



**I am with you  
always.  
Matthew 28:20 NKJV**

For the Parents:

Dear Parents,

In case you would like to do some study for yourselves; here is where this Bible story is found:

Jonah 1; 2:1-2, 10; 3:1-3;

The Bible Story Vol 6, p. 177-182

Prophets & Kings p. 265-270

Child Guidance, p. 85-88

Reinforce how when we obey our parents we are obeying God. God wants us to obey Him all the time. We may think that we can hide from God and disobey, but God can see us all the time just as He could see Jonah hiding in the boat.

You could add some more pictures to your book of children obeying their parents. May God bless you as you teach your little ones about Him.

## Preaching in Nineveh

### Sabbath

Remember that Jonah didn't obey God?

God wants us to listen to and obey Him. When we come as soon as Mummy or Daddy calls, we are obeying God. When we share our toys and use gentle hands we are obeying God. When we help to pick up our toys and sit still in church, we are also obeying God. When we obey God and our mummies and daddies it makes us happy and it makes God happy as well.



### Sunday

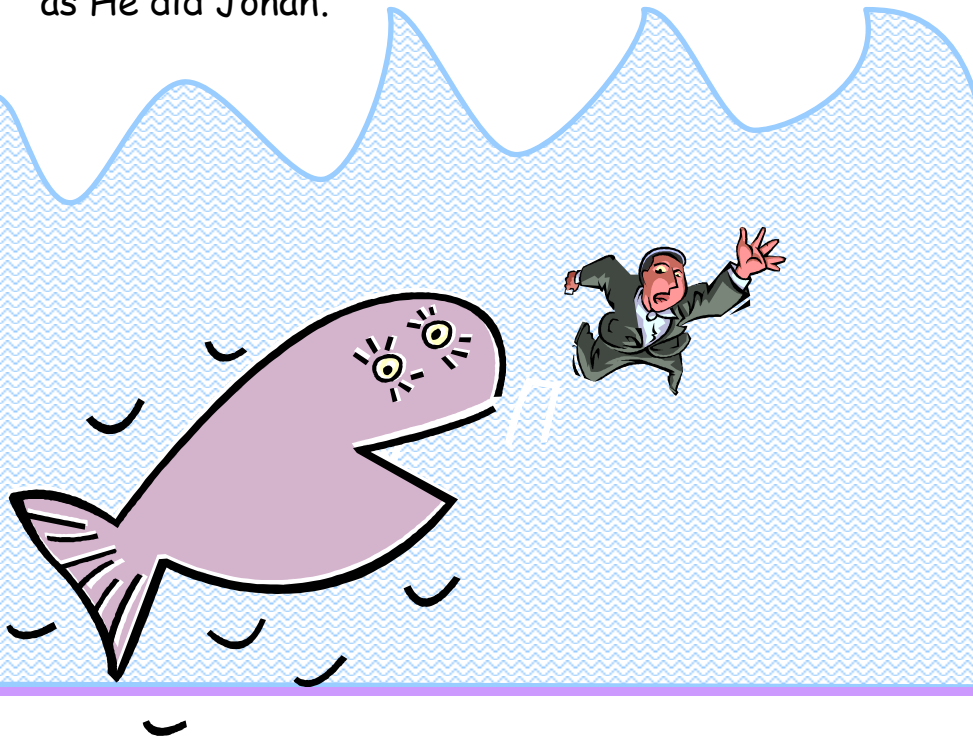
Jonah told the men to throw him overboard so the storm would stop. The men didn't want to do that and they tried again to row to land; but it was no help so they finally agreed to throw Jonah over.

As soon as they did, the storm stopped and the sea became calm again.

Jonah went down and down into the water and then gulp! - He went in to a slimy fish's tummy.

But all the time God was watching over him and keeping him safe.

God watches over you too and keeps you safe just as He did Jonah.



### Friday

When Jonah didn't want to do what God told him to, he ran away! But he couldn't really run away from God.

