

**“But it displeased Jonah
exceedingly, and he
became angry”**

Jonah 4:1

**How did God deal with
Jonah's unreasonable
anger?**

1. He asked him a simple question to make him review his position

Then the LORD said, "Is it right for you to be angry?" *Jonah 4:4*

2. Even when Jonah did not answer,
He waited upon him patiently

“So Jonah went out of the city and sat on the
east side of the city” *Jonah 4:5*

3. He gave him the plant and the worm as a parallel example

“Then God said to Jonah, “Is it right for you to be angry about the plant?” *Jonah 4:9*

4. He explained Himself to Jonah in love and meekness

But the LORD said, "You have had pity on the plant for which you have not labored, nor made it grow, which came up in a night and perished in a night. And should I not pity Nineveh, that great city, in which are more than one hundred and twenty thousand persons who cannot discern between their right hand and their left—and much livestock?" *Jonah 4:10-11*

5. As a Loving Father, He worked to restore him rather than getting angry on him in return