



# INTERNATIONAL STANDARD BIBLE STUDY CURRICULUM

## *DEVELOPMENT OF PERSONAL CHARACTER*

### QUESTION MANUAL COURSE REQUIREMENTS

**Textbook:** *Biblical Research Library, DEVELOPING CHARACTER, Book 21*

**Memory Verses:** Ephesians 5:22-33; Titus 2:1-10

**Lesson Outlines:** Prepare and deliver **FIVE** (5) outlines on the material of the textbook.

**Discussion Questions:** Answer each discussion question of each chapter.

**Projects:** Complete **THREE** (3) of the six projects of this course.

## Chapter 1 *Launching Into Adventure*

### True or False:

1. \_\_\_\_ One is a good leader when he or she is known for helping others.
2. \_\_\_\_ Leadership must focus on how one influences others to do good.
3. \_\_\_\_ Happy communities can exist without people learning how to live together.
4. \_\_\_\_ The most important thing in developing a unified community is economic growth.
5. \_\_\_\_ The only real solution to stop the curse of AIDS is abstinence from sexual activity outside the union of marriage.
6. \_\_\_\_ Nations that are built on the foundation of good morals and ethical behavior will be growing and productive nations.

### Discussion:

- A. Why must we focus on building better families to develop better communities?
- B. Why would helping others make one a better person?
- C. Why must we learn from past mistakes?

### Project:

- **Blessing Book:** Every day for one month write down each day three things for which you are thankful. Try not to repeat things you write. Write down small things you experience. Be thankful for special people you meet.

## Chapter 2 *Building Character*

### Fill in the blanks:

#### Answers

Bible, succeed, bad, responsibility, focus, service, interact, principles, conscience, better, future, build, unified, character, motivates, account, successful

1. It is the \_\_\_\_ of every citizen to develop his or her character in order to develop a great nation.
2. Our lives are built around our \_\_\_\_.
3. The better we relate with others, the better we will \_\_\_\_ in life.
4. Our character determines our \_\_\_\_.
5. Our religious beliefs affect our character development if we understand that we will give \_\_\_\_ to God for our behavior.
6. The first test as to whether a religious faith is from God is in the fact that the faith must move us to be \_\_\_\_ people.
7. Character development is knowing and practicing correct \_\_\_\_ by which we can determine what is good or bad.
8. Good characters will make the best of \_\_\_\_ situations.
9. Because we are the creation of God, God has placed within us a \_\_\_\_ to do right and good to our fellow man.
10. When humans establish good moral laws, they often cannot develop a conscience that \_\_\_\_ them to keep those laws.
11. God does not intend that the \_\_\_\_ be used directly as the actual constitution for any government.
12. Good constitutions are based on timeless moral and ethical principles by which God seeks to \_\_\_\_ every nation of the world.

13. Nations that construct their constitutions on the principles of God will be nations that are \_\_\_\_\_ as one people.
14. Success depends on our ability to \_\_\_\_\_ with other people.
15. The better we get along with others, the more \_\_\_\_\_ we will be.
16. If one wants to be a successful person, he or she must \_\_\_\_\_ on developing his or her character.
17. Life is truly blessed for the one who wants to live in \_\_\_\_\_ to others.

**Discussion:**

- A. If you were to write the constitution for your country, list **three** principles you would make sure are expressed in the written laws.
- B. How does our relationship with others determine our success?
- C. Why must we be diligent to focus on developing our character?

**Project:**

- **Kind Deed Book:** Each day for **one month** do a special kind deed to a member of your family or someone in your community. Your kind deed could be something you say in order to encourage someone else. It could be a special work you do in the community or around the house. Return your record of kind deeds to the Institute with your final exam.

## Chapter 3

### *Character In Husbands And Wives*

**Fill in the blanks:**

**Answers**

relationship, dignity, skills, reference, cleave, guarantee, keeper, one, servanthood, spiritually, future, legacy, covenant, responsibilities, youth, earned, self-esteem, harmony, learned, unbeliever, security, life, praise, love, body, spiritual, commitment, submission, husbands, strength, government, honor, marriage, self-image

1. The behavior of the citizens of all societies depends on the \_\_\_\_\_ that is established between a man and woman in marriage.
2. It is necessary that good principles be \_\_\_\_\_ in order to establish a good relationship between a husband and wife.
3. The headship of the husband is for the purpose of establishing a center of \_\_\_\_\_ in the home.
4. Children who have learned submission to authority in the home learn submission to the authority of civil \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The first principle in creating good families is that we must determine to learn \_\_\_\_\_ that produce healthy family relationships.
6. As a man should take care of his own \_\_\_\_\_, he should also take care of his wife.
7. In healthy family relationships, the \_\_\_\_\_ of husbands and wives is first to one another.
8. A loving husband seeks to build his wife's \_\_\_\_\_ by giving her respect.
9. The wife is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the home.
10. A wife teaches \_\_\_\_\_ to authority by her own submission.
11. Wives must lead the children in the family with spiritual and emotional \_\_\_\_\_.
12. Husbands ought to \_\_\_\_\_ their own wives as their own bodies.
13. Societies function in \_\_\_\_\_ only when they are made up of citizens who know the spirit of submission to one another.
14. Because of his love for his wife, the husband is to be the \_\_\_\_\_ and emotional center of reference for his wife.
15. Husbands earn the right to their family headship by being a source of spiritual and emotional \_\_\_\_\_ for their wives.
16. Any God-fearing man who does not care for his wife is worse than an \_\_\_\_\_ who does not know better.
17. Love is the \_\_\_\_\_ that the husband's headship toward his wife is controlled and conducted with all dignity.
18. If one seeks to be a husband, he must make a commitment of giving himself to his wife for \_\_\_\_\_.
19. Older Christian women are to encourage the young women to love their \_\_\_\_\_.
20. Through procreation in the covenant of \_\_\_\_\_, God gave the right to the husband and wife to bear children.
21. The Bible instructs that husbands give \_\_\_\_\_ to their wives.
22. The loving husband continually gives his wife \_\_\_\_\_ for the good she does.
23. Husbands who are committed to their wives will seek to lead their wives with the \_\_\_\_\_ of God's love.
24. A man must leave his parents and \_\_\_\_\_ to his wife in order to nourish and cherish only her as his wife.
25. Honorable husbands leave a \_\_\_\_\_ of honorable children.
26. A man who does not manifest love toward his wife usually has a low \_\_\_\_\_ of himself.
27. The husband must commit himself to only \_\_\_\_\_ wife.
28. The \_\_\_\_\_ that God requires of a husband in marriage cannot be carried out with more than one wife.
29. Marriage is a \_\_\_\_\_ that two are making with one another for life.
30. When a man and woman marry, they are \_\_\_\_\_ joined together as one in the eyes of God.
31. The respect of a wife is \_\_\_\_\_ by the husband's love for his wife.
32. Through the nurturing of children, it is our mothers who will determine the \_\_\_\_\_ of our country.
33. King Solomon correctly said of husbands, "Rejoice with the wife of your \_\_\_\_\_."
34. The mother's \_\_\_\_\_ is copied by her obedient children who go out into the world as servants to the needs of others.

### Discussion:

- A. Why can a strong marriage relationship exist only in the context of one man being married to one woman for life?
- B. Why must one's religious beliefs and culture be considered when establishing the structure of the family?
- C. How or why does a spirit of submission encourage honor of the one who submits to the needs of others?

