

# INTERNATIONAL STANDARD BIBLE STUDY CURRICULUM



## *MATTHEW: THE LIFE AND MINISTRY OF JESUS*

### QUESTION MANUAL COURSE REQUIREMENTS

**Textbook:** *Teacher's Bible, MATTHEW*

**Memory Verses:** Matthew 5:3-12; 6:33; 7:12,21-23; 9:37,38; 11:28-30; 16:18:19, 18:3,4; 25:41,46; 28:19,20

**Lesson Outlines:** Prepare and deliver **TEN** (10) lesson outlines on any subject of the textbook.

**Reading:** New Testament: **MATTHEW; MARK; LUKE; JOHN** (Read each text **FIVE** (5) times)

## Introduction Chapter 1

### Multiple choice:

- \_\_\_\_ By what trade did Matthew support himself?  
(A) Tax collecting, (B) Fishing, (C) Carpenter, (D) Trading
- \_\_\_\_ By what name was Matthew formerly known?  
(A) Levi, (B) Thomas, (C) Thaddeus, (D) Simon
- \_\_\_\_ For what purpose did Matthew write?  
(A) To prove that Jesus was the Son of God, (B) To prove that Jesus was the Messiah, (C) To prove that Jesus was a great prophet of Israel, (D) None of the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ To whom was Matthew's letter principally directed?  
(A) Gentiles, (B) The church, (C) Theophilus, (D) Jews
- \_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the name "Joshua"?  
(A) "God is our helper," (B) "Praise to God," (C) "Thanksgiving to God," (D) "The Lord is glory"
- \_\_\_\_ Through the ancestry of whom did Matthew record his genealogy of Jesus?  
(A) Daniel, (B) Eve, (C) David, (D) Moses
- \_\_\_\_ What is the other name for Jeconiah?  
(A) Judah, (B) Jehoiakim, (C) Jeremiah, (D) Coniah
- \_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the name Immanuel?  
(A) "God delivers," (B) "Hope in God," (C) "God is with us," (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ What two records of the gospel record the genealogy of Jesus?  
(A) John and Matthew, (B) Matthew and Luke, (C) Luke and Mark, (D) Matthew and Mark
- \_\_\_\_ In what year was Israel carried away into Babylonian captivity?  
(A) 586 B.C., (B) 721 B.C., (C) 536 B.C., (D) 444 B.C.
- \_\_\_\_ How many generations from the captivity in Babylon to the time of Christ?  
(A) Twelve, (B) Fourteen, (C) Twenty, (D) Twenty-eight
- \_\_\_\_ What prophet stated that Jesus would be born of a virgin?  
(A) Jeremiah, (B) Daniel, (C) Moses, (D) Isaiah
- \_\_\_\_ What does it mean when it was stated that Joseph "did not know" Mary?  
(A) He did not have sexual intercourse with her, (B) He did not know her genealogy, (C) He did not know why she was pregnant, (D) He did not understand the meaning of her pregnancy.

## Chapter 2

- \_\_\_\_ What was prophesied to come out of Bethlehem of Judah?  
(A) A Ruler, (B) A Priest, (C) A Scribe, (D) A Prophet
- \_\_\_\_ What did Herod the Great do when he discovered that he was deceived by the wise men?  
(A) He killed all the babies in Bethlehem two years of age and under, (B) He asked the wise men to return to Jerusalem, (C) He sent the wise men home, (D) He did nothing
- \_\_\_\_ How long did Mary and Joseph remain in Egypt?  
(A) Ten years, (B) Two years, (C) Until the death of Herod, (D) Until Jesus could walk
- \_\_\_\_ What was the hope of Israel?  
(A) That they would be restored as a physical kingdom, (B) That they would be delivered from Roman oppression, (C) That they could once again choose their own king, (D) That the Messiah would come for their deliverance

5. \_\_\_\_\_ Who were the lawyers of the Jewish law?  
(A) Pharisees, (B) Sadducees, (C) Scribes, (D) Zealots
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Where did the Magi find Jesus?  
(A) In a house, (B) In a manger, (C) In the inn, (D) In the house of Jacob
7. \_\_\_\_\_ From whom was Herod the Great a descendant?  
(A) David, (B) Daniel, (C) Esau, (D) Jacob
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Which prophet prophesied the birth place of the Messiah?  
(A) Micah, (B) Haggai, (C) Joel, (D) Jeremiah
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What gifts did the Magi bring to baby Jesus?  
(A) Frankincense, gold and clothes, (B) Myrrh, jewels and gold, (C) Gold, frankincense and myrrh, (D) Silver, gold and clothes
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Which king did Matthew say was troubled with the birth of Jesus?  
(A) Caesar, (B) Agrippa, (C) Herod, (D) Ptolemy

