



WHERE: Are there any geographical references? If you come to a geographical location, mark it (maybe double underline) and color code.

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WHEN: Are there any references to time? Days, months, years, or words like *before*, *after*, *then*, and *until*. Mark the references to time with a simple clock drawing. Draw a circle with two hands.

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KEY WORDS AND PHRASES: This is usually made up of repeated words or phrases. When you find a key word or phrase, mark them distinctly by color and symbol. Examine the word's context to see what you can learn about it.

Example: prayed (Jonah 2:1) – What is said about it? Context around it?

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ANY COMPARISONS AND CONTRASTS THAT YOU OBSERVE:

Example: “...I went down...” vs. “...yet you brought up my life...”

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CAUSE AND EFFECT RELATIONSHIPS:

Example: “...Lord appointed... ->- ...swallow up Jonah...”

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SUMMARIZE THE PARAGRAPHS: (Short phrase or sentence.)

*Jonah 1:17

*Jonah 2:1-9

*Jonah 2:10

OTHER OBSERVATIONS YOU HAVE MADE:

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Jonah 1:17-2:10

17 And the Lord appointed a great fish to swallow Jonah, and Jonah was in the stomach of the fish three days and three nights.

Jonah's Prayer

2 Then Jonah prayed to the Lord his God from the stomach of the fish, and he said,

“I called out of my distress to the Lord,
And He answered me.

I cried for help from the depth of Sheol;
You heard my voice.

3 “For You had cast me into the deep,
Into the heart of the seas,
And the current engulfed me.

All Your breakers and billows passed over me.

4 “So I said, ‘I have been expelled from Your sight.
Nevertheless I will look again toward Your holy temple.’

5 “Water encompassed me to the point of death.

The great deep engulfed me,
Weeds were wrapped around my head.

6 “I descended to the roots of the mountains.

The earth with its bars was around me forever,
But You have brought up my life from the pit, O Lord my
God.

7 “While I was fainting away,
I remembered the Lord,
And my prayer came to You,
Into Your holy temple.

8 “Those who regard vain idols
Forsake their faithfulness,

9 But I will sacrifice to You
With the voice of thanksgiving.
That which I have vowed I will pay.
Salvation is from the Lord.”

10 Then the Lord commanded the fish, and it vomited
Jonah up onto the dry land.