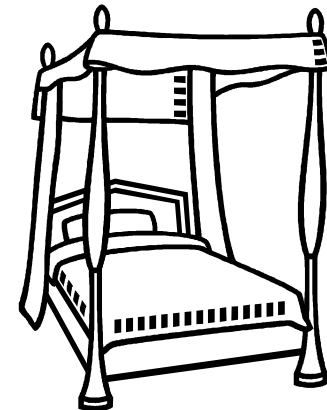
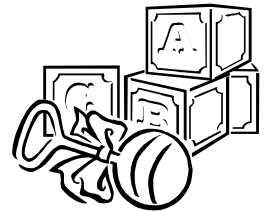


Johnny has been playing with the blocks.



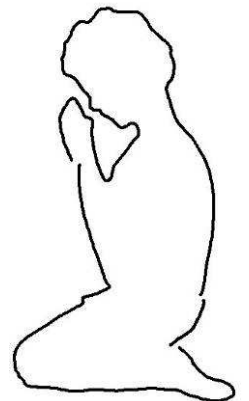
Mummy says, "It's time to put your blocks away!"

Instead of packing up, Johnny runs away and hides!



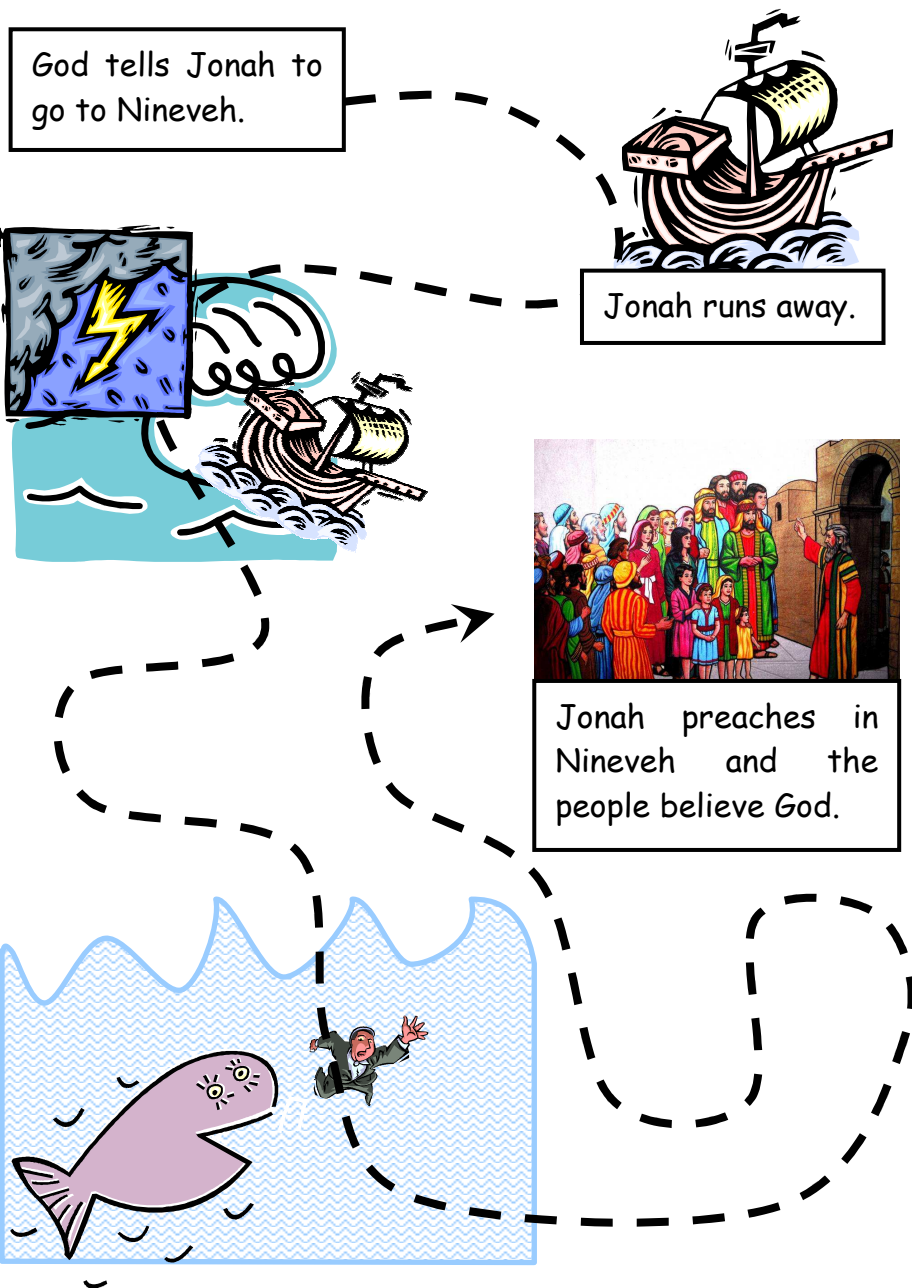
But Johnny can't hide from Mummy.

