

## Discussion Questions

# Jonah

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- Why do you think Jonah disobeyed? 2 Kings 14:25 mentions the Lord speaking through Jonah, which implies he was a dependable prophet.
- How would you respond if God asked you to go to Pyongyang (capital of North Korea) or Berlin during the days of Adolf Hitler and preach to them? Would you be afraid? Would you obey?
- Jonah runs away in response to God's command. In what areas have you disobeyed in the past? How was God gracious to you and others even though you disobeyed?
- Why do you suppose Jonah was angry when the city of Nineveh repented? (Remember they were very cruel to his fellow country men). Is there any evil person that you wish God would activate His justice on? Is there any one whom you don't wish to share the gospel with?
- The city of Nineveh repented, but about a hundred years later they went back to their evil ways and God judged them. Do you know anyone whom God gave a final opportunity to turn to Him? What does this say about God's lovingkindness and grace?