

# 13 Definite Signs He's Not Serious About You





**ALL MEN  
ARE IDIOTS  
I MARRIED  
THEIR KING**

**TROPHY  
HUSBAND**



# 6 SIGNS OF HEAT STROKE



**Not sweating (dehydrated)**



**Dry, hot, red skin**



**Dizziness, headache**



**Incoherence,  
unconsciousness**



**Nausea, vomiting**



**Fast, strong pulse**

# Signs of Spiritual Rebellion (Part 2)

Jonah 1:4-16

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“Every act of disobedience to God has a storm attached to it.”

“We must be careful here. This is not to say that every difficult thing that comes into our lives is the punishment for some particular sin. The entire book of Job contradicts the common belief that good people will have lives that go well, and that if your life is going badly, it must be your fault.”

“The Bible does not say that every difficulty is the result of sin—but it does teach that every sin will bring you into difficulty.

“The Bible speaks sometimes about God punishing sin: *The Lord detests all the proud of heart. . . . They will not go unpunished,* (Proverbs 16:5)

God punished 2 members of the early church by killing them for lying to Him. (Acts 5).

“But at other times the Bible speaks of the sin itself punishing us: *The violence of the wicked will drag them away, for they refuse to do what is right* (Proverbs 21:7).”

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## The Law of the Harvest:

*Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap. For the one who sows to his own flesh [sinful nature] will from the flesh [sinful nature] reap corruption, but the one who sows to the Spirit will from the Spirit reap eternal life. (Galatians 6:7-8)*

*For the Lord disciplines those he loves,  
and he punishes each one he accepts as  
his child.” (Heb.12:6)*

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2. You try to ignore how your sin is affecting people around you.

*So the captain came and said to him, “What do you mean, you sleeper? Arise, call out to your god! Perhaps the god will give a thought to us, that we may not perish.” (v.6)*

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C. You don't try to cover up your rebellion against God (vv.10, 12).

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*Then the men were exceedingly afraid and said to him, “What is this that you have done!” For the men knew that he was fleeing from the presence of the Lord, because he had told them. (v.10)*

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*He said to them, “Pick me up and hurl me into the sea; then the sea will quiet down for you, for I know it is because of me that this great tempest has come upon you.” (v.12)*

“Sin is a suicidal action of the will upon itself. It is like taking an addicting drug. At first it may feel wonderful, but every time it gets harder to not do it again.”

“Sin always hardens the conscience, locks you in the prison of your own defensiveness and rationalizations, and eats you up slowly from the inside.”

“All sin has a mighty storm attached to it. The image of a storm is powerful because even in our technologically advanced society, we cannot control the weather.”

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*“Sin will take you further than you want to go, keep you longer than you want to stay, and cost you more than you want to pay.”*