



“O Ye Hypocrites!”

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(Matthew 16:3b)

Introduction

Matthew 16:1-4

“The Pharisees also with the Sadducees came, and tempting desired him that he would shew them a sign from heaven. He answered and said unto them, When it is evening, ye say, It will be fair weather: for the sky is red. And in the morning, It will be foul weather to day: for the sky is red and lowering. O ye hypocrites, ye can discern the face of the sky; but can ye not discern the signs of the times? A wicked and adulterous generation seeketh after a sign; and there shall no sign be given unto it, but the sign of the prophet Jonas. And he left them, and departed.”
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Conclusion:

One sign is given only...

“A wicked and adulterous generation seeketh after a sign; and there shall no sign be given unto it, **but the sign of the prophet Jonas. And he left them, and departed.” (Matthew 16:4)**

- **“But he answered and said unto them, An evil and adulterous generation seeketh after a sign; and there shall no sign be given to it, but the sign of the prophet Jonas: for as Jonas was three days and three nights in the whale's belly; **so shall the Son of man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth**. The men of Nineveh shall rise in judgment with this generation, and shall condemn it: because **they repented at the preaching of Jonas**; and, behold, **a greater than Jonas is here**.” (Matthew 12:39-40)**

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