

JONAH SKIT - FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF THE FISH

Talking to the fish: interview style. (two people, one on mic, one behind).

INTERVIEWER: So, fish, so glad we could hear your side of the story today. Mind if I called you Fish?

FISH: That's my name!

INTERVIEWER: Well, let's dive right in ... get it ... dive in?

FISH: real funny. I can tell you are swimmingly good at jokes. No more jokes... I "fin" ished.

INTERVIEWER: I see what you did there. so tell me, what happened that day?

FISH: I was just swimming. I had just had lunch. I had eaten a bunch of seaweed and snails - they say seaweed is good for the skin. But all of sudden, i felt hungry again. It amazing... I thought to myself, why would I be hungry.... again?

INTERVIEWER: Why do you think it was?

FISH: looking back on it, I think it may have been God directing me. About that time, I saw a man... mmm mmm... food! So, I swam up behind him and swallowed him in one big bite! I may not look that big, but I'm a monster! [roar]

INTERVIEWER: so what happened after you ate the man?

FISH: well, for one thing, he didn't taste too good. He got down in my belly and just sat there. I'm sure it was gross for him. I had just eaten seaweed for lunch... did I tell you seaweed is good for the skin?

INTERVIEWER: I just can't believe this story... I mean, you swallowed a guy whole, didn't chew him up and then there he was... in your stomach!

FISH: Well, that's right. I'll tell you, at one point, I think I heard the guy talking out loud. I couldn't make out what he was saying, but he was talking and it seemed like he was praying.

INTERVIEWER: how could you hear with such a loud ocean?

FISH: well, actually, since I ate the guy, I had been a little sick if you know what I mean. I just wasn't feeling well at all... [whispers] I was sick to my stomach and thought I would have to go to the bathroom.

INTERVIEWER: So you weren't really swimming too much.

FISH: just floating.

INTERVIEWER: How long did this go on?

FISH: about 3 days I guess....

INTERVIEWER: So what happened

FISH: well, I got so sick, I just swam toward the top of the surface. Then I felt like I was going to barf.

INTERVIEWER: Did you?!?

FISH: yep. And out pooped a guy... I mean popped. Out popped a guy! He was alive and well... and a little slimy!

INTERVIEWER: It's amazing! Where did he go...

FISH: well, I'm not sure, but I saw him head up the hillside toward a town they call Nineveh. Of course, I've never been there. I'm a fish. I stay in the water. And after I got that guy out of belly, I felt a lot better!

INTERVIEWER: Thanks for joining us Fish! You had me hooked on that story!

FISH: I get it... "hooked." Real funny. You're quite a catch!

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