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### **Jonah**

The Book of Jonah

#### *Purpose*

To recount a story of the far-reaching scope of God's sovereignty (power and authority to rule) and salvation

#### *Author*

Unknown

#### *Date*

Around 755 BC

#### *Setting*

A time when Assyria's influence in Israel had temporarily decreased, likely during the reign of Jeroboam II