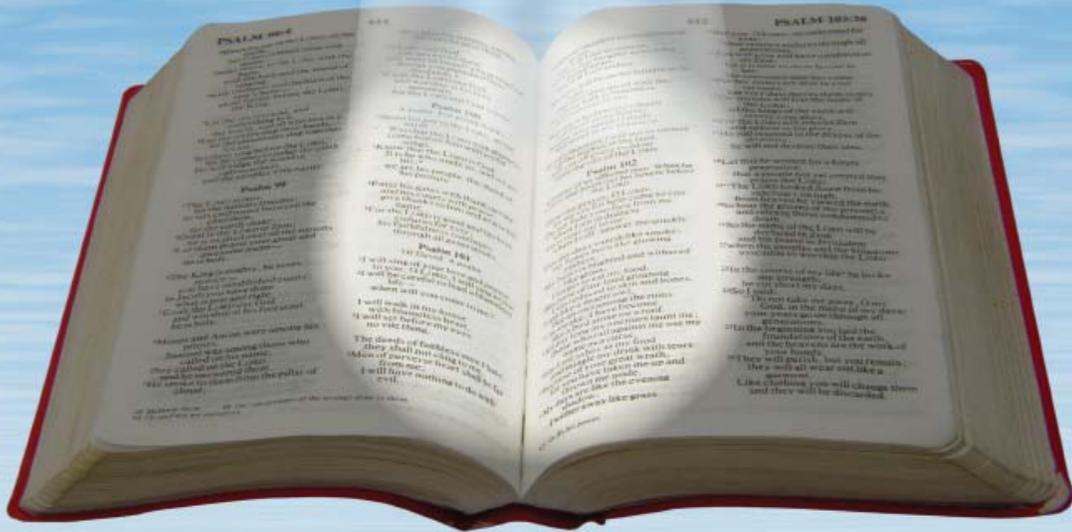


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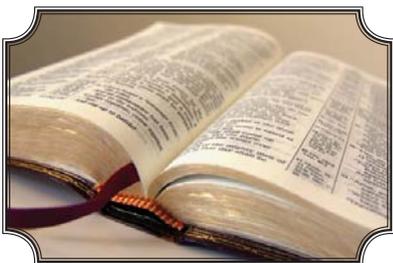
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Our Wonderful Bible

Answer the following while reading the Resource Packet:

1.1 Our English word "Bible" comes from the Greek word _____.

1.2 How many times do you find the word "Bible" in the 66 books? _____



1.3 **Biblos** means _____.

1.4 Who said, "The Bible is the cornerstone of liberty?"

1.5. There is a great difference between books that _____
_____ and the Book that _____.

1.6 It is estimated that enough copies of the Bible are published each year to build a stack of Bibles
_____ miles high!

1.7 The word "Testament" means _____.

1.8 What did most early Christians call the Bible? _____

1.9 The most significant name for the Bible is _____

1.10 How many books are in the New Testament? _____ The Old? _____

1.11 **What is the Bible called in each Scripture below?**

- _____ Mark 12:10
- _____ John 5:39
- _____ Matthew 1:1
- _____ Hebrews 9:15
- _____ II Timothy 3:15
- _____ Galatians 4:30
- _____ I Thessalonians 2:13
- _____ Hebrews 4:12
- _____ Romans 10:17



1.12 *To what does the Bible compare itself?*

_____ Deuteronomy 8:3
_____ Hebrews 5:14
_____ James 1:23-25
_____ Ephesians 5:26
_____ Luke 8:11
_____ Psalm 119:105
_____ Ephesians 6:17
_____ 1 Peter 2:2
_____ Psalm 19:10
and _____
_____ Jeremiah 23:29
and _____
_____ Jeremiah 15:16



The Bible offers

*light to direct you,
food to support you, and
comfort to cheer you.*

**It is the traveler's map,
the pilgrim's staff,
the pilot's compass,
the soldier's sword, and
the Christian's character.**

**Here paradise is restored,
Heaven opened, and the gates
of hell disclosed. Christ is its
grand subject, our good its
design, and the glory of God its
end.**

OLD TESTAMENT DIVISIONS AND BOOKS

1. *The Pentateuch—the fivefold “book of the law” (Joshua 1:8)*

Name these first 5 books: (1) _____ (2) _____
(3) _____ (4) _____ (5) _____

2. *Historical books*

The next 12 Old Testament books are the historical books.

(6) _____ (7) _____ (8) _____
(9) _____ (10) _____ (11) _____
(12) _____ (13) _____ (14) _____
(15) _____ (16) _____ (17) _____

3. *Poetical books*

Name the books of poetry, the next five. (18) _____ (19) _____
(20) _____ (21) _____ (22) _____

4. *Major Prophets*

These are the next five. (23) _____ (24) _____
(25) _____ (26) _____ (27) _____

5. *Minor Prophets*

These are the last 12 books in the Old Testament:

(28) _____ (29) _____ (30) _____
(31) _____ (32) _____ (33) _____
(34) _____ (35) _____ (36) _____
(37) _____ (38) _____ (39) _____

NEW TESTAMENT DIVISIONS AND BOOKS

1. *The Gospels—the Life of Christ*

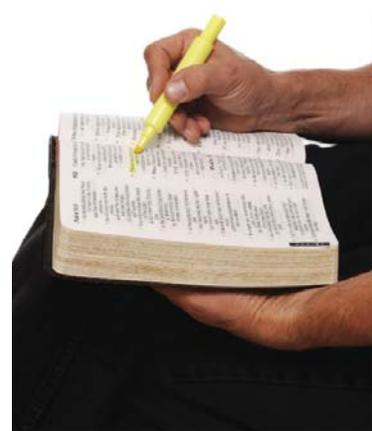
(1) _____ (2) _____
(3) _____ (4) _____

2. *One Book of History*

(5) _____

3. *Twenty-Two Epistles (13 or 14 by Paul)*

(6) _____ (7) _____ (8) _____
(9) _____ (10) _____ (11) _____
(12) _____ (13) _____ (14) _____
(15) _____ (16) _____ (17) _____
(18) _____ (19) _____ (20) _____



(21) _____

(22) _____

(23) _____

(24) _____

(25) _____

(26) _____

4. One Book of Prophecy

(27) _____

From the list of Scriptures in the yellow box below, tell which verse contains the following phrases:

- _____ 1. “. . .wrote all the words of the Lord. . .”
- _____ 2. “. . .the writing was the writing of God. . .”
- _____ 3. “. . .speak My words unto them. . .”
- _____ 4. “. . .thus saith the Lord God of hosts. . .”
- _____ 5. “. . .as it is in truth, the word of God. . .”
- _____ 6. “All Scripture is given by inspiration of God. . .”
- _____ 7. “. . .moved by the Holy Ghost. . .”
- _____ 8. “. . .the words which the Lord hath cried. . .”
- _____ 9. “. . .the Spirit speaketh expressly. . .”
- _____ 10. “. . .the gospel. . .is not after man. . .”



Christ vindicated the Divine authorship of the Old Testament:

- _____ 11. “. . .It is written. . .”
- _____ 12. “. . .Have ye not read. . .”
- _____ 13. “. . .how then shall the scriptures be fulfilled. . .”
- _____ 14. “. . .expounded unto them. . .the scriptures. . .”
- _____ 15. Jesus “. . .opened their understanding. . .”
- _____ 16. “. . .he (Moses) wrote of me. . .”
- _____ 17. “. . .the words which Thou gavest Me. . .”

Matthew 4:4, 19:4, 26:54. Exodus 24:4, 32:16. Jeremiah 5:14. Ezekiel 2:7. Zechariah 7:7. Luke 24:27, 24:45. John 5:46, 17:8. Galatians 1:11. 1 Timothy 4:1. II Timothy 3:16. I Thessalonians 2:13. II Peter 1:21.