### Project:

- Envision how you are going to build your family in the future. Think of the role that you as a father or mother will play in building a good family. Determine the function of each family member. After much thought, write out **five** things that would be necessary to do in order to build a strong family. Return your five points with the final exam to this course.

## Chapter 4 *Character In Fathers And Mothers*

### True or False:

1. \_\_\_\_ Children develop their personalities from their parents.
2. \_\_\_\_ Loving fathers set examples of how to care for those over whom one has authority.
3. \_\_\_\_ The manner by which a father conducts himself in the family does not determine the future of society.
4. \_\_\_\_ Those who are hard and harsh in their relationships with others grew up under the direction of a loving father.
5. \_\_\_\_ Sons will treat their wives as their father treated their mothers.
6. \_\_\_\_ Fathers who do not provide for the physical needs of their families are teaching their sons not to be providers for their future families.
7. \_\_\_\_ Husbands and wives must help one another to be good fathers and mothers.
8. \_\_\_\_ The children manifest the success of a good father and mother.
9. \_\_\_\_ God-fearing fathers produce God-fearing children.
10. \_\_\_\_ Children who have grown up without either a father or mother can never be good fathers and mothers themselves.
11. \_\_\_\_ When a mother is a good keeper of the home, she is teaching her children by example that the home is precious for the preservation of society.
12. \_\_\_\_ The mother preserves the future of society by producing citizens who focus on the importance of the family.
13. \_\_\_\_ Not only orphans, but everyone should look to God for direction in building great families.
14. \_\_\_\_ A righteous family must be guided by the right principles of God.
15. \_\_\_\_ Believers can have great families by ignoring God's principles for family building.

### Fill in the blanks:

#### Answers to questions 16 - 42

example, tempers, serve, above, love, God, good, unjust, discipline, head, success, wisdom, compassion, frustration, wisdom, argue, faith, spiritual, purpose, respect, accountable, faith, relationship, nations, confess, good, love

16. Faith in God is what gives \_\_\_\_ for living a better life.
17. Faith in God teaches us that we will be held \_\_\_\_ for our actions.
18. Timothy was given a genuine \_\_\_\_ from the time he was a child.
19. Instruction of children by parents is not only by words of teaching, but also by \_\_\_\_ of a godly life.
20. The greatest inheritance that parents can leave their children is a \_\_\_\_ in God.
21. The Holy Scriptures are a source of \_\_\_\_.
22. Good parenthood begins by first giving ourselves to \_\_\_\_.
23. The parents' example of putting God first in all things teaches the children that God must be exalted \_\_\_\_ all things in life.
24. Fathers must not provoke their children through \_\_\_\_ punishment.
25. Unloving discipline leads to \_\_\_\_ and rebellion on the part of the children.
26. If a father will lovingly discipline his child, the child will \_\_\_\_ the father.
27. Good parents will always seek to do that which is \_\_\_\_ for their children.
28. It is not wrong for a parent to \_\_\_\_ to his or her children when he or she has failed the children by wrong actions.
29. Doing \_\_\_\_ to others must be a fundamental principle that is taught in the home.
30. In a home where good works are continually done for others, children grow up with an example of how they should behave in their \_\_\_\_ with others.
31. Those who have been brought up to do good to others will see civil work in government as an opportunity to humbly \_\_\_\_ others.
32. One cannot say he loves God if he does not have \_\_\_\_ on those who are either widows or orphans.
33. \_\_\_\_ is necessary in the home in order to develop the type of person that will be a responsible person in society.

34. The rod and rebuke give \_\_\_\_\_.
35. A father who does not discipline his children does not \_\_\_\_\_ his children.
36. An undisciplined child will not discipline himself for \_\_\_\_\_ in life.
37. Parents must not only care for the physical needs of their children, but also for their \_\_\_\_\_ needs.
38. As the \_\_\_\_\_ of the wife, the husband must accept physical and spiritual responsibility for his wife.
39. When children grow up in a stable family, they develop a sense of \_\_\_\_\_.
40. When parents \_\_\_\_\_ in front of their children, they confuse their children.
41. Parents must control their \_\_\_\_\_ in discussions when in the presence of their children.
42. Broken homes destroy \_\_\_\_\_.

**Discussion:**

- A. List **five** things one should do as a faithful father to children.
- B. List **five** things that one should do as a faithful mother to children.
- C. List **two** things that you feel are the most important things parents should do to build great families.

## Chapter 5

### *Character In Sons And Daughters*

**Fill in the blanks:**

**Answers**

society, integrity, kingdom, disobedient, first, authority, skills, evil, authority, youth, answers, love, instruction, parents, greatest, spiritual, counsel, better, right, loyalty, honor, parents, understanding, morals, name

1. In the family, children learn principles and personality \_\_\_\_\_ by which they can live in society.
2. Obedient children learn from the example and teaching of their \_\_\_\_\_ in order to be good citizens in society.
3. God wants to direct everyone's life according to principles that will lead us to become \_\_\_\_\_ people.
4. In the commandments that God gave through Moses, He stated that children should \_\_\_\_\_ their fathers and mothers.
5. Rebellious children bring shame upon the \_\_\_\_\_ of the family.
6. One's attitude toward his or her parents will be his or her attitude toward \_\_\_\_\_ in the world.
7. The Bible teaches that children should obey their parents in the Lord for it is \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Obedience is a virtue that manifests the \_\_\_\_\_ of a self-disciplined life.
9. Young people who are obedient to their parents manifest their \_\_\_\_\_ of God.
10. Solomon wrote, "My son, hear the \_\_\_\_\_ of your father and do not forsake the law of your mother."
11. One cannot be faithful to God and at the same time be \_\_\_\_\_ to his or her parents.
12. Bad companions corrupt good \_\_\_\_\_.
13. When people become friends of the world, \_\_\_\_\_ times will result.
14. In times of evil in society, there is a lack of \_\_\_\_\_ to the family.
15. Disobedience to parents is a sign that there is wickedness in \_\_\_\_\_.
16. All who heard Jesus when He was a young man were astonished at His \_\_\_\_\_ and answers concerning spiritual things.
17. As Jesus, young people should seek to discuss \_\_\_\_\_ subjects and do good things in the community.
18. God promised that if we seek first the \_\_\_\_\_ of God and His righteousness He will take care of us.
19. Happy families are built on a common goal of every family member placing God \_\_\_\_\_ in all things.
20. Jesus said that whoever will humble himself as a little child, the same is \_\_\_\_\_ in the kingdom of heaven.
21. One who is proud and arrogant will never accept instruction from God simply because he or she has never learned how to submit to \_\_\_\_\_.
22. Humility is recognizing that one never has all the \_\_\_\_\_ for every situation in life.
23. Great men realize their weaknesses, and then compensate for their weaknesses by relying on the \_\_\_\_\_ of others.
24. When young people come to the age of making their own decisions, they should carefully follow the counsel of their \_\_\_\_\_.
25. The Bible teaches that one should remember his or her Creator in the days of his or her \_\_\_\_\_.

**Discussion:**

- A. If you are a parent of teenagers, discuss **five** things you want your children to do in the home when you have a family.

