Jonah & The Whale

Jonah 1-4

1. Why did God tell Jonah to go to Nineveh?
    a. To tell everyone about the grace of God
    b. To announce God's judgement against the wicked people there
    c. To crown the next King
2. Did Jonah do what God told him?
    a. Yes, he went immediately
    b. No, he went in the opposite direction
3. Why did Jonah board a ship to Tarshish?
    a. He thought it would be a shortcut
    b. He wanted to go fishing
    c. He was hoping to escape the Lord
4. What happened after Jonah boarded the ship to Tarshish?
    a. The ship sank
    b. God sent a violent storm
    c. The men turned on him
5. When the men questioned Jonah, what did he tell them to do to him?
    a. Throw him into the sea
    b. Kill him
    c. Take him to Nineveh
6. What happened when the men threw Jonah into the sea?
    a. Jonah drowned
    b. The storm stopped immediately
    c. He sank to the bottom of the ocean and was never seen again
7. What happened to Jonah when he was thrown into the sea?
    a. He was bitten by a large shark
    b. He was eaten by a whale
    c. He was swallowed by a whale
8. How long did Jonah stay in the stomach of the whale?
    a. 3 days and 3 nights
    b. 4 days and 4 nights
    c. 6 days and 6 nights
9. Was it a blessing or curse that the whale swallowed Jonah? Why?
    a. Blessing b/c it saved Jonah from death and allowed him to pray to the Lord
    b. Curse b/c he died in the stomach of the whale
10. What happened when Jonah realized that the Lord has just saved him from death?
    a. He praised God and fasted and prayed for 30 days
    b. He went to see the prophet Isiah
    c. He promised to worship the Lord, then God ordered the fish to spit Jonah out onto the beach
11. Was Jonah obedient to God when God told him to go to Nineveh for the 2nd time?
    a. Yes
    b. No
12. Was Nineveh a small town
    a. Yes
    b. No

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13. What did Jonah warn the people of Tarshish was about to happen?
    a. The River would dry up and a drought would come
    b. Nineveh would be destroyed
    c. There would be a famine in the land

14. What did the King of Nineveh order for all the people and animals in the land?
    a. To stay put and not travel
    b. To ration their water supply
    c. To fast and pray, to repent from their evil ways and stop all the violence

15. What happened when God saw that the people of Nineveh turned from their evil ways?
    a. He still destroyed the city
    b. God changed his mind and did not destroy the city (showed them mercy)
    c. He showered them with gifts

16. Was Jonah excited for the people when God showed mercy on them? Why or why not
    a. Yes,
    b. No, b/c what Jonah predicted was no longer going to happen

17. What happened when Jonah went to the east side of the city?
    a. He fell asleep
    b. God used a leafy plant to shade Jonah from the sun
    c. He stumbled and fell off a cliff

18. What was Jonah's reaction when the worm caused the plant to wither away?
    a. He became angry b/c he was in the heat, and wished to die
    b. He wasn't effected b/c he knew that God would take care of him
    c. He was angry b/c he knew that the people were going to die

19. Why did God ask Jonah if it was right for him to be angry that the plant died?
    a. Jonah didn't have time to be angry
    b. To point out that Jonah felt sorry for the plant but not the people of Nineveh
    c. The plant had provided him shade

20. Why did God show the people of Nineveh mercy and not destroy the city as he said he would?
    a. Bc the people repented and turned from their wicked ways
    b. God showed them mercy b/c they prayed to Him and changed their ways
    c. Both a and b

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