Copy the following Scriptures concerning the Bible's endurance:

Psalm 119:89: _____

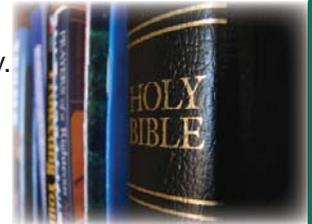
Isaiah 40:8: _____

Matthew 24:35: _____

I Peter 1:25: _____

Select the Scripture (from the yellow box below) which presents the fact that scientists discovered centuries after the Bible mentioned it:

- _____ 1. Physical life depends upon the blood of the body.
- _____ 2. The earth hangs out in space on nothing.
- _____ 3. The earth is round, actually a sphere or globe.
- _____ 4. The earth rotates on its axis, so that it is night on one part of the earth at the same time it is day on another part.
- _____ 5. There is an uncountable multitude of stars.
- _____ 6. Plants and animals reproduce themselves only "after their kind"



Genesis 15:5 Genesis 1. Job 26:7 Leviticus 17:11. Isaiah 40:22. Luke 17:34-36.



I study my Bible like I gather apples. First, I shake the whole tree that the ripest may fall. Then I shake each limb, and when I have shaken each limb, I shake each branch and every twig. Then I look under every leaf. I search the Bible as a whole, like shaking the whole tree. Then I shake every limb—study book after book. Then I shake every branch, giving attention to the chapters. Then I shake every twig, or a careful study of the paragraphs, sentences and words and their meanings.

—Martin Luther

Answer the following as you review the suggestions in your Resource Packet on

How to Study the Bible

by D.L. Moody

(A great 19th Century evangelist)

1. To get the most from Bible study, you must know you are saved—and have a faith in and _____ the Bible.

2. Do not read too _____ or too much at one time.

3. Have some definite _____ in mind.

Numbers of people take the Bible without any _____ to receive anything out of it.

4. For devotional reading, turn to the _____ or Epistles.

5. Learn to _____ yourself with God's Word. In addition to a good Bible, two necessary aids are a _____ and a _____.

6. List and give a sentence description of the 5 methods of Bible Study that Moody suggested:

(A) _____

(B) _____

(C) _____

(D) _____

(E) _____

**J. Vernon McGee's
Guidelines for
Bible Study**

1. Begin with prayer.
2. Read the Bible.
3. Study the Bible.
4. Meditate on the Bible.
5. Read what others have written on the Bible.
6. Obey the Bible.
7. Pass it on to others.



This Book is the mind of God, the state of man, the way of salvation, the doom of sinners, and the happiness of believers. Its doctrines are holy, its precepts are binding; its histories are true, and its decisions are immutable. Read it to be wise, believe it to be safe, practice it to be holy.

It should fill the memory, rule the heart, and guide the feet. Read it slowly, frequently, prayerfully. It is a mine of wealth, a paradise of glory, and a river of pleasure. Follow its precepts and it will lead you to Calvary, to the empty tomb, to a resurrected life in Christ; yes, to glory itself, for eternity.

Answers to the following may be found from Chart 2 in your Resource Packet:

- _____ 1. The Bible is a sacred library of ____ books.
- _____ 2. The Book of Acts was written by ____.
- _____ 3. God used ____ different men to write down His word, over a period of nearly ____ years.
- _____ 4. What Bible writer was a physician?
- _____ 5. How many books of History are there in the Old Testament?
- _____ 6. How many years elapsed between the writing of the Old Testament and the New Testament?
- _____ 7. What was the first book written?
- _____ 8. When was it written?
- _____ 9. Who wrote the last five books to be written?
- _____ 10. What prophet wrote before and during the captivity in Babylon?
- _____ 11. The last third of what book relates to the last 24 hours of Christ's earthly life?
- _____ 12. What is the history book of the New Testament?

The preservation of the Bible certainly shows us that it is more than a mere man-made book.

And, although it is an old volume, it is as up-to-date as tomorrow's newspaper. The principles of God's Word never become out-dated.

The One True God

Answer the following by referring to the Resource Packet, and to Scripture passages mentioned in various sections:

- 2.1 “The _____ declare the _____ of God; and the _____ showeth His _____.”
- 2.2 God is a Person. He is not just a:
(A) _____ (E) _____
(B) _____ (F) _____
(C) _____ (G) _____
(D) _____
- 2.3 “God is a _____: and they that _____ Him must _____ Him in _____ and in _____.”
- 2.4 We might compare God’s appearance to the _____. We cannot see its body; we only see its _____, a mere _____ of it.
- 2.5 The seraphim of Isaiah and the living creatures of Revelation exclaim: “_____, _____, _____...”

God is too kind to do anything cruel, too wise to make a mistake, too deep to explain himself.

—Swindoll



2.6 **Define the following:**

- (A) omnipotent: _____
- (B) omniscient: _____
- (C) omnipresent: _____
- (D) trinity: _____
- (E) infinite: _____
- 2.7 God is not limited as to _____, _____, _____, _____ or anything.
- 2.8 “...there has not failed one _____ or all His good _____.”
- 2.9 “For I am the Lord, I _____ not...”
- 2.10 Our great God “regardeth not _____, nor taketh _____.”

2.11 **Match the Scripture with the Attribute or Name of God:**

- | | |
|------------------------------|---|
| _____ 1. Deuteronomy 33:27 | A. Father of lights |
| _____ 2. II Timothy 2:13 | B. Gracious and merciful; slow to anger |
| _____ 3. I Peter 1:15 | C. Sees everything |
| _____ 4. Daniel 9:7 | D. One Lord |
| _____ 5. Acts 10:34 | E. Majesty on High |
| _____ 6. Proverbs 15:3 | F. Lord of Hosts |
| _____ 7. Psalm 147:5 | G. Eternal |
| _____ 8. II Corinthians 3:17 | H. I am |
| _____ 9. James 1:17 | I. Impartial; no respecter of persons |
| _____ 10. Exodus 6:3 | J. God our Saviour |
| _____ 11. Mark 12:29 | K. Great power; infinite understanding |
| _____ 12. Exodus 3:14 | L. Everlasting, untiring |
| _____ 13. Hebrews 1:3 | M. Abiding Faithful |
| _____ 14. Isaiah 40:28 | N. JEHOVAH |
| _____ 15. Jeremiah 10:10-12 | O. Rock, Fortress, Deliverer |
| _____ 16. I Samuel 1:11 | P. True, living, powerful, Creator |
| _____ 17. II Samuel 22:2 | Q. Holy |
| _____ 18. Genesis 18:25 | R. Judge of all the earth |
| _____ 19. Deuteronomy 32:8 | S. Liberating Spirit |
| _____ 20. Jonah 4:2 | T. Most High |
| _____ 21. I Timothy 2:3 | U. Righteous |



Place a C in front of the passages below that show God as Creator
Place a B in front of those indicating His goodness to bless His people:

- ___ Exodus 20:11 ___ Job 26:7 ___ Deuteronomy 2:7 ___ Psalm 8:3 ___ 2 Samuel 7:8-9
 ___ Psalm 85:12 ___ Psalm 105:24 ___ Psalm 24:1-2 ___ Proverbs 10:22 ___ Proverbs 3:19
 ___ Proverbs 13:25 ___ Isaiah 42:5 ___ Isaiah 1:19 ___ Acts 14:15 ___ Luke 22:35

Person And Work Of Jesus Christ

3.1 What are the five basic teachings concerning the Lord Jesus Christ?

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____
- (D) _____
- (E) _____

3.2 Why is it essential that we believe these teachings?

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____
- (D) _____
- (E) _____



THE VIRGIN BIRTH

3.3 Matthew 1:25 clearly states that Mary had no sexual relation with her husband until _____.

3.4 What verse shows that our sin nature comes from our great, great, great, great, etc. grandfather, Adam? _____

3.5 What three things were revealed about Christ in Isaiah 7:14?

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____

3.6 An angel announced in advance the birth of the Lord Jesus. Matthew tells about the angel appearing to _____; in Luke the angel delivered the message to _____.



If Jesus Christ were not virgin born, then, of course, he had a human father. If he had a human father, then he inherited the nature of the father; and since that father had a nature of sin, then he inherited his nature of sin. That would make Jesus himself a lost sinner, and he himself would need a Savior from sin. Deny the virgin birth of Jesus Christ and you paralyze the whole scheme of redemption by Jesus Christ. There can be no doubt that Jesus Christ was born a virgin.