## Chapter 6

### *Your Health, Family And Friends*

**Fill in the blanks:**

**Answers to questions 1 - 14**

immune, deficiency, healthy, loss, destroys, active, gonorrhea, families, sexually, human, sex, fatigue, Blot, fight, white, body, body, HIV, virus, foreign, primary, germs, 10%, sores, acquired, ELISA, syphilis, marriage

1. One purpose for building \_\_\_\_\_ that are morally healthy is to produce physically \_\_\_\_\_ citizens.
2. Two common sexually transmitted diseases are \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ organs of a person are the ideal environment for the transmission of germs that cause \_\_\_\_\_ transmitted diseases.
4. If you are sexually \_\_\_\_\_ outside the union of \_\_\_\_\_, chances are you will become HIV positive, and subsequently develop AIDS.
5. The letters **AIDS** stand for \_\_\_\_\_ immune \_\_\_\_\_ syndrome.
6. HIV attacks the \_\_\_\_\_ system of the \_\_\_\_\_.
7. **HIV** stands for \_\_\_\_\_ immune deficiency \_\_\_\_\_.
8. HIV weakens our body's ability to \_\_\_\_\_ off foreign \_\_\_\_\_ that invade the body.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ blood cells attack the \_\_\_\_\_ invaders of the body that cause disease.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ enters and \_\_\_\_\_ our white blood cells.
11. One will not know if he or she is HIV positive without an \_\_\_\_\_ or Western \_\_\_\_\_ blood test.
12. One of the major indications that one is HIV positive is the \_\_\_\_\_ of weight that is greater than \_\_\_\_\_ of the normal body weight.
13. One of the \_\_\_\_\_ indications of HIV/AIDS is persistent severe \_\_\_\_\_.
14. A minor indication of HIV/AIDS are cold \_\_\_\_\_ over the \_\_\_\_\_.

**Answers to questions 15 - 29**

positive, intravenous, carrier, infected, passion, wash, pregnant, transfusions, most, union, contact, safe, proof, unprotected, condom, semen, unsterilized, educate, sex, no, many, condom, love, sexual, soap, transmission, fluids, injections, sexual, blood

15. HIV is passed from one person to another through blood, \_\_\_\_\_ or vaginal \_\_\_\_\_.
16. HIV is spread by having unprotected \_\_\_\_\_ with one who is HIV \_\_\_\_\_.
17. HIV is spread by making \_\_\_\_\_ with the \_\_\_\_\_ of an infected person.
18. \_\_\_\_\_ people do not know that they are \_\_\_\_\_ with HIV.
19. You may be a \_\_\_\_\_ of HIV and not know that you are infecting others with HIV by your \_\_\_\_\_ activity.
20. In order to prevent the spread of HIV/AIDS, special care should be taken in medical procedures such as \_\_\_\_\_ and blood \_\_\_\_\_.
21. \_\_\_\_\_ drug users often infect themselves by sharing \_\_\_\_\_ needles or syringes with other drug users.
22. In order to help stop the epidemic of HIV/AIDS is to just say \_\_\_\_\_ to sex outside the \_\_\_\_\_ of marriage.
23. The \_\_\_\_\_ of two young people can be spontaneous, and thus two people will often have sex without the use of a \_\_\_\_\_.
24. It only takes one \_\_\_\_\_ act of \_\_\_\_\_ sex to become HIV positive.
25. The encouraging of "\_\_\_\_\_ sex" outside marriage leads to the spread of HIV/AIDS because such teaching encourages that which causes the transmission of HIV, that is, sexual activity with \_\_\_\_\_ different people.
26. Having sex is not a \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.
27. Protection against HIV \_\_\_\_\_ is possible by using a \_\_\_\_\_.
28. If you are \_\_\_\_\_, you must \_\_\_\_\_ yourself concerning HIV.
29. If you come into contact with another's blood, semen or vaginal fluid, \_\_\_\_\_ your hands thoroughly with \_\_\_\_\_ and water.

**Answers to questions 30 - 44**

ELISA, life, diet, HIV, spread, coughing, marry, alcohol, children, God, blood, stress, prevent, change, medical, positive, touching, help, antibodies, sick, tell, prepare, sex, other, drugs, exposure, positive, three, plans, support

30. If you are preparing for marriage, and have previously had \_\_\_\_\_ sexual partners, you should have an \_\_\_\_\_ test.
31. HIV/AIDS tests detect \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ that are fighting HIV.
32. One should wait at least \_\_\_\_\_ months after probable \_\_\_\_\_ to HIV before taking an HIV test.
33. The \_\_\_\_\_ test may show a \_\_\_\_\_ result if the body is fighting off other diseases such as malaria.
34. If you know you are HIV positive, your concern for others will lead you not to \_\_\_\_\_ HIV by having \_\_\_\_\_ with others.
35. If you are married, and you are tested to have AIDS, you will be able to make financial \_\_\_\_\_ for the future of your \_\_\_\_\_ when you die.
36. If you are planning to \_\_\_\_\_, and you are HIV positive, you must \_\_\_\_\_ the one you are planning to marry that you have HIV.
37. One cannot contract HIV by \_\_\_\_\_, hugging, sharing eating utensils or \_\_\_\_\_ on the part of the HIV positive person.
38. Those who do not have HIV must help HIV people to be \_\_\_\_\_ and maintain a healthy \_\_\_\_\_.
39. If one is \_\_\_\_\_ as a result of AIDS, he or she must be encouraged to have proper \_\_\_\_\_ treatment.
40. Living a positive life without \_\_\_\_\_ is one of the primary health care practices to prolong the \_\_\_\_\_ of one who has HIV.



41. Eating healthy foods means avoiding drinking \_\_\_\_\_, smoking tobacco and taking \_\_\_\_\_.
42. One's condition of being HIV positive should be an opportunity to \_\_\_\_\_ one's behavior by focusing on helping others to \_\_\_\_\_ getting HIV themselves.
43. When one discovers that he or she is HIV positive, it is a time to focus on \_\_\_\_\_ and how one can \_\_\_\_\_ himself or herself to stand before Him.
44. One of the greatest things one can do in reference to the HIV/AIDS pandemic is to start a \_\_\_\_\_ group to \_\_\_\_\_ others who are HIV positive.

**Discussion:**

- A. What are **five** specific things you can do to help fight the HIV/AIDS pandemic in your community?
- B. What are the fears you have concerning the HIV/AIDS pandemic?
- C. Why is abstinence from sex outside the union of marriage the only real solution to the HIV/AIDS pandemic?

