

PATH OF A SEEKER

Life Group Discussion:

Icebreaker: Describe the worst storm you have ever been in.

Read Jonah 1:7-16.

1. If lots used to be cast to know God's will, how do we know God's will now?
2. What do you think might have been going through Jonah's mind when he told the sailors to throw him into the sea?
3. In your spiritual life, which direction are you running: away from God, next to God, to God, or behind God? Why?
4. How do you respond to natural catastrophes like the earthquake in Haiti? What would be the outcome if God intervened more often and dramatically in our world?
5. What outcome do you think the sudden stilling of the storm had on the sailors? How are they like or unlike unchurched people in your circle of influence?
6. Using these attitudes of unchurched people, how could you and your group engage with people in your circles of influence?
 - Interested in God more than church.
 - Hold to an adaptable and varied morality.
 - Want reasons for values more than rules.
 - Uninformed & confused about the Bible.
 - Shy about asking spiritual questions.
 - Practicality and experience over the "truth."
 - Look for meaningful relationships.
 - Join causes that make a difference.
 - Interesting spiritual training for kids.