—I. M. Haldeman (1845–1933)

3.7 In what verse did Mary ask, “How shall this be, seeing I know not a man?” _____

3.8 The angel told Mary, “The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the power of the

_____ shall _____ thee. . .”

THE DEITY AND HUMANITY OF CHRIST

3.9 John calls Christ “the Word.” What three things do we learn about Him in John 1:1?

(A) _____

(B) _____

(C) _____

3.10 What verse in John 1 tells us that Christ was Creator? _____

**Jesus is God
with the skin on.**

3.11 “I and My Father are one,” said the Lord Jesus in _____

3.12 “Christ Jesus. . .being in the form of _____, thought it not robbery to be _____

with God; but made Himself of no _____, and took upon Himself the form of a

_____ . . .”

3.13 “. . .in all things it behoved Him to be made like unto His _____, that He might be a

_____ (for us) and faithful (to the Father) _____ in

things pertaining to God, to make reconciliation for the _____ of the people.”

3.14 Christ possesses all the attributes of God, and all the attributes of man except _____.

Being a man, He is able to _____ us; being God, He is able to overcome

_____ for us.

THE SUBSTITUTIONARY DEATH OF CHRIST

3.15 List and define three expressions that describe the work of Christ in our salvation:

(A) _____

(B) _____

(C) _____

3.16 Christ "gave Himself for us, that He might:

(A) _____

(B) _____

3.17 Turn to Hebrews 2:9, and answer the following about Christ:



What was He made to be? _____

What did He experience that angels have never experienced? _____

How is He crowned? _____

What did He do? _____

3.18 In your own words, list 15 things said about Christ in Isaiah 52:13-15 and in Isaiah 53, giving the verse that reveals each thought.

(A) _____

(I) _____

(B) _____

(J) _____

(C) _____

(K) _____

(D) _____

(L) _____

(E) _____

(M) _____

(F) _____

(N) _____

(G) _____

(O) _____

(H) _____

3.19 Define:

(A) atonement: _____

(B) redeemed: _____

3.20 Colossians 1:21-22 says that we Christians were _____, through Christ we **are** now _____, and He **will** one day _____ us holy and unblameable and unreprouvable in _____ sight.

He began His ministry by being hungry, yet He is the Bread of Life. Jesus ended His earthly ministry by being thirsty, yet He is the Living Water. Jesus was weary, yet He is our rest. Jesus paid tribute, yet He is the King. Jesus was accused of having a demon, yet He cast out demons. Jesus wept, yet He wipes away our tears. Jesus was sold for thirty pieces of silver, yet He redeemed the world. Jesus was brought as a lamb to the slaughter, yet He is the Good Shepherd. Jesus died, yet by His death He destroyed the power of death.

—Gregory of Nazianzus, A.D. 381



3.21 **Define:**

(A) reconcile: _____

(B) propitiation: _____

THE RESURRECTION OF CHRIST

3.22 What Psalm did Peter quote from on the day of Pentecost (Acts 2:25-31)?

_____ The thoughts of our Lord are revealed in that Psalm when He said: (A) My heart is _____, (B) My glory _____, and (C) My flesh shall _____.

Verse 10 of this Psalm shows He feels this way, even on the horrible cross, because His Father will not:

(A) _____

(B) _____

The Gospels do not explain the Resurrection; the Resurrection explains the Gospels. Belief in the Resurrection is not an appendage to the Christian faith; it is the Christian faith.

—John S. Whale

Answer True or False

- _____ 3.23 When the women saw Christ, they held Him by the feet.
- _____ 3.24 Simon Peter was also called Cephas.
- _____ 3.25 Christ vanished when the disciples on Emmaus road knew Him.
- _____ 3.26 The resurrected Christ breathed on His disciples.
- _____ 3.27 Thomas saw the resurrected Christ 7 days later than the others.
- _____ 3.28 Nearly 500 Christians saw Him after He appeared to James.
- _____ 3.29 The disciples sadly went to Bethany after the Ascension.
- _____ 3.30 Stephen saw Christ sitting at the right hand of the Father.

3.31 Christ said, "I have the _____ to lay (My life) down, and I have _____ to take it up again.

3.32 What seven things would be true if Christ had not risen, according to I Corinthians 15:12-19?

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____
- (D) _____
- (E) _____
- (F) _____
- (G) _____

If you are truly convinced that it would have been impossible for Christ to triumph over death, you may as well quit fiddling around the fringes of Christianity.
As Paul bluntly said, the whole thing stands or falls on the fact of the Resurrection. Either it happened, or it didn't, and if it didn't, Christianity is a gigantic fraud, and the sooner we are quit of it, the better.
—Louis Cassels

3.33 "...because I live, ye shall live also."

(John _____:_____).



THE SECOND COMING OF CHRIST

3.34 When Jesus returns He will be _____ in His body just as they saw Him go.

3.35 The Second Coming of Christ will be in what two steps?

- (A) _____
- (B) _____



- 3.36 What does the word “rapture” mean? _____
- 3.37 What three things will accompany the Lord at the “rapture?” (A) _____
 (B) _____ (C) _____
- 3.38 Enoch said the Lord would return with _____ of His saints.
- 3.39 What dwells in the new heavens and new earth? _____

- 3.40 The last enemy to be destroyed will be _____.



The Holy Spirit

- 4.1 What did the Holy Spirit do in Genesis 1:2? _____

- 4.2 Why do some people question that the Holy Spirit is a personal being?
 (A) _____
 (B) _____
 (C) _____
 (D) _____
- 4.3 The Holy Spirit is our “ever-present, loving _____ and helper.”
 God cannot be measured by _____ standards.
- 4.4 “Comforter” means “ _____ ”
- 4.5 How many times do we find the personal pronoun (“He”) used of the Holy Spirit in John, chapters 14-16? _____
- 4.6 If the Holy Spirit is not a person, but only a power—how would Romans 15:13 read when we replace the words “Holy Ghost” with the word “power?” “. . .that ye may abound in hope, through the _____ ”



Match the following actions of the Holy Spirit with the Scripture passage that describes them:

- | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| _____ 1. He guides and speaks | A. Romans 15:19 |
| _____ 2. He teaches | B. Acts 13:2 |
| _____ 3. He intercedes | C. John 14:26 |
| _____ 4. He calls | D. Acts 16:6-7 |
| _____ 5. He directs | E. John 16:13 |
| _____ 6. He empowers | F. Romans 8:26 |

The great King, immortal, invisible, the divine person called the Holy Ghost, the Holy Spirit: it is he that quickens the soul, or else it would lie dead forever; it is he that makes it tender, or else it would never feel; it is he that imparts efficacy to the Word preached, or else it could never reach farther than the ear; it is he who breaks the heart; it is he who makes it whole.

—Charles Haddon Spurgeon

Sins man may commit against the Holy Spirit

Unsaved May:

- _____ Acts 7:51
- _____ Hebrews 10:29
- _____ Mark 3:29

Saved May:

- _____ Acts 5:3
- _____ Ephesians 4:30
- _____ I Thessalonians 5:19

The Spirit's control will replace sin's control. His power is greater than the power of all your sin.