## Chapter 7

### *Dignity In Character*

**Fill in the blanks:**

**Answers to questions 1 - 17**

first, honorable, reverence, sacrificially, corrupt, advantage, respected, true, hidden, moral, corruptly, fairness, fibre, steal, heart, selfish, integrity

1. Dignity refers to the development of our character in a manner that results in being \_\_\_\_\_ by others because of our honest conduct of life.
2. Integrity is the state of being of a sound \_\_\_\_\_ principle.
3. Whatever you want men to do to you, you must \_\_\_\_\_ do to them.
4. Dignity begins in one's \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Honesty is showing \_\_\_\_\_ and sincerity toward one's neighbor without lying, cheating or stealing.
6. A manpleaser is one who does something with a grudging heart in order to accomplish a \_\_\_\_\_ goal.
7. Honor means submitting oneself first to God in order to give Him \_\_\_\_\_, respect and service.
8. When we give \_\_\_\_\_ respect to others, we will seek to serve them.
9. The Bible teaches that one who has stolen must \_\_\_\_\_ no more.
10. Let no \_\_\_\_\_ speech proceed out of your mouth.
11. The dignified person does not deal with others with \_\_\_\_\_ selfish goals or purposes.
12. Corruption destroys the moral \_\_\_\_\_ of society.
13. Greedy people will deal \_\_\_\_\_ with others.
14. Those who are not selfish and seek to reach out and help others, will deal \_\_\_\_\_ with their neighbors.
15. Honest government officials who work with integrity will not use their positions in government to take \_\_\_\_\_ of citizens.
16. \_\_\_\_\_ is conducting one's self with sound moral character in working with others.
17. People of integrity focus their minds and lives on those things that are \_\_\_\_\_.

**Answers to questions 18 - 34**

respect, rights, godly, family, speech, thanksgiving, burden, heart, learns, integrity, responsibility, honestly, giving, hear, inward, dignified, support

18. The person who would seek to lead others must maintain qualities in his or her life that manifest a \_\_\_\_\_ nature.
19. Our speech reveals to others our \_\_\_\_\_ feelings and thoughts.
20. Out of the abundance of the \_\_\_\_\_ the mouth speaks.
21. We cannot have evil in our hearts without revealing such through our \_\_\_\_\_.
22. The dignified person can always be identified by his or her \_\_\_\_\_ in behavior.
23. Let everyone be swift to \_\_\_\_\_, slow to speak, and slow to wrath.
24. The more one speaks in a conversation, the less he or she \_\_\_\_\_ from others.
25. The person of dignity will make every effort to live with his or her neighbor by not violating the \_\_\_\_\_ of his or her neighbor.
26. The one who steals from his or her neighbor does not \_\_\_\_\_ others.
27. There is no such thing as a \_\_\_\_\_ thief.
28. There is no dignity in the one who refuses to work in order to help his \_\_\_\_\_.
29. It is a principle of dignified living that one diligently work with his own hands in order to \_\_\_\_\_ himself.
30. The dignified person assumes personal responsibility to secure a job in order not to be a \_\_\_\_\_ to others.
31. Because the dignified person works with his own hands in order to supply his necessities, he can deal \_\_\_\_\_ with his neighbors.
32. Those who serve God will be diligent workers because they live in \_\_\_\_\_ to God for what He has done for them.
33. Diligent people are driven by their sense of \_\_\_\_\_ to themselves and others.
34. Only through \_\_\_\_\_ to others do we build our character.

### Discussion:

- A. Write a **one-page** paragraph explaining how corruption in government damages a nation.
- B. If there is work to be done, and one refuses to work, what should be the attitude of the church toward the lazy person?
- C. How should one conduct himself or herself in a dignified manner when disagreeing with someone?

## Chapter 8 *Neighbors With Character*

### Fill in the blanks:

#### Answers

initiate, love, benefit, neighbor, service, self-centered, favoritism, peace, peaceful, encouraged, crisis, oneself, truth, unfortunate, widows, respect, harm, steal

1. The Bible teaches that one should love his or her neighbor as \_\_\_\_\_.
2. When we follow God's principles for developing good neighborhoods, all men will live in \_\_\_\_\_ with one another.
3. Good neighbors also care for those who fall into \_\_\_\_\_ circumstances.
4. Principles of good neighborhood include showing \_\_\_\_\_ and respect for others.
5. Good neighbors do not \_\_\_\_\_ from one another.
6. Good neighbors join together in order to make a better neighborhood for the \_\_\_\_\_ of all.
7. Loving one's neighbor means that we must show \_\_\_\_\_ to our neighbors.
8. In order to have good done to us, we must \_\_\_\_\_ goodwill toward others.
9. True believers in God can be identified by their \_\_\_\_\_ of doing good to others.
10. Good neighbors do no \_\_\_\_\_ to one another.
11. Good neighbors speak \_\_\_\_\_ to one another.
12. Both the thief and liar are \_\_\_\_\_.
13. Love works no harm toward his \_\_\_\_\_.
14. A good neighbor seeks to please others in order that they be \_\_\_\_\_.
15. One cannot love his neighbor as himself if he shows \_\_\_\_\_ on the basis of either race or riches.
16. Good friends will do all that is necessary in times of \_\_\_\_\_ in order to see to one another's needs.
17. Pure and undefiled religion before God is to care for orphans and \_\_\_\_\_ in their affliction.
18. Living the life of a believer means dealing with our neighbors in a way that produces \_\_\_\_\_ communities.

### Discussion:

- A. Why does lying, cheating and stealing destroy one's ability to live as a good neighbor?
- B. How can discrimination be prevented in your community, work place or school?
- C. How does the work of bees illustrate good neighborhood behavior?

### Project:

- **Being a good neighbor:** Organize a group of five to ten Christians. Each member of this group must identify a specific person for which he or she will do a good deed within one week after your initial meeting. Plan a follow-up meeting one week after the tasks for doing good deeds is decided. Each member must then report back to the group what happened as a result of the good deed that was done.

## Chapter 9 *The Productive Character*

### Fill in the blanks:

#### Answers

promotions, example, life, prosper, God, service, submission, relationships, reward, desires, behavior, happy, employment, manner, fervent, lie, payment, successful, employee, ethic, center, good, initiative, labor

1. Leaders must be known for taking the \_\_\_\_\_ to be productive in their relationship with others.
2. The productive individual makes sure his performance in life matches his \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The productive civic worker seeks to do good as an \_\_\_\_\_ of the government.
4. Through their behavior of good works, good leaders teach by setting an \_\_\_\_\_ for others that we must seek to do good to our fellow man.
5. The employee who is a believer must always remember that he or she is working for \_\_\_\_\_ when working for an employer of this world.
6. One who has a submissive attitude will reflect \_\_\_\_\_ in all areas of his or her behavior.

7. A good employee will never \_\_\_\_\_ to his or her employer.
8. By assuming the responsibility of being the best you can be as a productive citizen, you will be known as one who seeks to better the \_\_\_\_\_ of everyone.
9. The truly motivated person does not work because of the \_\_\_\_\_ of recognition.
10. We should be people who do not lag behind in diligence but are \_\_\_\_\_ in spirit.
11. Unjust employers are identified by their unjust dealings with their employees in reference to the \_\_\_\_\_ of salaries.
12. Good employers deal fairly with employee \_\_\_\_\_.
13. When everyone in the community goes about doing good in order to serve others, then societies \_\_\_\_\_.
14. It is the goal of the employee to make his or her employer \_\_\_\_\_.
15. Zealously maintaining good works means that one must continually seek to do \_\_\_\_\_.
16. The submissive submit to the needs of others in their personal \_\_\_\_\_.
17. Leadership involves being an example to others concerning the \_\_\_\_\_ of laborers.
18. One's spirit of submission to both God and man is the key to a \_\_\_\_\_ and successful life.
19. Zeal refers to the \_\_\_\_\_ by which you do your job.
20. The selfish person sees himself as the \_\_\_\_\_ of his existence.
21. When you are full of zeal in doing good to others, your \_\_\_\_\_ encourages others to also do good.
22. It is the nature of a productive person to show zeal for \_\_\_\_\_ in service to others.
23. In order to be zealous in \_\_\_\_\_ to others, one must focus on others.
24. If a country gives up on God, it forsakes the greatest work \_\_\_\_\_ of all history.

