



On the morning of 7th September 1838 Grace Darling looked out of her bedroom window located high up on the Longstone lighthouse on the North Sea coast. Her father was the lighthouse keeper. It was no ordinary day. Grace wondered if the previous night's storm had eased, but it hadn't. Suddenly she noticed something that made her heart race. A ship had run aground on nearby rocks! Grace and her father set out in a rowing boat to try and rescue those who were stranded. Battling against the swelling seas, they saved the lives of five people.

As the news of the rescue spread, Grace became a national hero. Such courage, especially from a young lady in the Victorian era, was something very remarkable indeed. There were newspaper articles, pictures taken, excursions to the lighthouse, songs, plays, poems and even some offers of marriage made! A hundred years after the event a museum was opened in her honour.

Boys and girls, in my Bible I read of poor, needy, sinful souls out on life's raging seas, tempest tossed, lost and undone. They are sinking under the load of their sin and wickedness. Then I read of a wonderful Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ, who left heaven to rescue those in danger of being lost forever. In love and mercy, He reaches out his nailpierced hand to save many weak,

perishing souls from destruction.
And yet, sadly, this world gives no thanks, no praise, and no adoration to Him. I wonder, is he your Saviour? Have you trusted in Him to save you from your sins? Have you thanked Him for doing so? I hope that you have and that you do.

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"Master, carest thou not that we perish? And he arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still." Mark 4:38-39

Quiz:

Use the Bible references to fill in the gird below. Rearrange the letters in the blue highlighted squares to spell out a word.

Down

Answer:

One Across
Two Across

One Down: Luke 5:6

This item was too full causing it to break.

One Across: Matthew 4:18

Jesus saw Simon and Andrew beside this sea.

Two Across: Jonah 1:4

The LORD sent a great wind and a mighty

Are you

One

Are you 12 or under? Send your answer, name, address and church to:

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EVEN IF YOU DIDN'T WIN THIS TIME, PLEASE KEEP TRYING - MAYBE NEXT TIME!