Erwin W. Lutzer

4.7 Who did Job say made him (33:4)? _____

4.8 What phrase explains Samson's physical strength (Judges 14:6,19)?

4.9 What is the five-fold proof of the Deity of the Holy Spirit?

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____
- (D) _____
- (E) _____

Place a T in front of the passages below that portray the Holy Spirit as Teacher
Place a D in front of those indicating that He dwells within believers:

- ___ Nehemiah 9:20 ___ Ezekiel 36:27 ___ John 14:17 ___ Romans 8:9 ___ Luke 12:12 ___ John 14:26
 ___ I Corinthians 3:16 ___ I Corinthians 2:13 ___ I John 2:27 ___ Revelation 2:29 ___ John 16:13

4.10 What does Romans 8:14 give as a proof of salvation?

Match the Titles and Names of the Holy Spirit

- | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| _____ 1. Comforter | A. Galatians 4:6 |
| _____ 2. Eternal Spirit | B. Isaiah 4:4 |
| _____ 3. Power of the Highest | C. Revelation 19:10 |
| _____ 4. Holy Spirit | D. John 14:16 |
| _____ 5. Free Spirit | E. Romans 8:2 |
| _____ 6. Spirit of Adoption | F. Hebrews 9:14 |
| _____ 7. Spirit of Christ | G. I Peter 4:14 |
| _____ 8. Spirit of Glory | H. Psalm 51:12 |
| _____ 9. Spirit of God | I. Ephesians 1:13 |
| _____ 10. Spirit of Grace | J. Genesis 1:2 |
| _____ 11. Spirit of Holiness | K. I Peter 1:2 |
| _____ 12. Spirit of Judgment | L. Luke 1:35 |
| _____ 13. Spirit of Life | M. Romans 8:15 |
| _____ 14. Spirit of Lord God | N. Romans 1:4 |
| _____ 15. Spirit of Prophecy | O. Zechariah 12:10 |
| _____ 16. Spirit of the Father | P. Isaiah 61:1 |
| _____ 17. Spirit of the Son | Q. Matthew 10:20 |



“When we rely on organization, we get what organization can do. When we rely on education, we get what education can do. When we rely on eloquence, we get what eloquence can do. When we rely on the Holy Spirit, we get what God can do.” —Dixon

What seven titles are given the Spirit in Isaiah 11:2?

Spirit of:

1. _____

5. _____

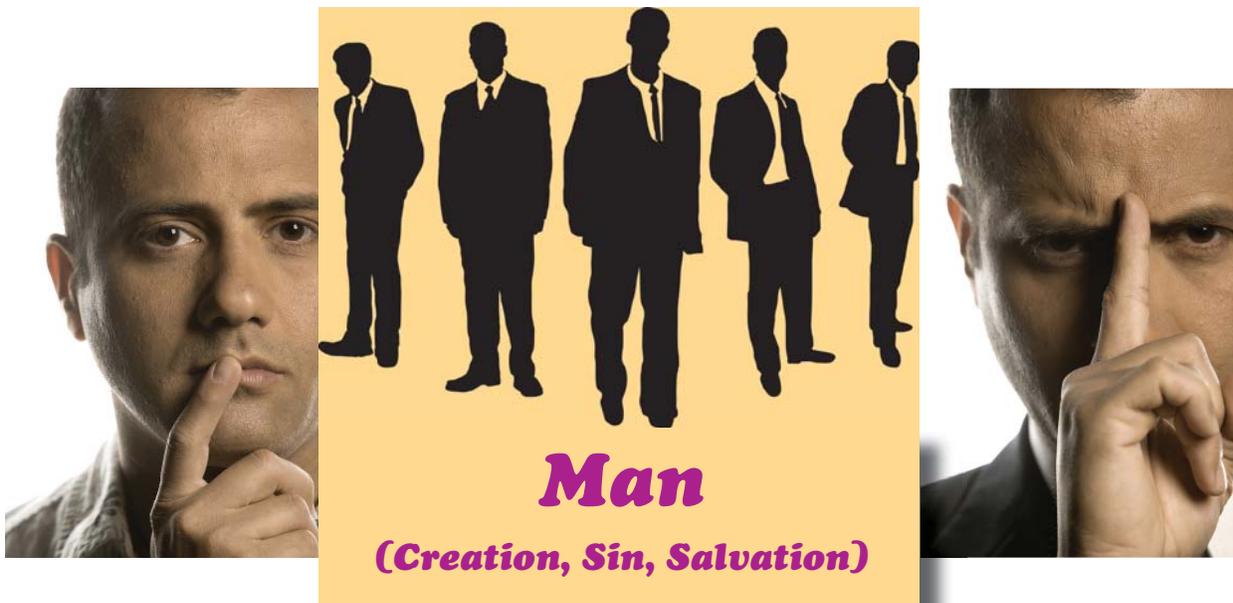
2. _____

6. _____

3. _____

7. _____

4. _____



- 5.1 The Hebrew word for man is _____.
- 5.2 It is declared _____ times in Genesis 1:27 that God created man.
- 5.3 Genesis 2:7 implies two stages of man's creation. The first refers to man's body and the second to his _____.
- 5.4 List four movements that are found in Genesis, Chapter 1:
- (A) _____ (C) _____
- (B) _____ (D) _____
- 5.5 What was the one thing man was forbidden in the garden?
- _____
- 5.6 In Genesis 5:1-2, the name for both male and female is _____.

Match the following:

- | | |
|---|--------------------|
| _____ 1. Man was created in God's image | A. Romans 5:12 |
| _____ 2. created to subdue; have dominion | B. Titus 3:3 |
| _____ 3. gave names to all living creatures | C. Genesis 1:26-27 |
| _____ 4. man brought sin into the world | D. Psalm 94:11 |
| _____ 5. disobedience of one multiplied | E. Genesis 2:19 |
| _____ 6. they are all. . .filthy | F. Romans 6:17 |
| _____ 7. Everyone turned to his own way | G. Eph. 2:2 |
| _____ 8. All world guilty before God | H. Romans 8:8 |
| _____ 9. darkened, alienated, blind | I. Psalm 13:2-3 |
| _____ 10. Heart is deceitful, wicked | J. II Thess. 1:8-9 |
| _____ 11. Lord knows thoughts; all vanity | K. Rev. 20:15 |
| _____ 12. foolish, disobedient, deceived | L. Matt. 25:41 |
| _____ 13. servants of sin | M. Eph. 4:18 |
| _____ 14. children of disobedience | N. Romans 3:19 |
| _____ 15. flesh cannot please God | O. Isa. 53:6 |
| _____ 16. dead in trespasses and sins | P. Rev. 21:8 |
| _____ 17. die in sins if without Christ | Q. Heb. 9:27 |
| _____ 18. all will be resurrected | R. Genesis 1:28 |
| _____ 19. know not, obey not = destruction | S. Romans 2:16 |
| _____ 20. not in Book? to lake of fire | T. Romans 5:19 |
| _____ 21. hell really designed for devil | U. Jer. 17:9 |
| _____ 22. character of hell's residents | V. John 15:5 |
| _____ 23. judgment after appointment | W. John 5:28-29 |
| _____ 24. God will judge secrets of men | X. John 8:24 |
| _____ 25. We can do nothing without Christ | Y. Ephesians 2:1 |

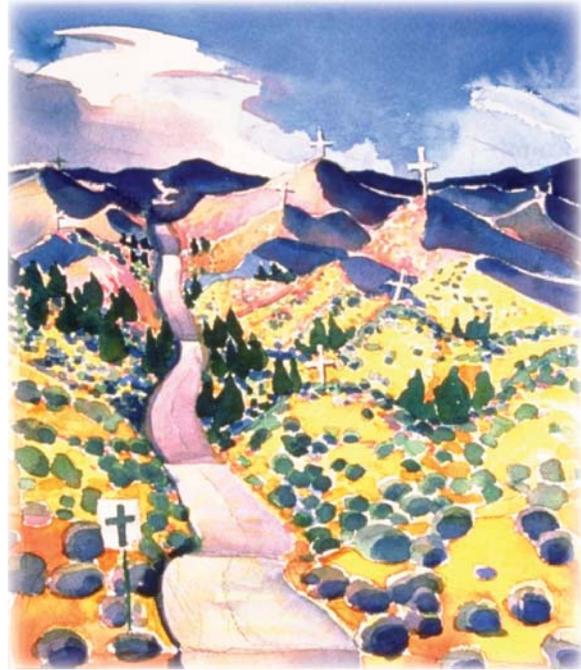
REVIEW

1. Our English word "Bible" comes from the Greek word _____, which means _____.
2. How many books are in the New Testament? _____ The Old? _____
3. The Bible was written over a period of nearly _____ years by about _____ different men, as God directed them.
4. The term "inspiration" as used in II Timothy 3:16 means _____.
5. The name "Immanuel" means _____.
6. Define:
 - (A) atonement: _____
 - (B) redeemed: _____
 - (C) reconcile: _____
 - (D) propitiation: _____
 - (E) rapture: _____
 - (F) "Comforter": _____
7. Why do some people question that the Holy Spirit is a personal being?
 - (A) _____
 - (B) _____
 - (C) _____
 - (D) _____
8. List five ways the deity of the Holy Spirit is proved in the Bible:
 - (A) _____
 - (B) _____
 - (C) _____
 - (D) _____
 - (E) _____



9. _____ is the Hebrew word translated “man” in English.
10. It is declared _____ times in Genesis 1:27 that God created man.
11. More than _____ times the Scripture uses phrases like, “God said...the Lord has said... thus saith the Lord,” etc.
12. Give twelve attributes of God:

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____
- (D) _____
- (E) _____
- (F) _____
- (G) _____
- (H) _____
- (I) _____
- (J) _____
- (K) _____
- (L) _____



13. The Bible records _____ post-resurrection appearances of Christ.
14. The five basic teachings concerning the Lord Jesus Christ are:

The only way to wait for the Second Coming is to watch that you do what you should do, so that *when* He comes is a matter of indifference. It is the attitude of a child, certain that God knows what He is about.