#### Discussion:

- A. What are **five** things that you can do as an **individual** in the coming week to better the standards of health in the community?
- B. How does a zealous character affect the productivity of an employee?
- C. If you employed someone who lied to you about his or her job, what action would you take?

#### Project:

- **Clean Up Day:** Designate **two** special clean up days. One is for cleaning up around the public school in your area and the other is for clean up around member's houses. As a **church group**, designate a day when you as a group will pick up all rubbish and trash that is around the school grounds. As an **individual**, take a special day to clean up around your house.

## Chapter 10 *The Responsible Character*

#### Fill in the blanks:

#### Answers

service, expect, respect, eat, laziness, challenge, everyone, burdens, God, parenthood, lazy, providing, responsibility, bodies, selfish, fulfilled, diligent, counselling, cash, peace, destiny, needs, governing, self-esteem, work, endangered, law, help

1. Responsibility is knowing and doing what God and others \_\_\_\_\_ of you.
2. If one can work, and there is work to be done, then it is the responsibility of \_\_\_\_\_ to work.
3. One controls his \_\_\_\_\_ by assuming responsibility.
4. The more freedom we have, the more \_\_\_\_\_ we have to maintain correct relationships with others.
5. God expects us to give responsible \_\_\_\_\_ to those who employ us as their laborers.
6. It is our purpose to be the best person we can be in order to gain the \_\_\_\_\_ of the community in which we live.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ is a sign of irresponsibility.
8. The soul of a \_\_\_\_\_ man desires but he has nothing.
9. Responsibility means that one accepts the \_\_\_\_\_ to work.
10. Citizenship in any community means that one must assume the responsibility of \_\_\_\_\_ for his or her own needs.
11. If anyone is not willing to work, neither let him \_\_\_\_\_.
12. Responsible \_\_\_\_\_ means providing for those under one's care.
13. Husbands should love their own wives as their own \_\_\_\_\_.
14. A good principle of finances is not to buy anything that you cannot pay for in \_\_\_\_\_ at the time of purchase.
15. We must maintain good works to meet urgent \_\_\_\_\_ so that we will not be unfruitful.
16. The first things we must learn as a community is the responsibility we have to \_\_\_\_\_ others.
17. Being lazy is an indication of one's \_\_\_\_\_ behavior toward others.
18. Because it is a principle to \_\_\_\_\_ in order to help others, we are selfish if we refuse to work.
19. Every time an employee steals from his employer, his job is \_\_\_\_\_.
20. In giving to the employer, the responsible work of the believing employee gives glory to \_\_\_\_\_.



21. When one is employed, he or she should be \_\_\_\_\_ on the job as an employee.
22. As a community, we must bear one another's \_\_\_\_\_.
23. A good person will always look for ways he or she can reach out to help others through \_\_\_\_\_ and strength in times of trial.
24. Those who are irresponsible will work against the \_\_\_\_\_ of the land.
25. Every person must be subject to the \_\_\_\_\_ authorities.
26. It is the responsibility of every citizen to maintain government and civil law for the sake of \_\_\_\_\_.
27. When one leads a responsible life, he lives a \_\_\_\_\_ life.
28. Being responsible helps our \_\_\_\_\_.

**Discussion:**

- A. How would one's behavior as an employee manifest his or her integrity?
- B. If you saw someone who was discouraged, what action would you take?
- C. In what ways does the lazy person illustrate irresponsibility?

## **Chapter 11**

### ***The Dynamic Character***

**True or False:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Leaders are developed through the learning and practicing of leadership skills that produce effective leadership.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Creativity is hoping to do great things while others get busy and work.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ The decisive person seeks to bring together only that information that will make him or her look successful in the eyes of others.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ The dependable person assumes the responsibility for small decisions in order to assume the responsibility of the bigger picture of life.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Diligence refers to accepting a task in order to complete it skillfully and efficiently with all of one's energies.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ The diligent leader is known for not considering the opinion of others before he or she gets to work.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Enthusiasm is the passionate devotion to the work of accomplishing one's goals in life.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ The enthusiastic worker will ignore the consequences of his or her enthusiasm.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ The dynamic leader is able to flexibly stretch around the changing situations and circumstances of life.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Flexibility is the ability to make changes in one's method by which he or she seeks to accomplish goals.
11. \_\_\_\_\_ The one with initiative sits back and waits for others to take the lead in accomplishing a task that must be done.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ When one works with self-control, he or she refuses to do that which is wrong in order to accomplish that which is right.
13. \_\_\_\_\_ Creativity is the enactment of wise judgments that are based on the laws of both God and the constitutional rights of the individual.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Justice is knowing how to prioritize what remains, and then obligating oneself to carry out that which is most important.
15. \_\_\_\_\_ In order to persuade people to go in the right direction, the dynamic person must manifest confidence in both his or her words and actions.
16. \_\_\_\_\_ The most powerful means by which you can persuade others is to meditate on what you seek to accomplish.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ Wisdom is knowing how to implement one's knowledge.
18. \_\_\_\_\_ Great knowledge without humble wisdom will lead one to be the best leader.
19. \_\_\_\_\_ The first mark of a person who does not understand what life is about is the person who says there is no God.
20. \_\_\_\_\_ Orderliness will be manifested in our lives by our cleanliness and neatness in the daily activities of life.

**Discussion:**

- A. How will personal leadership characteristic lead to a more productive life?
- B. How does creativity develop one to be a good leader?
- C. List three things in your life where you must exercise self-control in order to meet challenging situations in school or your family life.

**Project:**

- In the room where you sleep at night, make a list of those things you will make sure are in an orderly place before you leave the room in the morning. Do this for one month.

## **Chapter 12**

### ***Building On Principles***

**Fill in the blanks:**

**Answers**

God, death, moral, above, desires, guided, power, used, one, know, identify, encourage, accomplished, information, volunteer, counsel, ungodly, truth, discipline, discriminate, fearful, opportunities, instructing, destroyed, humility, right, persuade, growth, little, trustworthy, abilities

