

Jonah Runs from God

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Understanding God's Surprising Command

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Answer the following questions about Jonah's story.

1. God told Jonah to go to ____ and preach against it.
2. What did God ask Jonah to do?
 - A. Build a house
 - B. Go to Nineveh
 - C. Fight a battle
3. How might Jonah have felt when God asked him to go?

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4. Nineveh was known for being a friendly place.

True False

5. Why did Jonah not want to go to Nineveh?

- A. He loved Nineveh
- B. He was afraid
- C. He wanted to stay home

6. God's plans can sometimes be ____ and unexpected.

7. What does Jonah 2:9 tell us about salvation?

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8. God wanted Jonah to reach all people, even those in Nineveh.

True False

9. What was the command God gave Jonah?

- A. To run away
- B. To preach against wickedness
- C. To build a city

10. What did God want Jonah to do for the people of Nineveh?
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Answer Key

1. Nineveh 2. Go to Nineveh 3. He might have felt scared or worried. 4. False 5. He was afraid 6. surprising 7. It says salvation comes from the LORD. 8. True 9. To preach against wickedness 10. He wanted Jonah to preach to them.