When the Lord does come, it will be as natural as breathing. God never does anything hysterical, and He never produces hysterics.

—Oswald Chambers

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____
- (D) _____
- (E) _____
15. The Second Coming of Christ will be in what two steps?
 - (A) _____
 - (B) _____

Match the following:

(Some items on the right will not be used.)

- | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| _____ 1. paper | A. tax collector |
| _____ 2. testament | B. is everywhere |
| _____ 3. Pentateuch | C. concern Christ's first coming |
| _____ 4. Psalms | D. red earth |
| _____ 5. Acts | E. not limited |
| _____ 6. messianic prophecies | F. teaching |
| _____ 7. Matthew | G. unchanging |
| _____ 8. microscopic method | H. three-in-one |
| _____ 9. attribute | I. no beginning or end |
| _____ 10. trinity | J. wind and fire |
| _____ 11. infinite | K. a poetical book |
| _____ 12. omnipotent | L. all powerful |
| _____ 13. omniscient | M. called by your side to help |
| _____ 14. omnipresent | N. analyzing a verse or section |
| _____ 15. eternal | O. covenant or agreement |
| _____ 16. immutable | P. knows everything |
| _____ 17. "Comforter" | Q. Geronimo |
| _____ 18. Seven-fold Spirit | R. first five books |
| _____ 19. adam | S. New Testament book of history |
| _____ 20. doctrine | T. characteristic |

The Bible—banned, burned, beloved. More widely read, more frequently attacked than any other book in history. Generations of intellectuals have attempted to discredit it; dictators of every age have outlawed it and executed those who read it. Yet soldiers carry it into battle believing it more powerful than their weapons. Fragments of it smuggled into solitary prison cells have transformed ruthless killers into gentle saints.

(Charles Colson)

New Testament Churches

- | | |
|---|-------------------------|
| _____ 1. Church established by Christ | A. Romans 16:5 |
| _____ 2. 3,000 baptized in one day | B. Acts 8:1 |
| _____ 3. started mission work | C. Ephesians 5:23 |
| _____ 4. not Jew or Gentile | D. I Thessalonians 2:14 |
| _____ 5. the two offices mentioned | E. Hebrews 10:25 |
| _____ 6. obligation to attend | F. Revelation 1:11 |
| _____ 7. to give each Sunday | G. Philippians 1:1 |
| _____ 8. Great Commission | H. Acts 2:47 |
| _____ 9. The Lord's Supper | I. Ephesians 5:24 |
| _____ 10. church meeting in a house | J. Acts 16:5 |
| _____ 11. Take heed...to feed | K. Ephesians 3:21 |
| _____ 12. Christ, the head | L. Philippians 3:6 |
| _____ 13. Daily additions in early church | M. Acts 2: 42, 46 |
| _____ 14. Greatly persecuted | N. Matthew 28:19-20 |
| _____ 15. subject to Christ | O. I Corinthians 16:2 |
| _____ 16. Paul had persecuted | P. Acts 2:41 |
| _____ 17. where Christ is to have glory | Q. I Timothy 3:15 |
| _____ 18. established in the faith | R. I Corinthians 10:32 |
| _____ 19. seven churches in Asia | S. Matthew 16:18 |
| _____ 20. followers of the churches | T. Acts 20:28 |
| _____ 21. right behavior expected | U. Acts 13:1 |



- 6.1 Two offices: _____ and _____.
- 6.2 Two ordinances: _____ and _____.
- 6.3 "A church is organized to meet for _____, to _____ the Gospel, to _____ souls, to carry out the _____ of baptism and the Lord's Supper; to teach the _____ of _____; to _____, watch over and _____ its members for their _____ and for the _____ of God."

Christian Living



Answer questions on the following pages as you read the classic book

How to Succeed in the Christian Life

By R.A. Torrey

1

Beginning Right

- 1.1 The right way to begin the Christian life is by _____ Jesus Christ.
- 1.2 Jesus Christ is God's _____.
- 1.3 There is not a man or woman or a boy or a girl who has not _____ (Romans 3:22-23).
- 1.4 He _____ us from the curse of the _____ by being made a curse in our _____ (Galatians 3:13).
- 1.5 Our own good _____, past, present or future have _____ to do with the _____ of our sins.
- 1.6 Our good works will not be the _____ of our salvation, but the _____.
- 1.7 He has power to keep the _____ sinner from _____ (Jude 24).
- 1.8 Through the _____ Christ we get deliverance from the _____ of sin.
- 1.9 But it is through the _____ Christ that we get _____ victory over the _____ of sin.

- 1.10 "Lord" means divine _____.
- 1.11 And "Christ" means anointed _____.
- 1.12 The failure to realize Jesus is _____ and _____, as well as Savior, has led many to a false _____ in the Christian life.
- 1.13 To hold back _____ from Jesus means a wretched life of stumbling and _____.
- 1.14 Taking Christ as your Lord and King involves _____ to His will as far as you _____ it in each _____ of life.

2

The Open Confession of Christ

- 2.1 He demands a _____ confession.
- 2.2 This is the _____ of _____.
- 2.3 To be a _____ disciple means to be _____ disciple at all.
- 2.4 We should confess Christ _____.
- 2.5 We should not be _____ of our Lord and King.
- 2.6 We should let people _____ we are on His _____.
- 2.7 In the _____, in the _____, at our _____, and at our _____, we should let others know where we stand.
- 2.8 The failure to confess Christ is one of the most frequent causes of _____.



3

Assurance of Salvation

- 3.1 It is the believer's privilege to _____ he has eternal life.
- 3.2 He may know it on the surest of all grounds, that is, because the _____ of _____ says so.
- 3.3 If anyone who believes on the Son of God doubts he has eternal life he makes _____ a _____.
- 3.4 The reason many don't have the assurance they are saved is because they are _____ saved.

Is it not wonderful to know that salvation lies outside of ourselves?
Martin Luther

4

Filled With the Holy Spirit

- 4.1 Being filled with the Holy Spirit is the great secret of _____ in our own hearts, of _____ over _____, of _____ in _____, and of effective _____.
- 4.2 It is something quite different, something far better than this, to be _____ with the Holy Spirit.
- 4.3 He _____ our lives and produces within us in ever increasing measure of the _____ of the Spirit: love, joy, peace, long-suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance.
- 4.4 To be filled with the Holy Spirit we must put _____ every known _____.
- 4.5 To be filled with the Holy Spirit, there must be an open _____ of Christ before the world.
- 4.6 To be filled with the Holy Spirit, there must be an absolute _____ of our lives to God.
- 4.7 To be filled with the Holy Spirit there should be definite _____.
- 4.8 To be filled with the Holy Spirit, there must be _____, simply taking God at His Word.

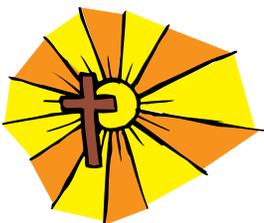
“May not a single moment of my life be spent outside the light, love and joy of God’s presence and not a moment without the entire surrender of my self as a vessel for Him to fill full of His Spirit and His love.”