1. Every great leader has acknowledged and submitted to a higher \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Since God created man, we must assume that He alone can define the best characteristics that should \_\_\_\_\_ a good leader.
3. A good person must be \_\_\_\_\_ by the principle of doing good to all men.
4. If you seek to continually help others, you will \_\_\_\_\_ others to do the same.
5. Cultures that are rich in character are those cultures that give birth to individual citizens who \_\_\_\_\_ to help others.
6. Any culture that does not encourage individual citizens to take an initiative to help others is weak in \_\_\_\_\_ fiber.
7. A culture of people who learns the spirit of volunteerism, also learns the spirit of bonding together as \_\_\_\_\_ people.
8. He who walks with wise men will be wise, but the companion of fools will be \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Wisdom is the ability to correctly use that which we \_\_\_\_\_.
10. The greatest source of wisdom and truth comes from \_\_\_\_\_.
11. The wise person recognizes that what is most important is what is \_\_\_\_\_ this life.
12. Every good person will put his or her faith in God above all else in order to serve others with \_\_\_\_\_.
13. The way of a fool is right in his own eyes, but he who heeds \_\_\_\_\_ is wise.
14. There is a way that seems right to a man, but its end is the way of \_\_\_\_\_.
15. The more \_\_\_\_\_ one has to make a decision, the better the decision one will make.
16. We must not allow failures of the past to make us \_\_\_\_\_ of the future.
17. God expects us to be productive according to the \_\_\_\_\_ He has given to each of us.
18. We must be perceptive to the \_\_\_\_\_ around us in order to take advantage of every possibility to better our lives.
19. Stewards must be found \_\_\_\_\_.
20. A trustworthy person is one with whom a job can be left and the job will be \_\_\_\_\_ when the employer returns.
21. He who is faithful in that which is a \_\_\_\_\_ is also faithful in much.
22. Only when we are trustworthy can we be \_\_\_\_\_ for great things.
23. Good leaders see change as a necessary part of life, for in change there is opportunity for \_\_\_\_\_ and new development.
24. Good leaders are not discouraged when things do not go according to their \_\_\_\_\_.
25. Even though contestants know that only one will win the race, they all work to \_\_\_\_\_ their bodies in hope of winning the race.
26. The dynamic person will always seek to know and apply \_\_\_\_\_.
27. Good people want to know truth in order to do that which is \_\_\_\_\_.
28. Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the \_\_\_\_\_.
29. Good leaders lead first by \_\_\_\_\_ the people concerning what is right.
30. Good leaders will \_\_\_\_\_ others with information to believe what is true.
31. Good leaders never \_\_\_\_\_ against any individual or culture of people.

**Discussion:**

- A. List **three things** you feel you are good at being or doing.
- B. What are ideas of society that affect the opinions and actions of leaders?
- C. Make a list of **five things** you can volunteer to do on a continual basis at home or in your community in order to help others.

## **Chapter 13**

### ***Building On A Foundation of Faith***

**Fill in the blanks:**

**Answers**

reap, authority, honoring, religious, final, exists, conduct, accountable, richness, rights, obedience, good, being, relationships, higher, marriage, conscience, broken, account, Greek, religion, selfish, freedom, religious, desires, God, moral

1. If there is no God, then there is no authority that \_\_\_\_\_ outside our moral inventions.
2. We always digress to inventing moral rules that appeal to our own \_\_\_\_\_.
3. We will never be truly oriented in life unless we are oriented around \_\_\_\_\_.
4. God consciousness brings \_\_\_\_\_ into our life and success into our challenge to develop as a person.
5. If we refuse to recognize our \_\_\_\_\_ nature, then we are ignoring the development of the total person.
6. If we know that we will be held \_\_\_\_\_ for our misdeeds we may commit against our fellow citizen, then we will be motivated to conduct our lives with dignity and control.

7. A sense of accountability guarantees that we not violate the human \_\_\_\_\_ of others.
8. Only by submitting to law is there true \_\_\_\_\_.
9. God wants to protect us against those who would bring us into bondage to their own \_\_\_\_\_ desires.
10. By making God's law the \_\_\_\_\_ rule of our lives, we are guaranteed freedom.
11. Nations are unified only when the citizenship unites together in \_\_\_\_\_ God.
12. When we know we will give account of our actions before God, we will behave honorably in our \_\_\_\_\_ with our fellow man.
13. It is the purpose of religion in society to teach \_\_\_\_\_ and ethical behavior.
14. When God's moral laws are broken, lives are \_\_\_\_\_.
15. God-fearing citizens are always the best citizens because they are first obedient to the \_\_\_\_\_ laws of God, and then to the laws of the land.
16. The most important principle for developing character is the recognition of the \_\_\_\_\_ of God and to practice His will in our lives.
17. The \_\_\_\_\_ philosophers knew that there was a God beyond the gods they created after their own imagination.
18. In God we live and move and have our \_\_\_\_\_.
19. Moral consciousness is a part of religion that is essential for the development of the individual concerning his or her \_\_\_\_\_.
20. Being aware of the final judgment motivates us to maintain \_\_\_\_\_ to both civil law and God's moral laws.
21. All must live with the realization that they will eventually give \_\_\_\_\_ of their actions.
22. We must live with the realization that in this life we will \_\_\_\_\_ what we sow.
23. If we sow that which is good, then we must expect to reap \_\_\_\_\_ things.
24. It is the function of \_\_\_\_\_ within a nation to teach citizens to be conscious of the fact that they are to be subject to the higher laws of God.
25. God's law is that sexual relationships are to exist only in the bond of \_\_\_\_\_.
26. The development of our characters depends on whether we live with a religious \_\_\_\_\_ that directs our lives.
27. Those people who are the best leaders will lead people to develop a \_\_\_\_\_ conscience.

**Discussion:**

- A. List **five** moral behavior practices in your community that do not harmonize with God's moral laws.
- B. How does law guarantee constitutional human rights?
- C. What part does religious faith play in the development of one's character?

## Chapter 14 *Launching Out On Faith*

**Fill in the blanks:**

**Answers**

angels, trials, joy, attitude, choice, faith, cannot, can, separate, optimistic, bad, worse, pessimist, fight, good, dwelling, exceedingly, preparation, dreams, positive, leaven, thinking

1. One of the greatest obstacles in the life of the Christian is a lack of trust in God who works \_\_\_\_\_ abundantly in the life of His children who walk by \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Too many people spend too much time thinking about what they \_\_\_\_\_ do, instead of thinking about what they \_\_\_\_\_ do.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ believes that things are as bad as they can possibly be, but expects them to get \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Paul wrote about fighting the good \_\_\_\_\_ of the faith and that all things work together for \_\_\_\_\_.
5. This world is a place of \_\_\_\_\_ for an eternal \_\_\_\_\_ that is yet to come.
6. Paul said that neither death, life, \_\_\_\_\_ or principalities could \_\_\_\_\_ the Christian from God.
7. One has a choice of being either \_\_\_\_\_ about life or thinking that things are \_\_\_\_\_ and will get worse.
8. Christians must count it all \_\_\_\_\_ when they fall into various \_\_\_\_\_.
9. We have a \_\_\_\_\_ of being either optimistic about life or \_\_\_\_\_ that things are bad and will get worse.
10. The state of our mental \_\_\_\_\_ has a habit of bringing into reality the nature of our \_\_\_\_\_.
11. Unbelief is a cankering \_\_\_\_\_ that will destroy our \_\_\_\_\_ mental attitudes.

**Discussion:**

12. What was the most joyful moment of your life?
13. Why do you think optimistic people better enjoy life?
14. What does it mean to be positive in attitude?

