## God Shows A Lot Of Love Before You Leave Him

Matthew 11:21 Long ago, time pass, a great while ago Sackcloth a sign of grief.

God shows a lot of love to you, just before you leave Him. He's trying to get you see there is nothing beyond His love. And He is nothing to play with, and it's alright to not have a relationship with Him.

Psalm 115:3 He's GOD

Jeremiah 31:3 He loves us, and His loving kindness is toward us.

We know a little about the city from Jewish writings and from history. The city and its surroundings are mentioned in Jewish Talmud (b. Menahot 85a). It is praised as an area famous for its very early harvest of grain. This is no doubt due to an abundance of black basalt stones and dark volcanic soil in the area. Chorazin steep sun-exposed hillside, with its dark coloration tends to warm up in the springtime, much earlier than surrounding areas. Today this natural process is known as insolation.

Chorazin (Korazin, Korazim) is located on the side of a large hill about two and one-half miles north of Capernaum. This city is remembered as one of the three key cities in which Jesus spent much of his ministry. These cities, Capernaum, Chorazin and Bethsaida formed what is called the "Evangelical Triangle," the small area where most of Jesus' miracles were displayed Matt. 11:20. Chorazin also has the dubious distinction of being one of the cities that Jesus cursed. The city is mentioned only twice in the New Testament Matt. 11:21; Lk. 10:13, and both instances concern the curse that Jesus placed upon it.

In Luke 8, Jesus frees a possessed man and sends the demonic hosts into a herd of pigs who then run into the sea. Jesus came into the region to proclaim the gospel so that they might believe and be saved Mark 1:38. But after hearing and seeing what happened to this possessed man, Luke 8:37 states, "Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked him to depart from them, for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned."

After showing them love Jesus left. What more can He do.

The human heart has to be shown God. And the Holy Spirit works on the heart.

- God initiates our love for him John 6:44
- God give us the desire to love him Philippians 2:13
- God gives us the power to love him Galatians 5:22

Matthew 15:14 Hebrews 9:27 Hebrews 6:6

## The first century christians:

Heard:

Acts 2:36

Believe:

Mark 16:15-16

Repent:

Acts 2:38

Confess:

Acts 8:36-38

## Baptized:

Romans 6:3-5

- They Heard
- They Believe
- They Repented
- They Confessed
- They were Baptized