

# JONAH

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*Every commandment which I command you today you must be careful to observe, that you may live and multiply (Dt 8:1a)*

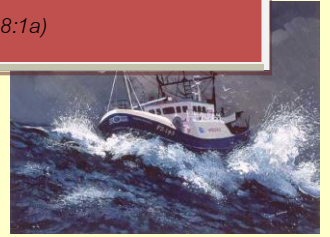
## Answers

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1. His name was Jonah.
2. Jonah was a prophet and was the son of Amittai, came from Gath Hopher. He lived approximately 2800 years ago (793-753BC).
3. God asked him to go to Nineveh and preach to the people.
4. He was reluctant and tried to flee to Tarshish.
5. He felt that way because he felt the sinful people deserved to die.
6. It made him put no effort and made him reluctant to go.
7. He tested Jonah by sending a storm and made a fish swallow him.

## QUESTIONS

1. What is his name?
2. What is his background? Where did he come from? When was he alive?
3. What did God ask him to do?
4. What was his attitude when God commanded him to do so?
5. Why did he feel that way?
6. How did that affect his behavior and mission?
7. How did God test him?
8. What caused him to change his attitude?
9. What did he do with his new attitude?
10. What was the outcome?
11. What is the key lesson(s) we can learn from this example of this minor prophet?



8. He changed his attitude because he got swallowed by a fish and he realized that he was wrong.
9. He went to Nineveh and preached to the people to change their ways.
10. The people repented and God didn't destroy the city.
11. Do what God tells you to do and don't run away from it.