

LYRICS

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Album: Amazing Holy Spirit 'n' Church

"So the captain came to him [Jonah], and said to him, "What do you mean, sleeper? Arise, call on your God; perhaps your God will consider us, so that we may not perish.."
-- *Jonah 1:6, New KJV*

"And to the angel of the church in Sardis write, 'These things says He...: "I know your works, that you have a name that you are alive, but you are dead."
-- *Revelation 3:1 New KJV*

"....Awake, O sleeper, rise up from the dead, and Christ will give you light... **Make the most of every opportunity** in these evil days."
---*Ephesians 5:14,16 New Living Translation*

1

Jonah slept while blasting tossed.
Jonah slept on the ship to Tarshish.
Jonah slept while the crew feared loos of ALL their lives.
Jonah slept while the men all cried out in fear, to false gods.
Jonah slept while they realized: **Jonah's God might save LIFE.**
"WHAT DO YOU MEAN, SLEEPER?!" they cried.
"WAKE UP, PRAY FOR US TO YOUR GOD!"

CHORUS

WAKE, O SLEEPING CHURCH OF GOD! Ephesians 5: 14.
Like Jonah, how CAN we sleep? Without Jesus, people perish!
WAKE, O SLEEPING CHURCH OF GOD! Ephesians 3: 20.
Pray together for God's power, THEN boldly preach salvation!

2

Jonah slept while Life's storm tossed,
in bed while perishing people cried.
Like Jonah --- do WE sleep behind walls while
people who don't know Jesus die?
Jesus said that JONAH WAS REAL
Matthew 12: 39, on.
How can The Church let people die while we stay behind church walls?
"WHAT DO YOU MEAN, SLEEPER CHURCH ?!" they cry!
"WAKE UP, TEACH US HOW TO FIND GOD!" >> CHORUS

Song Story. The familiar story: I just sat at the home studio and played with loops & created 3 different melodies for the 3 movements to fit the mood.... and this music "just came out" within 3 hours--- all tracks. The Holy Spirit's gifting, I confidently declare.