Johnny says sorry to Mummy and prays and asks God. Then he picks up his blocks.



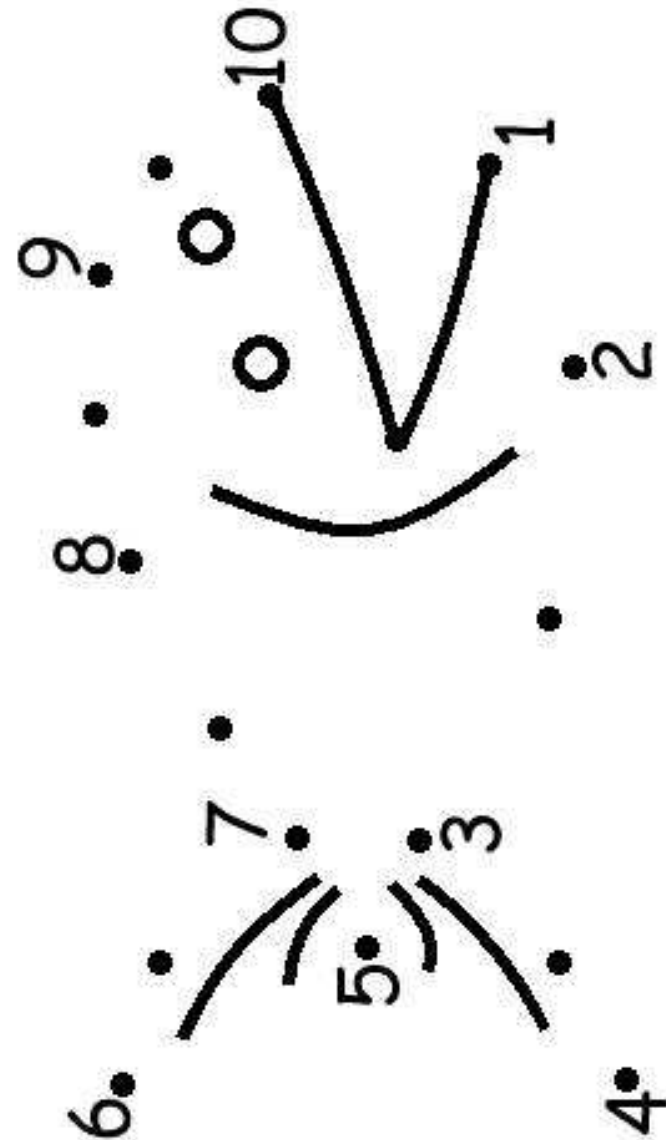
## Thursday

Follow the line to tell the story of Jonah.



## Monday

Everyone thought Jonah would drown! What did God send to save him?



## Tuesday

God sent the big fish to look after Jonah. Who does God send to look after you?



## Wednesday

While Jonah was in the fish's tummy he prayed to God. He told God that he was sorry for not listening to and obeying Him. Then God told the fish to swim near some land and the fish vomited Jonah onto the beach.

Now Jonah was ready to obey God.

Jonah went to the big city of Nineveh and preached. The people listened and told God that they were sorry for not obeying Him; they said they would obey God from now on.

God wants us to listen to and obey Him as well.

