

**BBH Workbook p. 268 # 6
(Jonah 2:2 [English 2:1])**

וַיִּתְפַּלֵּל יוֹנָה אֶל־יְהוָה אֱלֹהָיו מִמֶּעי הַדָּגָה

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וַיִּתְפַּלֵּל יוֹנָה אֶל־יְהוָה אֱלֹהָיו “Then Jonah prayed to the LORD his God...” consists of the Hithpael Imperfect 3ms of פָּלַל with Waw Conversive, the subject (יוֹנָה) and the indirect object (Preposition אֶל, Tetragram and divine title אֱלֹהֵי־יְהוָה with 3ms suffix in construct).

מִמֶּעי הַדָּגָה

מִמֶּעי הַדָּגָה “...from the belly of the fish.” This clause consists of the preposition מִן affixed to the anatomical noun (מֵעָה) in construct form and absolute noun (הַדָּגָה).

FINAL TRANSLATION

“Then Jonah prayed to the LORD his God from the belly of the fish.”