### Chapter 3

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the one of whom it was prophesied that he would prepare the way for the Messiah?  
(A) Zacharias, (B) John the immerser, (C) Peter, (D) Jesus
2. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the definition of the Greek word *baptizo*?  
(A) "Sprinkle", (B) "Immerse," (C) "Regenerate," (D) "Pour"
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Where did John the immerser baptize?  
(A) In Jerusalem, (B) In the Jordan, (C) In Galilee, (D) In the Sea of Galilee
4. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did John refer as a "brood of vipers"?  
(A) The scribes, (B) The Jews as a nation, (C) The Zealots, (D) The Pharisees and Sadducees
5. \_\_\_\_\_ For what purpose did John baptize people?  
(A) Because of their salvation, (B) As an announcement of the Messiah, (C) Unto repentance for remission of sins, (D) All the preceding
6. \_\_\_\_\_ From where did the "kingdom of heaven" originate?  
(A) From the traditions of men, (B) From John the immerser, (C) From the prophets, (D) From heaven
7. \_\_\_\_\_ From what did John say the Pharisees and Sadducees must bring fruit?  
(A) From works of law, (B) From their traditions, (C) From repentance, (D) From the people of Israel
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Which sect of the Jews denied the resurrection?  
(A) Pharisees, (B) Sadducees, (C) Zealots, (D) Scribes
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What did he mean when John said that the "ax was laid at the root"?  
(A) Trees were about to be cut down, (B) The end of national Israel was near, (C) Rome was about to fall, (D) The Messiah would be crucified
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Who were the true sons of Abraham?  
(A) Those who lived by faith, (B) Those who were of the genealogy of Abraham, (C) Those who kept the traditions of the fathers, (D) None of the preceding
11. \_\_\_\_\_ What Old Testament prophet spoke of the coming of Elijah?  
(A) Jeremiah, (B) Hosea, (C) Joel, (D) Malachi
12. \_\_\_\_\_ In what year was national Israel eventually destroyed?  
(A) A.D. 60, (B) A.D. 50, (C) A.D. 70, (D) A.D. 96
13. \_\_\_\_\_ In what form did the Holy Spirit descend on Jesus?  
(A) A cloud, (B) A dove, (C) A sparrow, (D) A raven

### Chapter 4

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Who prophesied that the kingdom of heaven was at hand?  
(A) Peter and John, (B) Jesus and John the Immerser, (C) Andrew and Peter, (D) Peter, James and John
2. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the first temptation with which Satan tempted Jesus?  
(A) Leap from the pinnacle of the temple, (B) Change stones into bread, (C) Worship Satan, (D) Rule over the nations of the world
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Who led Jesus into the wilderness?  
(A) The disciples, (B) Satan, (C) The Holy Spirit, (D) Angels
4. \_\_\_\_\_ After what lusts did Satan tempt Jesus?  
(A) Lust of the eyes, (B) Lust of the flesh, (C) Pride of life, (D) All the preceding
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Herod imprison.  
(A) Peter, (B) John the immerser, (C) Zebedee, (D) Andrew
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Who left their fishing business and father in order to follow Jesus?  
(A) Peter and John, (B) James and John, (C) Matthew, (D) Philip
7. \_\_\_\_\_ With what did Jesus counter the temptations of Satan?  
(A) Faith, (B) The word of God, (C) The aid of the angels, (D) Silence
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Who ministered to Jesus after His days of fasting?  
(A) Angels, (B) The disciples, (C) The Holy Spirit, (D) John the immerser

9. \_\_\_\_\_ How many days did Jesus fast?  
(A) 10, (B) 20, (C) 30, (D) 40
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the father of James and John?  
(A) Joseph, (B) Zebedee, (C) Zacharias, (D) Heli
11. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the name "Peter"?  
(A) "God is with us," (B) "Be strong in the Lord," (C) "Salvation," (D) "Rock"
12. \_\_\_\_\_ What must be the dictionary on defining the nature of demon possession?  
(A) Our personal experiences, (B) The testimonies of those we know, (C) The written record of man, (D) The Bible