## Chapter 15

### Dealing With Doubt

#### Fill in the blanks:

#### Answers

fair, contradicts, chaos, purified, word, faith, miracles, witnesses, tradition, doubt, questions, Scriptures, noble, investigate, faith, true, questioning, resolve, failure, contents, ignorance, doubts, study, miracles, tradition, word, faith, himself, Bible, faith, believing, beliefs, mountains, doubting, ask, skeptic, works

1. One does not have a right to \_\_\_\_\_ if he or she is not willing to \_\_\_\_\_ or investigate in an objective manner that which is doubted.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ simply gives up on faith and is satisfied to live in a world of lingering \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The Bereans were \_\_\_\_\_ because they searched the \_\_\_\_\_ every day in order to verify the claims of Paul.
4. If we doubt what someone has said, we are not \_\_\_\_\_ to the one we doubt if we are not willing to \_\_\_\_\_ that which is said.
5. A normal process of intellect is \_\_\_\_\_ that which is accepted as \_\_\_\_\_.
6. We must not lead ourselves to believe that a \_\_\_\_\_ to deal with doubt will somehow \_\_\_\_\_ itself.
7. One's \_\_\_\_\_ about the Bible are generally the result of one's \_\_\_\_\_ of the Bible.
8. It is not fair to the Bible to doubt its \_\_\_\_\_ when what it says \_\_\_\_\_ with how we are living.
9. In the Bible, \_\_\_\_\_ went to their deaths because they believed that they actually experienced the \_\_\_\_\_ of God.
10. Those who confine their religious behavior to \_\_\_\_\_, usually question that what they are doing is not according to the \_\_\_\_\_ of God.
11. Every Christian must examine \_\_\_\_\_ to determine whether he is in the \_\_\_\_\_.
12. One of Satan's greatest attacks against the \_\_\_\_\_ of man is to bring into man's mind questions concerning the \_\_\_\_\_.
13. It is the lot of the skeptic to doubt his \_\_\_\_\_, and then start \_\_\_\_\_ his doubts.
14. We must pray without \_\_\_\_\_ in order to move \_\_\_\_\_ by faith.
15. Christians must believe that when God \_\_\_\_\_ in their lives, He is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we \_\_\_\_\_ or think.
16. Out of the mire of an environment wherein \_\_\_\_\_ has been produced by faithlessness will come a faith that has been \_\_\_\_\_ by testing.

#### Discussion:

17. Why will persistent doubt destroy one's faith?
18. What do you think are the most common things about which a Christian has doubts?
19. How can one's faith be strengthened?

## Chapter 16

### Patience

#### Fill in the blanks:

#### Answers

Judaism, quick-tempered, relationships, deliverance, patience, people, impatient, free, impatience, mercy, souls, negative, great, allowing, mercy, need, impatient, accomplish, wait, younger, impatient, say

1. When we are \_\_\_\_\_ with others, we reap many \_\_\_\_\_ reactions from others.
2. The Bible teaches that in our patience we possess our \_\_\_\_\_, that we have \_\_\_\_\_ of patience, and that we run with patience.
3. God will judge us without \_\_\_\_\_ if we do not show \_\_\_\_\_ to others.
4. We must seek to \_\_\_\_\_ ourselves by \_\_\_\_\_ others to be themselves around us.
5. Our \_\_\_\_\_ with others will often cause us to \_\_\_\_\_ things that should never have been said.
6. When we are anxious about something happening in our lives, then we are often \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ around us.
7. Not only are elders of the church not to be \_\_\_\_\_, older women must teach \_\_\_\_\_ women to be sound in patience.
8. Those who are impatient often \_\_\_\_\_ less in their lives because they are not willing to \_\_\_\_\_ for the development of great things.
9. Nothing \_\_\_\_\_ ever came as a result of \_\_\_\_\_ work.
10. While suffering under the oppression of intolerant \_\_\_\_\_, James encouraged the Jewish church to be patient for \_\_\_\_\_.
11. The Bible emphasizes \_\_\_\_\_ because it is necessary to have patience in order to establish close \_\_\_\_\_ with others.

#### Discussion:

12. In what area of life are you the most impatient?
13. In what area of life do you think the Christian must be the most patient?
14. Why does impatience hinder one's relationships with others?

## Chapter 17

### Happiness

#### Fill in the blanks:

#### Answers

service, attitude, environment, successful, faith, peace, hear, understanding, peace, God, happy, report, honest, attitude, secular, possessions, decision, happy, culture, developed, bored, thinking, feast, within, heart, without, pleasant, receive, give, report, honest, service, happy, love, poor, household, good, loved, pleasant, bright, business, look, keep, receive, give, love, poor, household, good, loved, first

1. It is important that everyone make a \_\_\_\_\_ at the beginning of each day to be \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ person often looks to events and \_\_\_\_\_ in order to bring happiness.
3. An activity oriented \_\_\_\_\_ is always afraid of being \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Being a happy person is \_\_\_\_\_ by practicing happy \_\_\_\_\_.
5. When one rejoices in the Lord always, he discovers that a merry \_\_\_\_\_ has a continual \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Happy people have learned that joy originates from that which is \_\_\_\_\_, not from that which affects one from \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Jesus taught that if we give humble \_\_\_\_\_ to others, we will be \_\_\_\_\_ ourselves.
8. When one shows mercy to the \_\_\_\_\_, he is happy because he has released his \_\_\_\_\_ on someone else.
9. On every opportunity, the Christian should do \_\_\_\_\_ to someone, but especially to those who are of the \_\_\_\_\_ of faith.
10. One of the most \_\_\_\_\_ thoughts one can have is to know that he or she is \_\_\_\_\_ and needed by someone else.
11. Paul worked with his own hands in order to teach the lesson that it is more blessed to \_\_\_\_\_ than to \_\_\_\_\_.
12. Christians must continually think on those things that are \_\_\_\_\_, just, true, lovely and of good \_\_\_\_\_.
13. In order to be happy, one must learn the secret not to allow his present \_\_\_\_\_ or circumstances determine his \_\_\_\_\_ of mind.
14. One who is pessimistic about life will be less \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_.
15. Truly happy people always \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ side of things in life.
16. When one has given his life to \_\_\_\_\_, he has discovered the \_\_\_\_\_ thing to make one happy.
17. The \_\_\_\_\_ of God that surpasses all \_\_\_\_\_ is able to keep our minds and hearts in Christ.
18. Only those who truly believe in God can reap the emotional \_\_\_\_\_ of mind that comes from \_\_\_\_\_.
19. The Bible teaches that happy people are those who \_\_\_\_\_ the word of the Lord and \_\_\_\_\_ it.

#### Discussion:

20. What makes you the happiest?
21. What did Jesus say would make one truly happy?
22. What are some things people think make them happy, but the happiness is only temporary?



