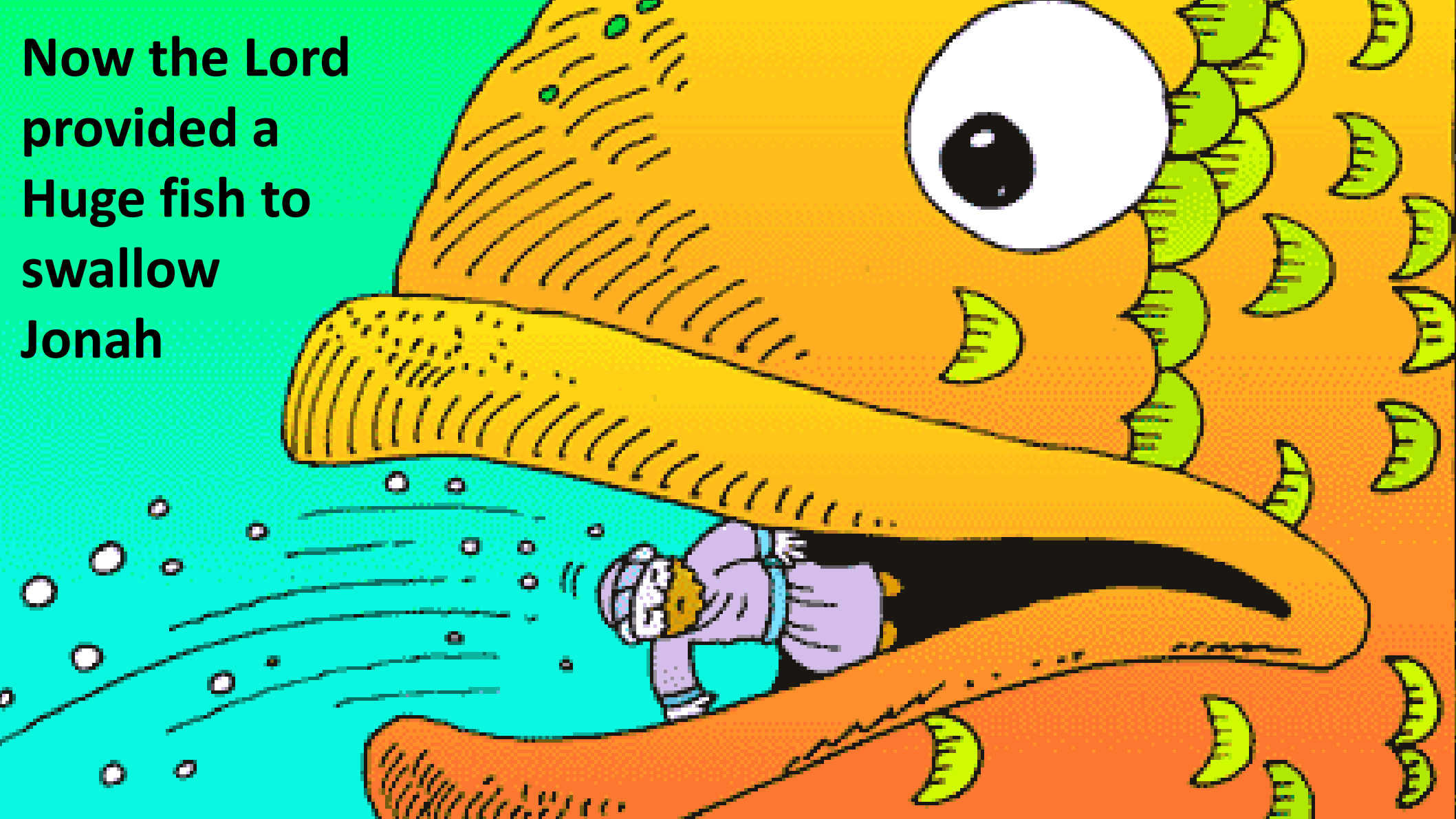




**IT'S  
ALL  
MY  
FAULT!**



Now the Lord  
provided a  
Huge fish to  
swallow  
Jonah





Jonah cried  
out to God  
because he  
was  
desperate



You hurled me  
into the depths,  
into the very heart  
of the seas, and  
the currents  
swirled about me;  
all your waves and  
breakers swept  
over me.



