

<sup>1</sup>Then Jonah prayed unto the LORD his God out of the fish's belly,<sup>2</sup>And said, I cried by reason of mine affliction unto the LORD, and he heard me; out of the belly of hell cried I, and thou heardest my voice.<sup>3</sup>For thou hadst cast me into the deep, in the midst of the seas; and the floods compassed me about: all thy billows and thy waves passed over me.<sup>4</sup>Then I said, I am cast out of thy sight; yet I will look again toward thy holy temple.<sup>5</sup>The waters compassed me about, even to the soul: the depth closed me round about, the weeds

were wrapped about my head.<sup>6</sup>I went down to the bottoms of the mountains; the earth with her bars was about me for ever: yet hast thou brought up my life from corruption, O LORD my God.<sup>7</sup>When my soul fainted within me I remembered the LORD: and my prayer came in unto thee, into thine holy temple.<sup>8</sup>They that observe lying vanities forsake their own mercy.<sup>9</sup>But I will sacrifice unto thee with the voice of thanksgiving; I will pay that that I have vowed. Salvation is of the LORD.<sup>10</sup>And the LORD spake unto the fish, and it vomited out Jonah upon the dry land .