

~JONATHAN 11 (14)

(Jon'a-than) [Yehowah Has Given]

- Son of Asahel who perhaps opposed Ezra's proposal that the returned Jews put away their foreign wives. It has been suggested, however, that this opposition was not to Ezra's suggestion but to the procedure adopted for carrying it out.
- However, **Jonathan** the son of Asahel and Jahzeiah the son of Tikvah themselves stood up against this, and Meshullam and Shabbethai the Levites were the ones that helped them. (**Ezra 10:15**) Footnote