

A man in a blue suit is walking away from the viewer on a sandy beach. He is looking out at the ocean under a dramatic sunset sky with a large, bright sun and colorful clouds. Two sailboats are visible on the water. The scene is captured in a painterly style.

Jonah 1:3 | To Run From God

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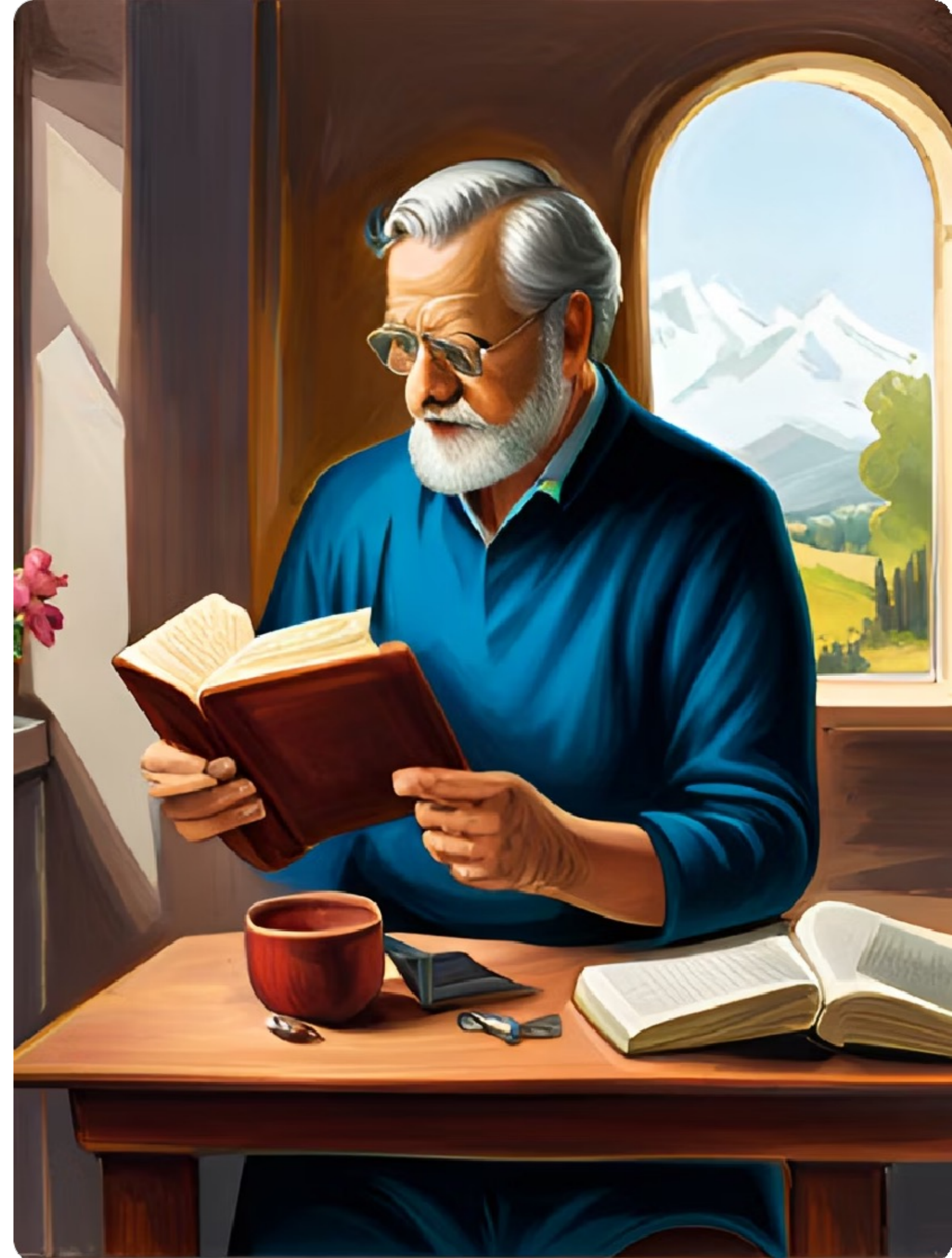
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What makes us run from God?