—Andrew Murray

5

Looking Unto Jesus

- 5.1 One of the simplest, yet mightiest, _____ of abiding joy and victory is to _____ lose sight of _____.
- 5.2 Every sin Satan taunts us about has been _____ and _____ forever.
- 5.3 The whole secret of true Christian conduct can be summed up in these two words, “_____.”
- 5.4 Do not spend your time or thought _____ others because they don’t _____ Jesus.
- 5.5 See that _____ follow Him.
- 5.6 There is wonderful _____ in this life of simply following Jesus. This path is _____ and clear.



6

Church Membership

6.1 The church is a divine institution , built by _____ Himself.



6.2 The local churches in Paul's day were very _____.

6.3 Unite with a church where they _____ in the Bible and where they preach the _____.

6.4 Focus on what is _____ in the church and in the minister, and do your best to _____ it.

7

Bible Study

7.1 The soul's proper _____ is found in one book, the Bible.

7.2 The only Christian who is _____ from being led into _____ is the one who _____ the Bible for himself daily.

7.3 The one who neglects his Bible is bound to be a _____ in the Christian life.

7.4 The bulk of our Bible study should be done when our minds are _____ and _____. Whatever time is set apart for Bible study should be kept _____ for that purpose.

7.5 It is beneficial to read a _____ book of the Bible through at a _____ sitting. This lets you see the _____ picture.

7.6 It is absolutely essential to know the _____ of God. The place to discover the _____ of God is the Bible.

7.7 The Scripture will keep you from _____ and false doctrine, fill your heart with _____ and peace, give you _____ over the evil one, and _____ in prayer, make you _____ than the aged and your enemies and make you "thoroughly _____ unto all good works."



8

Difficulties in the Bible

- 8.1 The difficulties that confront one who denies the Bible is God's perfect word are far more _____ and _____ than those that confront one who _____ it is of divine origin and authority.
- 8.2 The difficulties in the Bible have far more weight with _____ of it than with _____ students.
- 8.3 When you find a difficulty in the Bible, frankly acknowledge _____.
- 8.4 You aren't likely to discover any _____ that wasn't discovered and probably settled long before you were born.
- 8.5 The Bible has _____ centuries of rigid examination and awful assault, and is not going under by any discoveries you make.
- 8.6 Never let apparently obscure passages of Scripture darken the light that comes from _____ passages.
- 8.7 It is wonderful how difficulties dissolve when we look at them on our _____.



9

Prayer

- 9.1 The Apostle James told believers in his day that the poverty and _____ of their lives and service was resulted from a neglect of _____.
- 9.2 Why, many Christians are asking, do I make such poor headway in my Christian _____.
- 9.3 The rule of David and of Daniel is a good one — pray _____ times a day.
- 9.4 But we also need set times of _____, times when we go alone with God, shut the _____ and talk to our _____ in the secret place (Matthew 6:6).

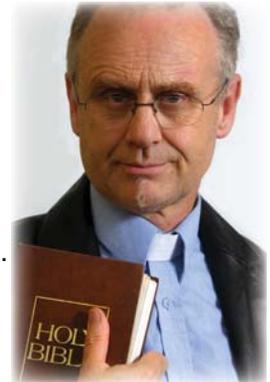


- 9.5 Prayer is a wonderful _____.
- 9.6 It is an audience with the _____.
- 9.7 Begin the day with _____ for the definite mercies of the past, and prayer for the definite needs of the present day.

- 9.8 The more work a day requires, the more time must be spent in prayer in _____
for that work.
- 9.9 There are three things for which one who would succeed in the Christian life must especially
pray: _____, _____ and the _____.
- 9.10 The _____ meeting is the most _____ meeting in the church.

10 Working for Christ

- 10.1 Some Christians never backslide because they are too _____ about their
_____ business to backslide.
- 10.2 You can bear fruit for your Master by _____ to others and _____ them what
your Savior has done for you, by _____ them to accept this same Saviour and
_____ them how to do it.
- 10.3 It is better to have _____ without knowledge than to have knowledge
without _____.
- 10.4 The man who goes ahead and does his best—_____ to risk the
blunders—is the man who learns to _____ the blunders in the future.
- 10.5 Try every day to lead someone else to _____.
- 10.6 Make a _____ list.
- 10.7 Don't make the list so _____ that your prayer and work become _____
and superficial.
- 10.8 Learn to use _____.



11 Foreign Missions

- 11.1 Our Lord _____ every one of His disciples to _____ and make disciples of
all nations
- 11.2 No Christian has a right to stay home until he has _____ himself definitely to God for
the _____ field.

11.3 It's possible for you to preach the gospel in the most remote corners of the earth by _____ or helping to _____ a foreign missionary or a native worker.

11.4 God's _____ to our prayers come in through the same door our _____ go out to others.

11.5 The greatest need in the work of Jesus Christ today is _____.

11.6 Do not merely pray for foreign missionaries in _____. Have a few missionaries whose work you study so that you can pray _____ and _____ for them.

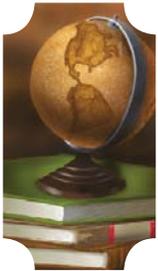


12 Companions

12.1 The companionships we form create an intellectual, _____ and _____ atmosphere that we are _____ breathing.

12.2 Cultivate the friendship with those you find _____ to your own _____ life.

12.3 On the other hand, avoid companionships you find spiritually and morally _____.



12.4 The _____ we _____ are our companions. They exert a tremendous _____ for good or evil.

12.5 Feast your soul upon the pictures that make you _____, kinder, more _____ and more _____.

13 Amusements

13.1 Our Savior does not frown on wholesome _____.

13.2 In the stress and strain of modern life _____ people also need _____ if they are to do their _____ work.

13.3 Don't take part in any _____ activity vvhich you can't make a matter of _____.

13.4 Don't go to any activity where you feel _____ will not feel at home with you.

There is not much fun in medicine, but there can be much medicine in fun.

14

Persecution

- 14.1 We live in a God-hating _____ and in a _____ age.
- 14.2 Persecution is inevitable for a _____ follower of Jesus Christ.
- 14.3 If persecution is rightly received, it will not be a hindrance to the _____ life, but a help.
- 14.4 No matter how _____ and hard it may be, be _____ for it.
- 14.5 It is a great _____ to be persecuted for Christ and for the _____.
- 14.6 Many people _____ upon themselves the displeasure of others because they are stubborn and _____: then _____ themselves that they are being _____ for _____ sake and for righteousness' sake.
- 14.7 Persecution should be borne _____.
- 14.8 Don't _____ about your own persecutions.
- 14.9 _____ in them.
- 14.10 _____ God for them: and go on _____ God.
- 14.11 And don't forget to _____ and _____ for them who persecute you (Matthew 5:44).
- 14.12 Keep your eyes fixed upon "Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him _____ the _____, despising the _____, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

The way of this world is to praise dead saints and persecute living ones.

15

Knowing God's Will

- 15.1 A true Christian life is not a life governed by a whole lot of _____ about what to eat, drink, etc.
- 15.2 The true Christian life is the life of a _____, glad, fear-free child; not controlled by rules, but by the personal _____ of the _____ who dwells _____ us.
- 15.3 If we make a _____, even if we disobey God, we go and _____ Him all about it as _____ as a child would.
- 15.4 The whole secret of guidance is an absolutely _____ will that is _____ to obey God at any cost.
- 15.5 Live a life _____ by the personal guidance of the Holy Spirit. Surrender your will totally to _____. Follow step by step as He _____.



I believe Satan to exist for two reasons:
first, the Bible says so; and second, I've
done business with him.

D.L. Moody

Satan

Note: There is no separate text for this section on Satan in the Resource Booklet. Your Bible (KJV) and the information given between questions will help you find the answers.

Few people today take Satan seriously. And that's exactly as he wants it. Some deny that he even exists. Others make light of him, regarding him as a cartoon-type character complete with horns, tail and hoofs. But throughout the Scriptures Satan is declared to be the greatest enemy of God and man. He was actually created by God, as an angel, long before the time of man.

