

## **How Can You Sleep? Get Up And Call On Your God!**

Jonah 1:1-6

1 The word of the LORD came to Jonah son of Amittai:

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

3 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.

4 Then the LORD sent a great wind on the sea, and such a violent storm arose that the ship threatened to break up.

5 All the sailors were afraid and each cried out to his own god. And they threw the cargo into the sea to lighten the ship.

But Jonah had gone below deck, where he lay down and fell into a deep sleep.

6 The captain went to him and said, "How can you sleep? Get up and call on your god! Maybe he will take notice of us so that we will not perish."

Vs 5b But Jonah had gone below deck, where he lay down and fell into a deep sleep.

Is. 5:20 - woe unto them that call evil good and good evil, that put darkness for light and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter.

And he goes on to say in vs 23

Is. 5:23 - Which justify the wicked for reward, and take away the righteousness of the righteous from him!

Isa 56:10 - His watchmen are blind, they are all ignorant, they are sleeping dogs, they cannot bark. Sleeping, lying down, loving to slumber.

Jer. 8:11 - They have healed the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly saying peace, peace, when there was no peace.

Isa 58:1 - "Shout it aloud, do not hold back. Raise your voice like a trumpet. Declare to my people their rebellion and to the house of Jacob their sins.

1Cor. 14:8 - Again, if the trumpet does not sound a clear call, who will get ready for battle?

Joel 3:9 - Proclaim this among the nations: Prepare for war! Rouse the warriors! Let all the fighting men draw near and attack.

1Thess. 5:6-7

6. So then, let us not be like others, who are asleep, but let us be alert and self-controlled.

7. For those who sleep, sleep at night, and those who get drunk, get drunk at night.

Rom. 13:11 And that knowing the time it is high time to awake out of sleep for now is our salvation nearer than when we believed.

Rom. 12:2 - Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is--his good, pleasing and perfect will.