***CSSA STAGE 3 INTERMEDIATE #12* NAME \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Jonah**

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*Read Jonah 1-4*

***Who is Speaking to Whom & Fill in the Blanks? (KJV)***

*1. “Arise, go to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, that great city, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ against it; for their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is come up before me.”* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ speaking to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (1v \_\_\_\_)

*2. “Tell us, we pray thee, for whose cause this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is upon us; What is thine \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_? and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ comest thou? what is thy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_? and of what \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ art thou?”* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ speaking to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (1v \_\_\_\_)

*3. “I am cast out of thy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_; yet I will look again toward thy holy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ compassed me about, even to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ closed me round about, the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were wrapped about my head.” \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ speaking to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* (2*v* \_\_\_\_)

*4. “Arise, go unto \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, that great \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ unto it the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that I bid thee” \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_speaking to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* (3*v* \_\_\_\_)

*5. “Yet \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ days, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shall be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_speaking to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* (3*v* \_\_\_\_)

***Word Definition*** *(Look up the following words in a Strong’s Concordance to find out what they mean)*

6. Jonah

7. In Hosea 7v11, who else is called a dove?

8. What is a dove likened to in this verse?

9. How was Jonah’s behavior like a dove’s?

***Short Answer/Essay***

10. Where was Nineveh located?

11. Which direction was this from Israel?

12. Where was the ship heading that Jonah boarded? .

13. Where was this most likely located? .

14. Which direction was this from Israel?

15. Why was Jonah running in the opposite direction from what God said to do?

16. Who was Jonah a type of?

17. List as many ways that showed Jonah was like this type.

18. Who was Nineveh a type of?

19. What was the warning that Jonah was to tell the Ninevites?

20. List other scriptural events that lasted 40 days/years. *(minimum three)*

21. What does the number 40 represent in scripture?

22. What did the sailors do after they threw Jonah into the sea?

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23. Describe what it was like for Jonah when he got thrown overboard. *(hint 2v1-9)*

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24. How long did it take to travel through Nineveh? .

25. Who else sat on the ground and fasted with the hope that Yahweh would turn from his anger and not wipe them out? *(hint 3v6-9)*

26. Read Matt 12v39-40. What was “the sign of the prophet Jonas” that Jesus refers to? What does it represent?

***Character Traits*** *(Below are listed paired traits. For each pair, circle the trait which you feel best characterizes Jonah. Be prepared to justify your answers)*

27. Self-willed or selfless?

28. Godless or Worshipper of Yahweh?

29. Cowardly or Courageous?

30. Lacking in prayer or Prayerful?

31. Readily obedient or Obedient after chastening?

32. Desiring all be saved or Desiring only a few be saved?

***Spiritual Lessons*** *(How does the story of Jonah bring out the following lessons?)*

33. The peril and folly of running away from God and duty.

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34. The temptation to judge others unworthy of the truth. .

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35. The divine employment of imperfect men as channels of truth.

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36. The breadth of God’s mercy.