Satan's Origin

- 7.1 He was created by _____, long before the time of man.
- 7.2 He was "Lucifer, _____ of the _____" (Isaiah 14:12).
- 7.3 He was "the anointed _____ that covereth" (Ezekiel 28:14).
- 7.4 He was "_____ " in his ways in those days, beautiful, wise, bright (Ezekiel 28).
- 7.5 He fell when, being puffed up with pride, he said in his heart *(See Isaiah 14:12-14):*
 - (a) "I will _____
 - (b) "I will _____
 - (c) "I will _____
 - (d) "I will _____
 - (e) "I will _____
- 7.6 Christ said he saw or "beheld Satan as _____ fall from Heaven" (Luke 10:18).
- 7.7 He first appeared to a human being in Genesis, Chapter _____, taking the form of a serpent.

The first animal known as a serpent was likely upright and was definitely very graceful and beautiful. Satan wears a mask. Paul said the devil appears as "an angel of light."



Satan's Personality

Some people spell "devil" without a "d"—indicating that he is not a personal being, but a mere influence. But we know he is a personal being because:

- 7.8 Personal _____ are used to refer to him (Zech. 3:2; Job 1:6-12; John 8:44).
- 7.9 He performs personal acts and has personal attributes. In John 8:44 and I John 3:8 Satan is set forth as a _____, a _____, a _____—all elements of personality.

Match the following:

- | | |
|--|-------------------------|
| _____ 1. Satan has a will | A. Genesis 3:4 |
| _____ 2. Satan tempted Christ | B. II Timothy 2:26 |
| _____ 3. Satan has lusts | C. II Corinthians 4:3-4 |
| _____ 4. Satan desired to sift Peter | D. Revelation 12:10 |
| _____ 5. Satan walks & seeks to devour men | E. Hebrews 2:14 |
| _____ 6. Satan had the power of death | F. I Peter 5:8 |
| _____ 7. Satan accuses Christians | G. John 8:44 |
| _____ 8. Satan wrestles with Christians | H. Luke 22:31-32 |
| _____ 9. Satan refutes God's Word | I. Matthew 4:1 |
| _____ 10. Satan blinds minds of lost | J. Ephesians 6:12 |



Satan's Position and Power

7.10 Even Michael the archangel dared not rebuke him in his own power, "but said, The Lord _____ thee" (Jude 9).

7.11 His high position in the world is suggested by some of his titles. He is called:



- A. _____ in John 14:30; 16:11.
B. _____ in II Corinthians 4:4
C. _____ in Matthew 12:24
D. _____ in Ephesians 2:2

Satan's Realm of Activity

Contrary to popular notions, Satan is not in hell, nor does he send forth his agents from there. At present, he apparently is not restricted to one place.

You may be surprised to learn that Satan has access to Heaven, where God dwells.

7.12 In Job 2:1 we find him presenting "himself before the _____."

7.13 In Zechariah 3:1 he is before God resisting or standing against _____ the high priest.

7.14 In Revelation 12:7-10 Satan will finally be cast out of Heaven for good. He now has freedom to accuse the brethren "before our God _____ and _____."

The Bible speaks of three heavens. The third Heaven is the abode of God. The second is space, where the moon and stars are. The first is our atmosphere, where the birds fly. Satan is very active in our atmosphere, as “the prince of the power of the air,” and has access to the other heavenlies.

Christians are informed in Ephesians 6:12: “We wrestle. . .against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in **high places** (the heavenlies).”

Satan is also active on earth, “as a roaring lion, walking about, seeking whom he may devour” (I Peter 5:8). His battleground with mankind seems to be our **minds**, where he continually plants his “wiles” (suggestions, ideas).

Satans Nature

Some of his names give us insight concerning what Satan is like.

1. SATAN, means “hater,” “enemy,” “adversary.” Used to refer to him more than fifty times in the Bible, we are reminded that he is the hater, enemy and adversary of both God and man.
2. THE DEVIL means “accuser” or “slanderer.” It is used 35 times in the Bible. He accuses believers before God (Rev. 12:10) and defames the character of God before men (Gen. 3:1-5).
3. THE WICKED ONE. He snatches away the Word of God sown in man’s heart, according to Matthew 13:9.
4. THE TEMPTER. (Matthew 4:3). No person has escaped his solicitations to entice man to do evil. He has been tempting people continually, beginning with Eve in the garden.

7.15 Satan uses only three avenues in tempting people. They are named in I John 2:16. . .

- (a) “the lust of the _____”
- (b) “the lust of the _____”
- (c) “the _____ of life”

Satan is cunning and subtle, tempting men in times of physical hardship (Matt. 4:1-11); after times of great success (John 6:15); deluding followers by signs and wonders (II Thessalonians 2:9-10).

Christ calls him “a murderer from the beginning” and “a liar, and the father of it.” He is labeled as the original sinner, who “sinneth from the beginning” (I John 3:8). He has transforming (disguising) power and wraps temptations in attractive packages.

Satan uses the problems of this life to slander God’s character; he tries to make us think that all the calamities and miseries and wrongs spring from God. —Oswald Chambers

Satan's Names and Titles

Match the following:

- | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| _____ 1. Abaddon and Appollyon | A. Matthew 12:24 |
| _____ 2. Beelzebub, prince of devils | B. II Corinthians 4:4 |
| _____ 3. Belial | C. Matthew 12:43 |
| _____ 4. Accuser | D. Genesis 3:4 |
| _____ 5. Adversary | E. I Peter 5:8 |
| _____ 6. Ruler of Darkness | F. John 14:30 |
| _____ 7. Serpent | G. Isaiah 14:12 |
| _____ 8. Tempter | H. Revelation 12:10 |
| _____ 9. Unclean Spirit | I. I Thessalonians 2:18 |
| _____ 10. The Wicked One | J. Revelation 9:11 |
| _____ 11. Lucifer | K. Matthew 13:19 |
| _____ 12. The Devil | L. Matthew 4:1 |
| _____ 13. A Hinderer | M. II Corinthians 6:15 |
| _____ 14. god of this world | N. Ephesians 6:12 |
| _____ 15. Prince of this world | O. Matthew 4:3 |



Satan's Destiny

Satan's fate was sealed when Christ died on the Cross and rose from the grave. His days are numbered. In the short time he has remaining, the devil takes out his bitterness on mankind. His rage mounts as his end approaches.

Satan will be defeated in a war in Heaven during the Tribulation and will be cast out of Heaven (Revelation 12:7-10). He will work together within the Antichrist and the false prophet during the Tribulation, but will be defeated by Christ at the Battle of Armageddon (Rev. 16:13-16; 17:12-14; 19:11-21).

Then Satan will be chained in the bottomless pit for 1,000 years (Rev. 20:1-3), after which he will be loosed to lead the nations in one last effort against God and His people. But Satan will again be defeated and cast into the lake of fire (Rev. 20:7-10) where he will be tormented forever.

So, he is (A) a conquered enemy, (B) under a perpetual curse, (C) to be finally cast into the lake of fire for eternal torment.

Note: When Lucifer was cast out of Heaven, and became Satan, one-third of the angels (having been under his charge) were evidently cast out with him, and became demons.

Satan and the Believer

Satan cannot touch us without first obtaining permission from our loving Father. He had to obtain permission before he could attack Job (Job 1:9-12; 2:4-6). And God only permits him to attack us when He knows we will ultimately benefit from such action (Romans 8:28). For example, the Lord may permit Satan to bring discomfort to a backslidden believer in order to remind that believer of the joy he will experience by returning to God's perfect will.

Satan has already been judged. His power over believers was broken at the Cross, through Christ's victory there. He even had to ask permission to enter swine (Matthew 8:30-32). Satan is mighty, but not Almighty like our Lord.

7.16 Christians are to resist Satan. This involves:

(A) Replacing pride with _____ to receive grace (James 4:6).

(B) "_____ yourselves...to God" (James 4:7).

(C) "Put on the _____ of God" (Eph. 6:11).

(D) Don't "give _____ to the _____" (Eph. 4:26-27).

(E) "Withstand (Satan) steadfast in your _____" (1 Pet. 5:8-9).

(F) "...be of _____..." (John 16:33).

(G) Remember God's promises. For example:

▶ "Through Thee we will _____ down our _____: through Thy _____ will we tread them under that _____ up _____ us" (Psalm 44:5).

▶ "I give unto you power to tread...over all the _____ of the _____" (Luke 10:19).

▶ "But _____ be to God, which giveth us the _____ through our _____" (1 Corinthians 15:57).

