

# 'Oh My God, I'm in the Mouth of a Whale': What It's Like Being Swallowed by a Humpback

Recounted the harrowing – and painful – moment he realized that he was in the closed mouth of one of the world's biggest creatures, likely by accident, experts said

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...he was in the mouth of a humpback whale for more than 20 seconds off the Cape Cod coast.

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# SULKING FACE, SAVING GRACE

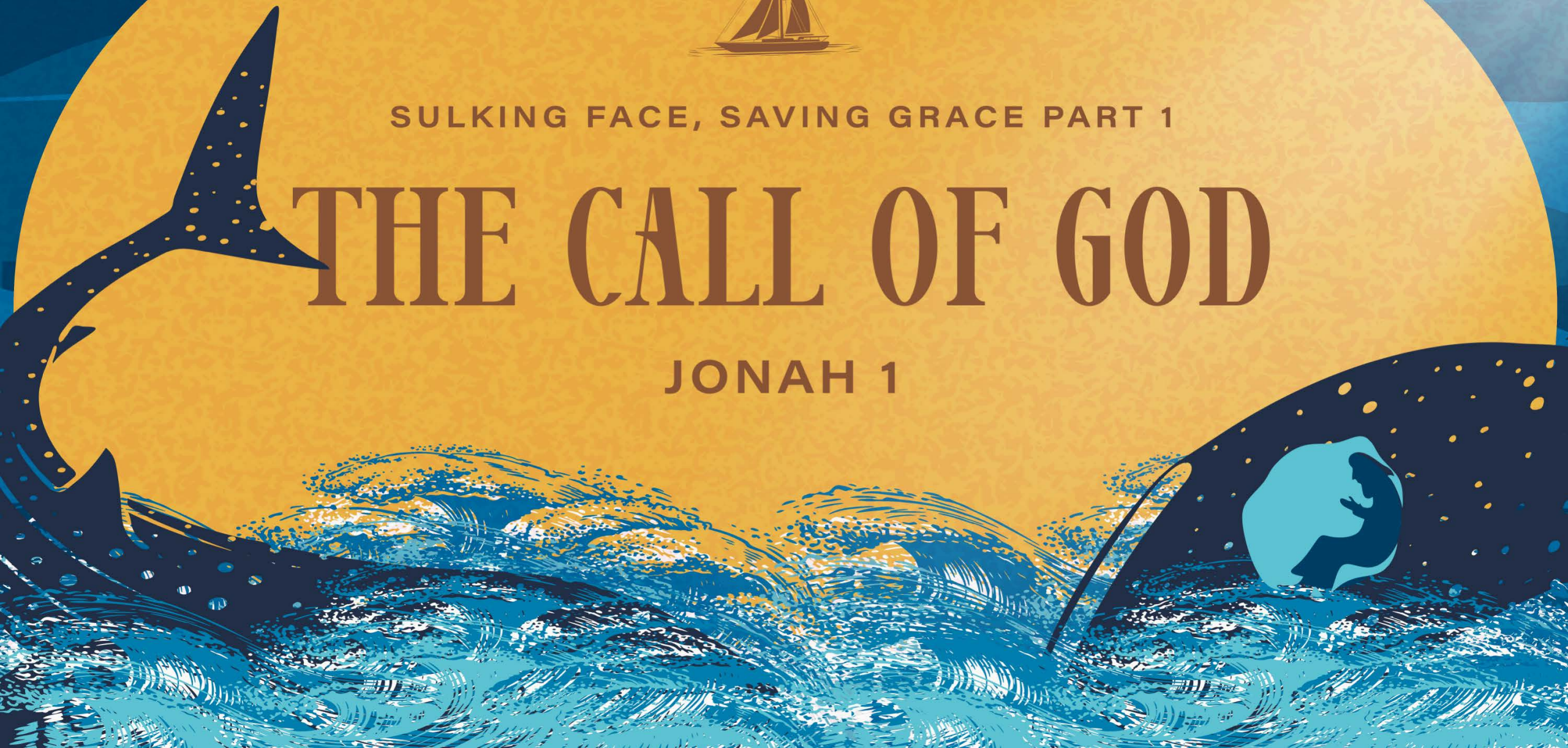




SULKING FACE, SAVING GRACE PART 1

# THE CALL OF GOD

JONAH 1



*GOD'S CALL...*  
**REQUIRES FAITHFUL OBEDIENCE**



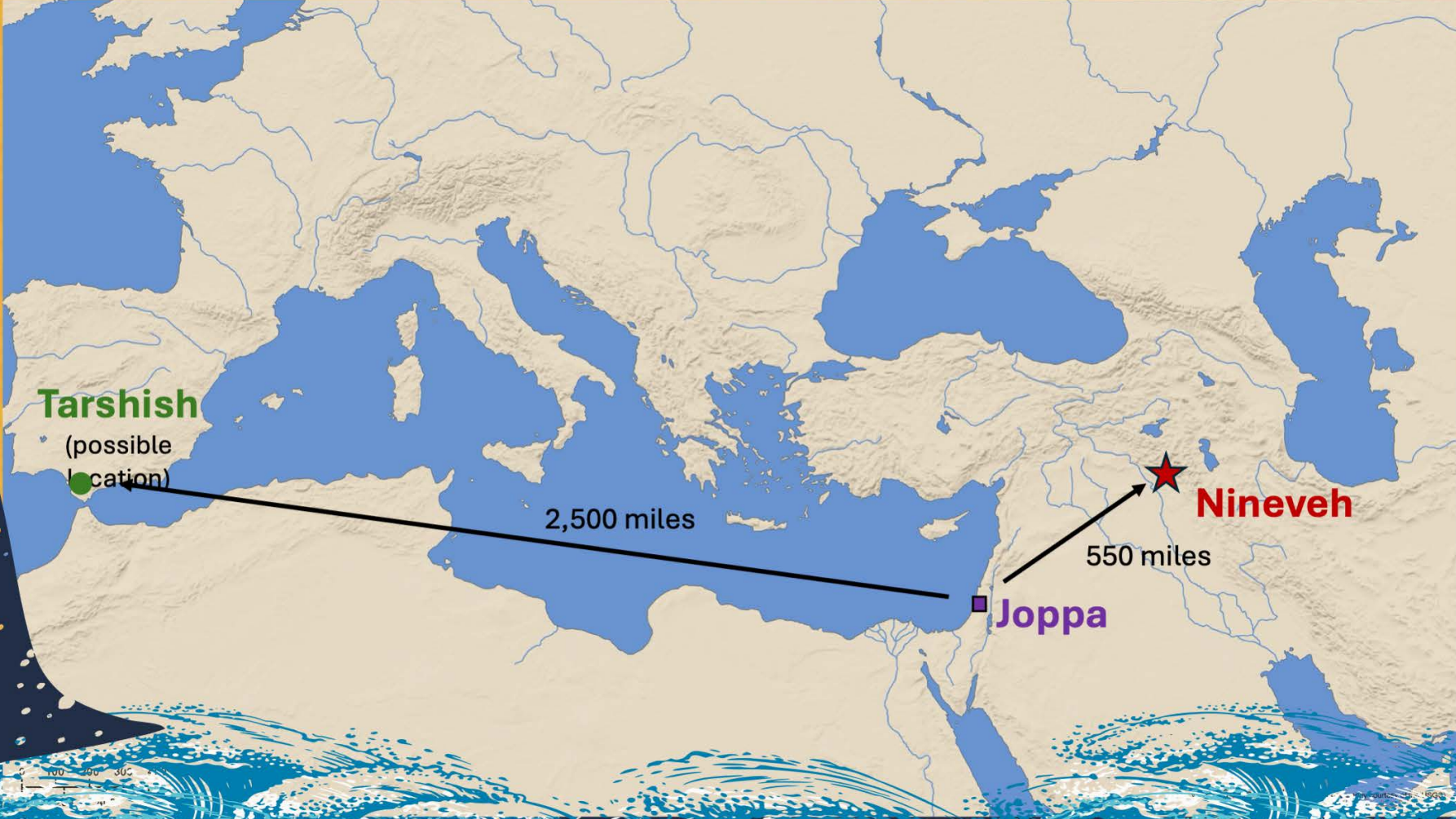
# PROPHET JONAH

- Ministered during the time of Jeroboam II *782-753BC*
- Correctly prophesied that Israel would expand its boundaries *2 Kings 14:25*
- Likely a well-known and respected prophet in Israel

