Can you think of a time when you felt rejected?

What have the Pharisees and Teachers of the Law said about Jesus? See v24



1. AN I _____ (38-42)



What do the Pharisees ask Jesus for?

Why does Jesus not do what they ask for?

How did Jesus reply in Matthew 4:7 when he was asked to do something similar before?



Can you think of an occasion when you put God to the test?



In what way does the life of Jesus parallel that of Jonah the prophet?

What had the men of Nineveh done that the people in Jesus' day had not?

Who else will condemn the people for rejecting Jesus?



Why is it inexcusable to reject Jesus?



2. AN I _____ (43-45)



What had sparked this particular conflict with the Pharisees? See v22

What point is Jesus making in the parable he tells?

What does Jesus say in v30?





Who do we need to reside with us?

3. AN I _____ (46-50)



Who wants to speak to Jesus?

Who does Jesus call his brothers and sisters?

What is Jesus declaring about himself?

What is Jesus offering to us?