- Fear

- Anger



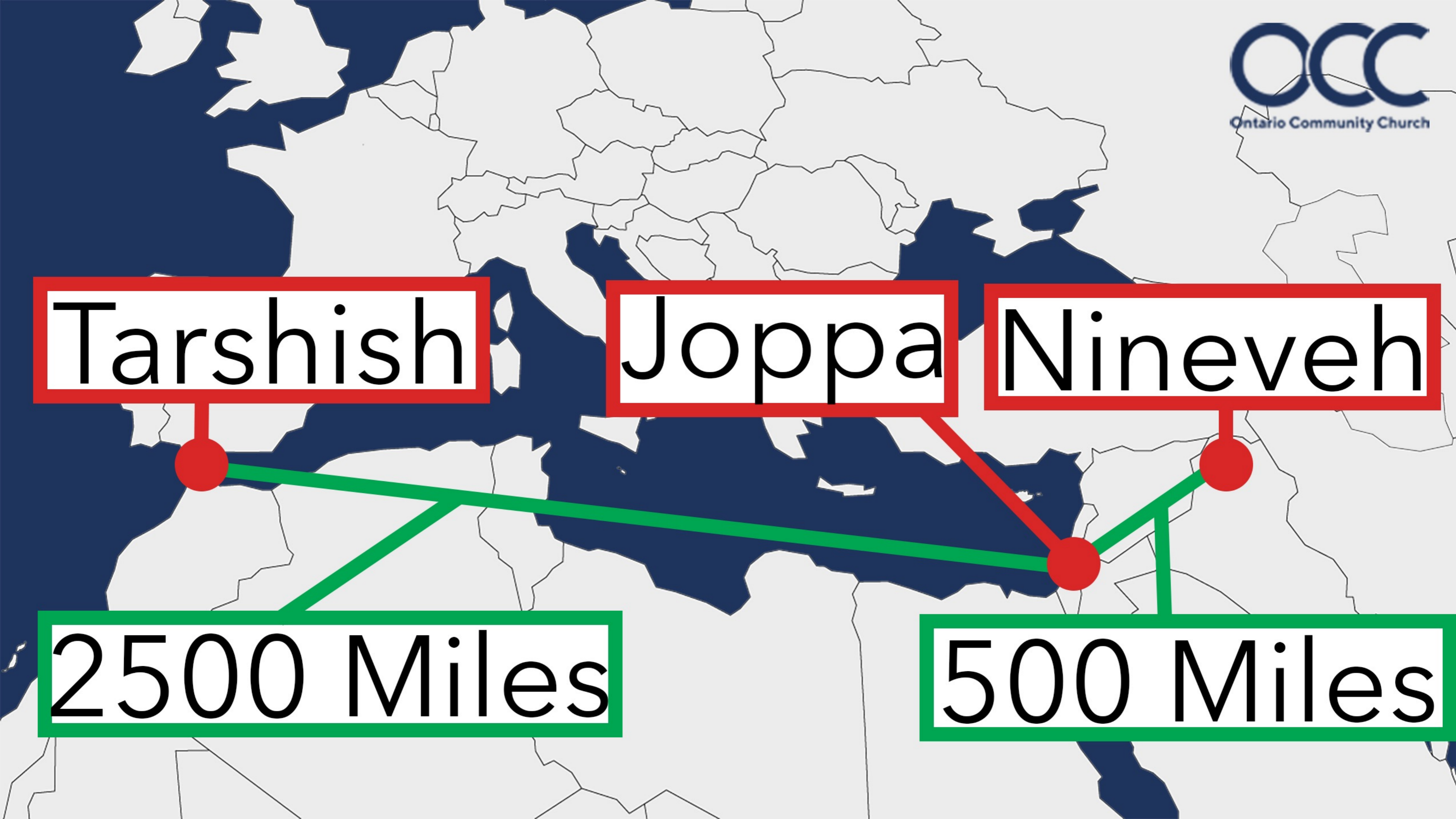
Tarshish

Joppa

Nineveh

2500 Miles

500 Miles





Nineveh is east, towards God's call.

Tarshish is west, away from God's call.

Jonah's sin was
the act of running
away from God



Who else ran from the
presence of the Lord?

Genesis 3:8: Adam and Eve

Genesis 4:16: Cain

Job 1:12 and Job 2:7: Satan



Sin
separates
us
from
God.



All that is
evil
will be
exposed



No one
can run or
hide from
God.



SALVATION

When we repent, God forgives.

Salvation is free for all who believe.

In the story of Jonah:

God commanded Jonah to proclaim His message of salvation to the gentiles of Nineveh, a city lost in sin.

In the same way:

God commissions us to proclaim His message of salvation to those who are lost in our world today.