**To the roots of the mountains I sank down; the earth beneath barred me in for ever. But you, LORD my God, brought my life up from the pit.**





**Those who cling  
to worthless  
idols turn away  
from God's love  
for them.**



**But I, with shouts  
of grateful praise,  
will sacrifice to  
you.**

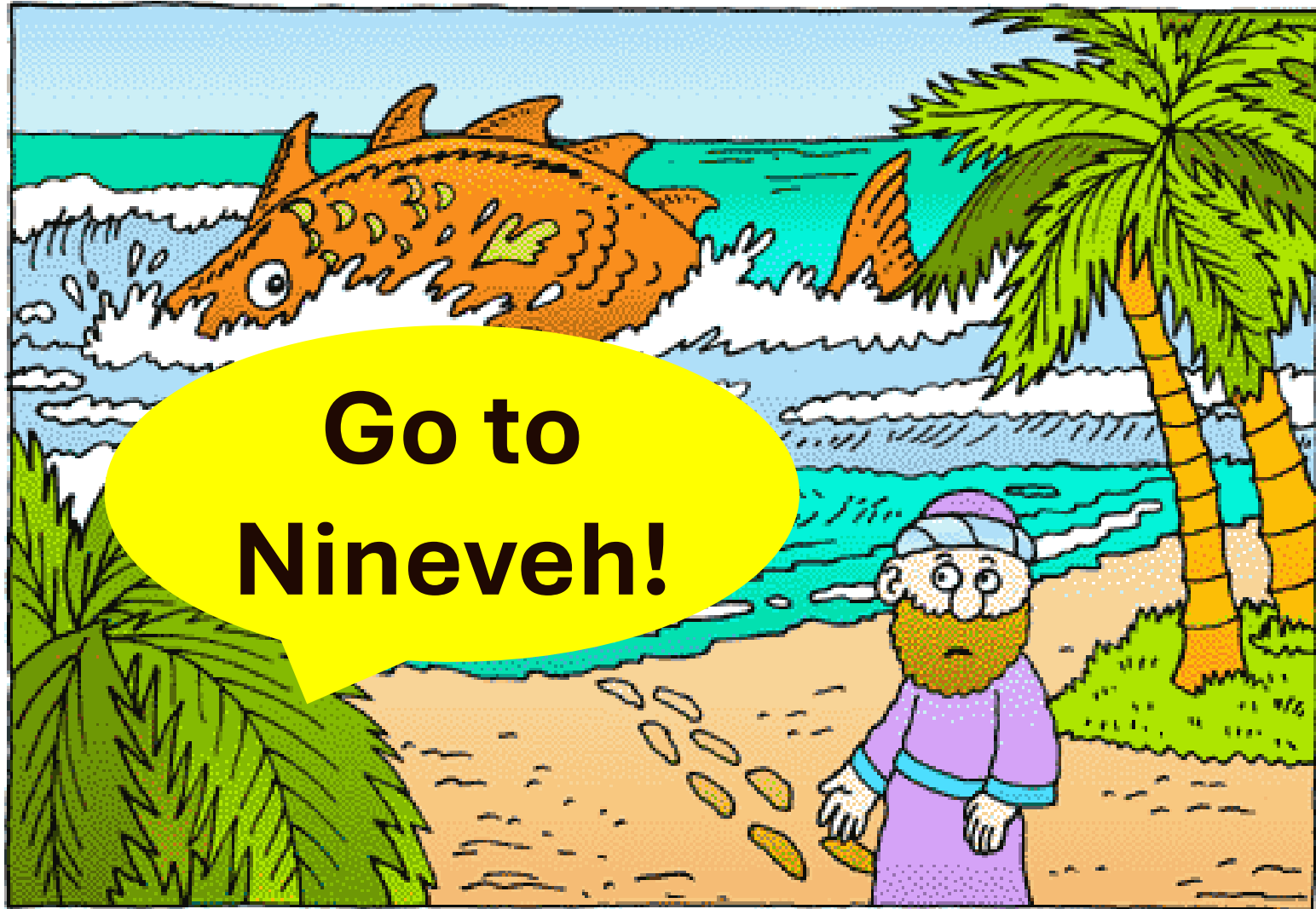
**What I have  
vowed I will  
make good. I will  
say, "Salvation  
comes from  
the LORD."**