# FINAL REVIEW EXAM

## Fill in the blanks:

- \_\_\_ To what extent should husbands love their wives?  
(A) As they love their own bodies, (B) As they love their own jobs, (C) As they love their friends and neighbors, (D) As they love their money
- \_\_\_ What is a young woman to be taught in reference to her relationship with her husband?  
(A) To love her husband, (B) To love her children, (C) To be a keeper of the home, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ What did Timothy's mother and grandmother pass on to him?  
(A) An attitude of rebellion against God, (B) A genuine faith in God, (C) A great inheritance of money, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ What should be the nature or character of the dignified person?  
(A) Not be lazy, (B) Have a fervent desire to work, (C) Desire to help others, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ If one violates any principle of God's moral laws, what should he or she expect?  
(A) Nothing should be expected, (B) Expect to reap what you sow (C) Expect others to accept you, (D) Expect to become rich
- \_\_\_ What is the situation of the father or husband who refuses to work in order to take care of the physical needs of his family?  
(A) He is justified in the eyes of the community, (B) He is obligated to work in order to spend money on himself, (C) He must make the wife work alone in order to provide for the family, (D) If he does not work, he is worse than an unbeliever who does not know better
- \_\_\_ What is the responsibility of the father in reference to helping and leading his children to be godly people?  
(A) He is to make sure that they receive the best education, (B) He is to bring them up in the discipline and admonition of the Lord, (C) He is to provoke them to anger so that they will learn to be strong, (D) He is to tell them not to behave in the sinful way he does
- \_\_\_ What should a father do for his children?  
(A) Exhort and comfort them, (B) Not provoke them to wrath, (C) Provide food and shelter for them, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ Who will eventually be made accountable to God in the final judgment?  
(A) All people who have lived on earth, (B) Only the righteous, (C) Only the disobedient, (D) Only disobedient angels
- \_\_\_ What will be the behavior of government workers who conduct themselves with integrity?  
(A) They will be content with their salaries, (B) They will not falsely accuse any person, (C) They will not be a violent people, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ Why did Paul work with his own hands?  
(A) To provide for his own needs, (B) To provide for those who were with him, (C) To provide for the poor, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ How should employees conduct themselves in honesty with their employers?  
(A) Carry out their duties in fear of the Lord, (B) Be sincere in doing their work for their employer, (C) Do the work they are asked to do by their employer, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ What should the children's relationship be with their parents?  
(A) Children should be obedient to their parents, (B) Children should be submissive to their parents, (C) Children should honor their parents, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ What will come out of the mouth of the one who conducts his or her speech with integrity?  
(A) That which is deceitful, (B) Those things about which people will wonder what he or she really means, (C) Those things that are good, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ What will be the nature of the one who speaks with integrity?  
(A) He or she will speak first and then think about what was said, (B) He or she will control his or her tongue, (C) He or she will not speak both cursings and blessings, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_ What would a good neighbor do or not do in reference to his neighbor?  
(A) He would not steal his neighbor's possessions, (B) He would not lie to his neighbor, (C) He would take care of orphans and widows, (D) All the preceding

17. \_\_\_The dignified person renounces the hidden things of shame and decides not to walk in what?  
(A) Faith, (B) Love, (C) Craftiness, (D) With other people
18. \_\_\_Whose primary responsibility is it to teach moral and ethical behavior in society?  
(A) The government, (B) The church, (C) Business, (D) The police
19. \_\_\_How does one fulfill the royal law of Christ?  
(A) He loves his neighbor without respect of persons, (B) He steals from his neighbor only when his neighbor has abundance, (C) He does not covet his neighbor's possessions, (D) He steals only from rich neighbors
20. \_\_\_What should be the nature of one's service toward others?  
(A) Serve with selfish ambition, (B) Seek to glorify one's self, (C) Serve with sincerity and heartily as to the Lord, (D) Serve with respect of persons
21. \_\_\_For what purpose did God establish civil government for all societies?  
(A) To promote democracy, (B) To prevent anarchy, (C) To develop business, (D) To control the church
22. \_\_\_One should work in order to be able to do what?  
(A) Have money to meet urgent needs, (B) Be able to take a journey, (C) In order to have a bank account, (D) In order to trust in one's wealth
23. \_\_\_To what extent must a husband be responsible for his wife?  
(A) To control her life, (B) To make sure she keeps the home, (C) To love her as his own body, (D) All the preceding
24. \_\_\_We know that it is a time of wickedness in society when what is happening in family relationships?  
(A) When a brother betrays a brother, (B) When children are disobedient to parents, (C) When children rise up against parents, (D) All the preceding
25. \_\_\_It is a principle of God that if one does not work when he can, and there is work, he is not to be allowed to do what?  
(A) Be fed, (B) Live in the community, (C) Search for a job, (D) Farm his own land
26. \_\_\_How should employers show their integrity in dealing with their employees?  
(A) Pay them fair salaries, (B) Respect them as men and women, (C) Deal with them honestly, (D) All the preceding
27. \_\_\_If one is a believer in God, how should he or she work as an employee?  
(A) In a lazy manner, (B) In a selfish manner to earn a salary, (C) Heartily as in service to the Lord, (D) All the preceding
28. \_\_\_One of the qualifications for a shepherd of the flock of God was that he must be able to do what?  
(A) Have a good business, (B) Be active in politics, (C) Maintain order in his family, (D) Travel throughout the land
29. \_\_\_Of what is a good employee worthy?  
(A) His time, (B) His wages, (C) A four week vacation, (D) Less work than others
30. \_\_\_As a dignified person, what type of character must one manifest to all people?  
(A) Fear, (B) Meekness, (C) Indifference, (D) His works
31. \_\_\_What happens to the one who does not learn that which is right?  
(A) He is tossed to and fro by every type of teaching, (B) He becomes discouraged, (C) He becomes firm in his beliefs, (D) He learns to stand for justice
32. \_\_\_In order for one to win in a race with others, what must he or she do in order to complete the race?  
(A) Exercise self-control and discipline, (B) Rest for the race, (C) Not perform his or her best until the race, (D) Eat everything possible
33. \_\_\_What did Moses decide to do rather than enjoy the pleasures that were offered by living in luxury in Egypt?  
(A) Rule Egypt, (B) Quit his job, (C) Suffer affliction with the people of God, (D) Overthrow the Egyptian rulers
34. \_\_\_What will happen in one's life if he or she seeks after the Lord?  
(A) The Lord will not be there when needed, (B) He will find the Lord, (C) He will doubt the existence of the Lord, (D) Our lives will be confused
35. \_\_\_What is required of those to whom responsibility has been entrusted?  
(A) Selfish ambition, (B) Trustworthiness, (C) Laziness, (D) Fear

36. \_\_\_ What is the one thing everyone is responsible to do to others?  
(A) Pay bills, (B) Love one another, (C) Direct other's affairs of life, (D) Provide employment
37. \_\_\_ What must the creative person do in reference to his or her relationship with others?  
(A) Ignore the needs of others, (B) Determine and implement good works, (C) Recognize the inabilities of others, (D) All the preceding
38. \_\_\_ The productive citizen will be what in his or her spirit?  
(A) Lazy, (B) Fervent, (C) Indifferent, (D) Rebellious
39. \_\_\_ What should be the character of the one who serves God?  
(A) He must be one who practices the word of God, (B) He will bridle his tongue, (C) He will take care of widows and orphans, (D) All the preceding
40. \_\_\_ To whom are the righteous to do good?  
(A) Only to believers, (B) To all men, (C) To those who first do good to them, (D) To themselves
41. \_\_\_ Other than their children, older women are to teach younger women to love whom?  
(A) Themselves, (B) Their husbands, (C) Their houses, (D) Money

**True or False:**

42. \_\_\_ That which one sows, the Bible says he or she will also reap.
43. \_\_\_ It is the responsibility of the strong to bear the responsibilities of the strong.
44. \_\_\_ It is a principle of the Bible that if one is responsible for that which is little, he or she will be responsible for much.
45. \_\_\_ Every person is responsible for carrying his own responsibility as a community member.
46. \_\_\_ The character of an individual is manifest in whether he or she is a diligent worker.
47. \_\_\_ It is the responsibility of every citizen to develop his or her character in order to develop the nation as a whole.
48. \_\_\_ Those who like to do evil do not like the light of the truth of God's directions.
49. \_\_\_ A dignified person will not allow any corrupt speech to proceed out of his or her mouth.
50. \_\_\_ If one does not provide for those of his own family, he is worse than an unbeliever who does not know better.