## Chapter 5

1. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the penalty for adultery in the Old Testament?  
(A) Imprisonment, (B) Stoning, (C) Divorce, (D) Banishment from society
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Though the sermon that Matthew records in chapters 5-7 was given on a mount, where was the sermon that He gave that was recorded by Luke?  
(A) On a plain, (B) On a hill, (C) On a mountain, (D) In a valley
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Who are those who mourn?  
(A) Those who grieve over state of sinfulness, (B) Those who suffer the death of friends, (C) Those who endure hardships, (D) Those who are unjustly persecuted
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Who are those who are poor in spirit?  
(A) Those who realize their spiritual insufficiency, (B) Those who have little money, (C) Those who have few possessions, (D) All the preceding
5. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He said that His disciples are the salt of the world?  
(A) Their influence would help preserve the world from spiritual decay, (B) Their teaching will guide people out of darkness, (C) Their living by Christian principles will give direction to others who are seeking the light, (D) All the preceding
6. \_\_\_\_\_ In reference to the Law and the Prophets, what did Jesus say he came to do?  
(A) To add to the Law and Prophets, (B) To fulfill the Law and Prophets, (C) To reaffirm the force of the Law and Prophets, (D) To reinstitute the Law
7. \_\_\_\_\_ In the sermon on the Mount, what did Jesus teach against?  
(A) The Old Testament law, (B) The traditions of the Jews, (C) The corrupt interpretation of the law by the religious leaders, (D) The law of the Romans
8. \_\_\_\_\_ How did Jesus say one could commit adultery with a woman?  
(A) By committing the act of sexual immorality, (B) By looking on a woman in a lustful manner, (C) By divorcing one's wife, (D) All the preceding
9. \_\_\_\_\_ How does one commit adultery against his wife?  
(A) By breaking a marriage contract with her, (B) By committing sexual immorality with another woman, (C) By the wife committing sexual immorality with another man, (D) None of the preceding
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Moses give the certificate of divorce?  
(A) Because the Jews were seeking for a reason for divorce, (B) Because no records were being kept for divorces, (C) Because God wanted to restrict the reasons for which the Jews were divorcing, (D) All the preceding
11. \_\_\_\_\_ In the sermon on the Mount, for whom did Matthew say we must pray?  
(A) Those who are poor, (B) Those who suffer persecution, (C) For those who are rulers, (D) For those who spitefully use and persecute Christians
12. \_\_\_\_\_ What are Christians to do in reference to their enemies?  
(A) Hate, (B) Love, (C) Despise, (D) Reject

## Chapter 6

1. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the benefit of fasting?  
(A) We focus on God's work in our lives, (B) We increase our self-discipline, (C) We build our self-control, (D) All the preceding
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Where are Christians to lay up their treasures?  
(A) On earth, (B) In a bank, (C) In the church, (D) In heaven
3. \_\_\_\_\_ How should the giving of the Christian be manifested?  
(A) In the church, (B) In his family, (C) It should not be manifested, but carried out privately, (D) It should be publicly proclaimed in order to give glory to God
4. \_\_\_\_\_ With whom is one's spirit identified when he has a forgiving attitude?  
(A) Fellow Christians, (B) God, (C) Good people, (D) The church
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus stated that if God takes care of the birds of the air, then surely He would take care of whom?  
(A) The Gentiles, (B) The Jews, (C) His children, (D) All animals
6. \_\_\_\_\_ In conjunction with seeking first the kingdom, what must Christians seek?  
(A) God's righteousness, (B) Material things, (C) Positions in this world, (D) The favor of all men
7. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom is prayer directed?  
(A) The Holy Spirit, (B) Jesus, (C) The Father, (D) The church

8. \_\_\_\_\_ What is one condition upon which one's prayer for forgiveness is granted?  
(A) Giving in secret, (B) The act of confessing our sins, (C) Forgiving others, (D) Fasting
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the problem of the one who trusts in the things of this world?  
(A) He has little faith, (B) He has insufficient material security, (C) He does not fast enough, (D) He does not pray enough
10. \_\_\_\_\_ About what did Jesus say we should not worry?  
(A) The things we possess, (B) Our enemies, (C) Our financial well-being, (D) Tomorrow