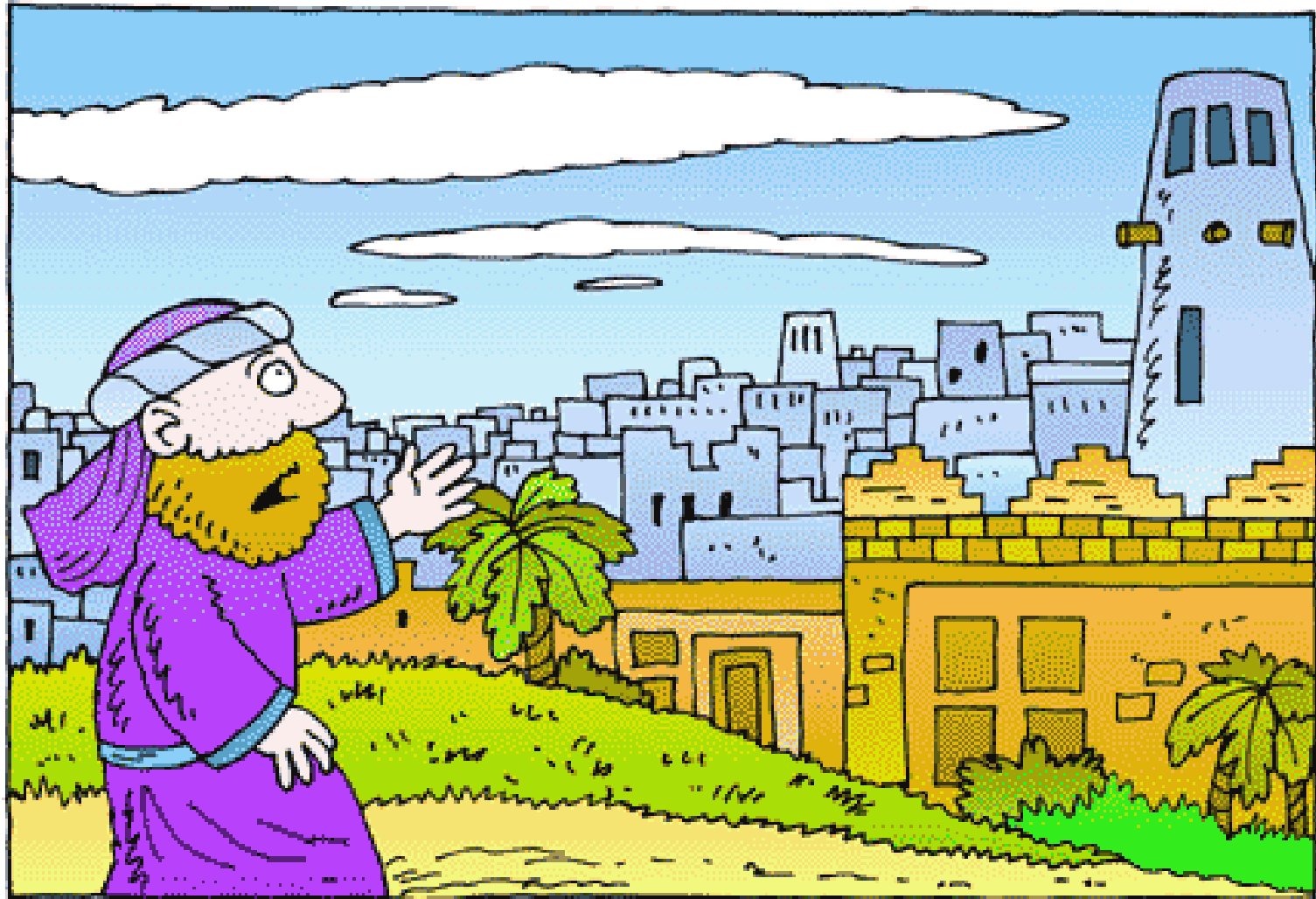




Then the word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time: 2 'Go to the great city of Nineveh and proclaim to it the message I give you.'



**Jonah obeyed  
the word of  
the Lord and  
went to  
Nineveh. Now  
Nineveh was  
a very large  
city.**







**REPENT**



**STOP  
BEING  
BAD!**



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