▶ ". . .greater is He that is in _____, than he that is in the _____" (1 John 4:____).

▶ ". . .this is the _____ that _____ the world, even our _____" (1 John 5:____).





Answer the following:

8.1 Angels are superior to _____ and inferior to _____.

8.2 There are more than _____ Old Testament references and _____ New Testament references to angels.

8.3 “The angel of the Lord” is a term referring to the _____ as _____ appeared to individuals in His _____ form.

8.4 State five facts about the nature of angels:

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____
- (D) _____
- (E) _____

8.5 What will be the final destination of “fallen angels?” _____

8.6 List four major areas of work performed by angels:

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____
- (D) _____

Match the following:

- _____ 1. Psalm 8:5
- _____ 2. Psalm 91:11-12
- _____ 3. Matt. 13:39,41
- _____ 4. Matt. 26:53
- _____ 5. Luke 12:8-9
- _____ 6. Luke 15:10
- _____ 7. Luke 16:22
- _____ 8. I Tim. 3:16
- _____ 9. Hebrews 2:2
- _____ 10. I Peter 1:12
- _____ 11. Col. 2:18
- _____ 12. Acts 12:6-11
- _____ 13. Matt. 22:30
- _____ 14. Luke 22:43
- _____ 15. Isaiah 37:36



- A. angels given charge over, to keep you
- B. strength from an angel in a garden
- C. “word spoken by angels was steadfast”
- D. Dead saints carried by angels
- E. Confessed or denied before angels
- F. An angel smites 185,000 one night
- G. Worship of angels forbidden
- H. He could have called 12 legions of angels
- I. Angels don’t marry
- J. man made “a little lower than angels”
- K. “things the angels desire to look into”
- L. loosing chains and opening doors
- M. “reapers”—shall gather all that offend
- N. Joy over one repenting sinner
- O. “God was. . .seen of angels”



John Paton was a missionary in the New Hebrides Islands. One night hostile natives surrounded the mission station, intent on burning out the Patons and killing them. Paton and his wife prayed during that terror-filled night that God would deliver them. When daylight came they were amazed to see their attackers leave.

A year later, the chief of the tribe was converted to Christ. Remembering what had happened, Paton asked the chief what had kept him from burning down the house and killing them. The chief replied in surprise, “Who were all those men with you there?” Paton knew no men were present—but the chief said he was afraid to attack because he had seen hundreds of big men in shining garments with drawn swords circling the mission station.



Last Things

Answer the following:

9.1 What four groups of people will be resurrected?

(A) _____

(B) _____

(C) _____

(D) _____

9.2 Contrast the natural body with the resurrected body of believers:

(A) sown in _____; raised in _____;

(B) sown in _____; raised in _____;

(C) sown in _____; raised in _____;

(D) sown a _____ body; raised a _____ body.

I've read the last page of the Bible. It's all going to turn out all right.

—Billy Graham

9.3 List five future judgments:

- (A) _____
- (B) _____
- (C) _____
- (D) _____
- (E) _____

9.4 To whom will Christ ultimately deliver His kingdom? _____

9.5 What will follow? _____

Answer True or False:

- _____ 1. The rapture will take place after the Tribulation.
- _____ 2. The term “millennium” means “one hundred years.”
- _____ 3. Believers will be judged at the Great White Throne Judgment.
- _____ 4. The Judgment of Believers takes place after the Millennium.
- _____ 5. Unbelievers will never be resurrected.

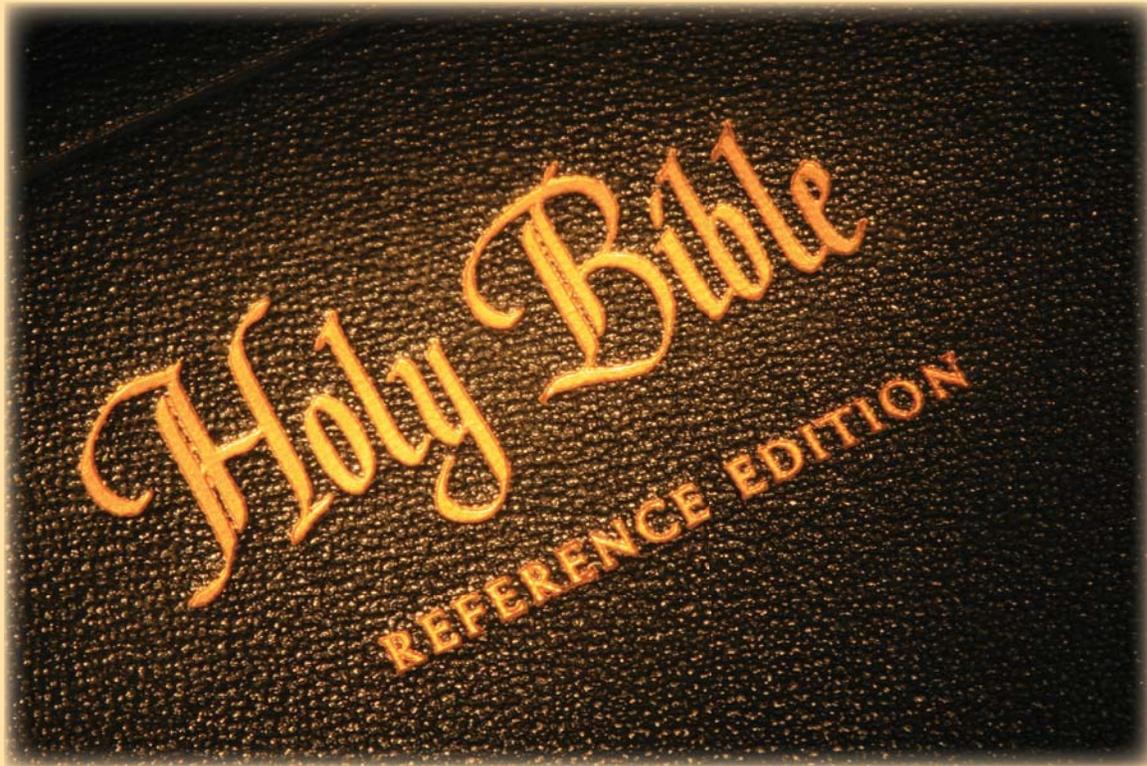
I am fond of a line from Niels Bohr, the physicist, and have quoted it before.

“Prediction is a very difficult art,” he says, “especially when it involves the future.”

Scientists at the Goddard Space Flight Center report that one of the largest stars in our galaxy is about to self-destruct. Eta Carinae, which has a mass 100 times greater than that of our sun, is giving signs that its life is about over. Researchers say that it could become a supernova—a blazing, exploding star—within the next 10,000 years. What was especially interesting about the Science 81 report was the statement that since light from the star takes 9,000 years to reach the earth, the actual explosion could have already taken place.

This striking fact reminds me of the nature of biblical prophecy. For example, the predictions found in Revelation 8 are often written in the past tense. This is done because even though the prophet is writing of a future event, he has already “seen” it. Also, in the mind of God it’s as if the events have already happened. Even though Christians differ on the interpretation of today’s Scripture, we can definitely say that God’s judgment against sin is certain. The outpouring of His anger against those who continually resist Him is so sure that it has been written about in the past tense. This should cause us to reflect with the apostle Peter, who wrote so appropriately, “Seeing, then, that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy living and godliness?” (2 Peter 3:11). As Christians, we know what’s ahead for this world, and that knowledge should keep us living close to God.

—Our Daily Bread



We have gotten accustomed to the blurred puffs of gray fog that pass for doctrine in churches and expect nothing better. From some previously unimpeachable sources are now coming vague statements consisting of a milky admixture of Scripture, science, and human sentiment that is true to none of its ingredients because each one works to cancel the others out.

Little by little Christians these days are being brainwashed. One evidence is that increasing numbers of them are becoming ashamed to be found unequivocally on the side of truth. They say they believe, but their beliefs have been so diluted as to be impossible of clear definition.

Moral power has always accompanied definite beliefs. Great saints have always been dogmatic. We need a return to a gentle dogmatism that smiles while it stands stubborn and firm on the Word of God that lives and abides forever.

—A.W. Tozer

