

Questions related to “**The Perfect Storm**”

1. Find the **Latitude and Longitude** for the following:

- a. South Channel
- b. Rocky Neck
- c. Gloucester
- d. Sable Island
- e. Portsmouth, NH
- f. Flemish Cap
- g. Grand Banks
- h. Bermuda

2. Where were the fishing grounds that the *Andrea Gail* fished from for their first outing?

3. What was meant by a “*turnaround*”?

4. What other expenses had to be paid from the price of the catch before the fishermen were paid a wage?

5. What were some of the duties that the crew performed while they were headed out to sea?

6. What method of fishing was used by the crew of the *Andrea Gail*?

7. What is meant by the term “*by catch*”?

8. What was the *by catch* on this vessel?

9. What is meant by a *rogue wave*?

10. Three weather fronts combined to form the greatest storm of recorded history. **Hurricane Grace (1991)** was one of them. Research Hurricane Grace and determine the category storm it was and the areas it hit.

11. Where did the *Andrea Gail* ultimately catch the greatest amount of fish?

12. If they caught 60,000 pounds of fish at \$3.50 per pound, how much the catch bring before expenses?

13. Why did the captain of the *Andrea Gail* make the decision to return to Gloucester rather than waiting out the storm?