# NINEVEH

- Capital city of the Assyrian empire
- Located on the east bank of Tigris river
- Known for wickedness, violence and cruelty





*GOD'S CALL...*  
**REVEALS AMAZING GRACE**



**JONAH 1:3  
(NASB)**

But Jonah rose up to **flee** to Tarshish **from the presence of the LORD**. So he went down to Joppa, found a ship which was going to Tarshish, paid the fare and went down into it to go with them to Tarshish **from the presence of the LORD**.

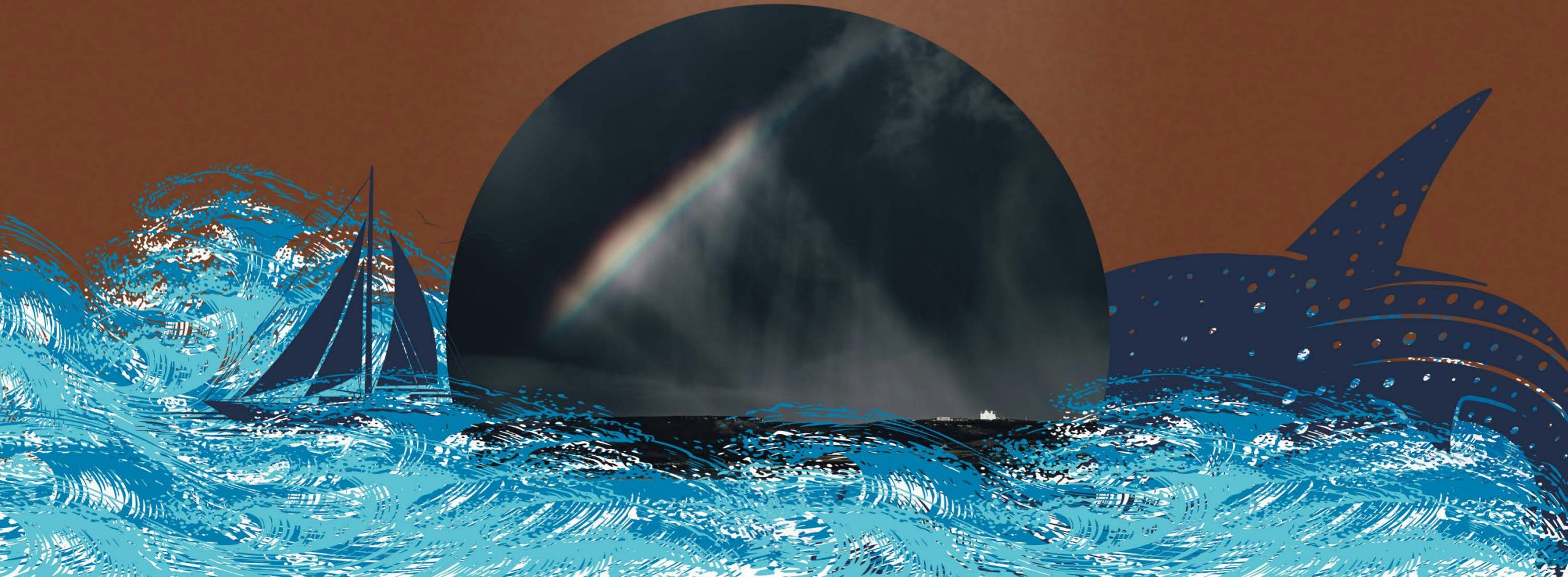
**JONAH 1:10  
(NASB)**

For the men knew that he was **fleeing from the presence of the LORD**, because he had told them.





*GOD'S CALL...*  
**REDEEMS STORMY SITUATIONS**



**JONAH 1:3**  
**(NASB)**

All the sailors were afraid and each cried out to **his own god.**

**JONAH 1:10**  
**(NASB)**

At this the men greatly **feared the LORD**, and they **offered a sacrifice** to the LORD and **made vows** to him.

