

## Jon 3:6-9

Jonah Week 19

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1. Verse 6a:										
A. For word	came unto the king The word of in v. 4 is referred to as the in v. 5.									
Application #1: If v	ve have the Word of God, we have the Word of not an									
2. Verses 6b-8:										
A. The King and then all others by decree did the following after believing God's Words:										
(1)	Humbled themselves: Sackcloth and ashes.									
Application #2: Our thrones are thrones of We must get off the throne in										
to God to see awork in our lives.										
(2)	Fasted: Fastedsin and fastedsin.									
(3)	Prayed: They prayed because there was ato pray.									
(4)	Repented:									
	Fromhis evil way: The way of life based on carnal ungodly									
	Fromthe violence that is in their hands: This is what they were									
Application #3: Prayer and Fasting are disciplines that move us fromto ways and actions.										
3. Verse 9: They were trusting in and hoping for That is, that they would receive what they deserved to receive from the Holy God.										

## **Small Group Questions:**

- 1. Have you been understanding God's Word as the authority, or as an advisor in your life? Please explain.
- 2. Have you ever struggled to receive God's Word as authoritative because you do not like how it is preached? What needs to change?
- 3. What will it look like to "arise from your throne" and humbly submit to God's word as your authority? What specific verses could you obey in order to do so? How would you do that this week?