## Chapter 7

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Before one considers the faults of others, what did Jesus say one must first do?  
(A) Pray for the one he sees fault in, (B) Consider the sin in one's own sinful life, (C) Be sure to understand all the sin in which one is involved, (D) All the preceding
2. \_\_\_\_\_ What amazed the people concerning how Jesus taught?  
(A) He taught clearly, (B) He taught in a manner that they could understand, (C) He taught from the Old Testament, (D) He taught as one having authority
3. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus refer when He spoke of the narrow gate?  
(A) Understanding what He taught, (B) Understanding that He was the fulfillment of Old Testament prophecy, (C) The fact that few will enter into obedience of the gospel, (D) The difficulty in escaping the punishment of hell
4. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He spoke of the broad way that leads to hell?  
(A) Few will lose their souls, (B) Many will be saved, (C) Few will enter into the salvation of the narrow gate, (D) Many will understand His teachings
5. \_\_\_\_\_ By what did Jesus say we could identify false prophets?  
(A) By the hypocrisy, (B) By their fruits, (C) By their teaching, (D) By their speech
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Though one might do many great works, by doing what did Jesus say one would enter into the kingdom?  
(A) Doing many miracles, (B) Preaching to many people, (C) Praying and fasting, (D) Doing the will of the Father
7. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He made the statement that we judge not?  
(A) He referred to the self-righteous attitude of the Pharisees in their judgment of others, (B) He referred to the fact that no Christian has a right to judge anyone else for any reason, (C) He meant that we should not judge one's teaching, (D) He did not want us to judge according to one's fruit
8. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the "rock" about which Jesus spoke in Matthew 7:24?  
(A) The incarnation of Jesus, (B) The grace of God for man's salvation, (C) The church, (D) The fulfillment of prophecy
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What moves one to be critical of another in religious matters?  
(A) Self-righteous legalism, (B) Recognition of one's spiritual poverty, (C) One's obedience to the will of God, (D) One's inability to serve God
10. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say would happen to every tree that does not bear good fruit?  
(A) It will be blessed, (B) It will be replenished, (C) It will be cursed, (D) It will be cut down and thrown into the fire
11. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom must we not give that which is holy?  
(A) Hypocrites, (B) Liars, (C) Dogs, (D) The faithless

## Chapter 8

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Early in His ministry, why did Jesus not want His disciples to tell others about His miraculous works?  
(A) Because they did not understand His ministry, (B) He wanted people to come to Him for teaching instead of healing, (C) He knew that they did not understand the miracles, (D) The disciples did not yet understand His mission
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Over how many men did a Roman centurion have charge?  
(A) 50, (B) 75, (C) 100, (D) 150
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Where did Jesus send the demons who were cast out of the Gadarene demoniac?  
(A) Into evil men, (B) Into cows, (C) Into the abyss, (D) None of the preceding
4. \_\_\_\_\_ How does the healing of the leper in Matthew 8 define the nature of a true miracle?  
(A) The healing took place before witnesses, (B) The healing was instantaneous, (C) The healing was visible to the eyes of beholders, (D) All the preceding
5. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus refer when He said that the dead should bury their own dead?  
(A) The physically dead of the unbelieving world, (B) The families of those who lose one to physical death, (C) The spiritually dead burying their own dead, (D) None of the preceding
6. \_\_\_\_\_ For what did Jesus rebuke the disciples when they were fearful concerning the storm at sea?  
(A) Their lack of faith, (B) Their unwillingness to believe that He was the Son of Man, (C) Their fear of the storm, (D) Their desire to trust in themselves
7. \_\_\_\_\_ About what or whom were the Gadarenes more concerned than the one from whom the demons were cast?  
(A) Their homes, (B) The Gadarene demoniac, (C) Their pigs, (D) Their city
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Whose mother-in-law did Jesus heal of a fever?  
(A) James, (B) Peter, (C) Matthew, (D) His own
9. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does the term "Son of Man" have reference?  
(A) The Messiah, (B) Jesus as the Son of God, (C) Jesus as the savior of the world, (D) Jesus as the son of Joseph

10. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the demons in the Gadarene demoniac move the possessed man to do when they were approached by Jesus?  
(A) They gave Him praise, (B) They were silent, (C) They begged Him not to cast them into the abyss, (D) They cursed Him
11. \_\_\_\_\_ With what did Jesus cast out demons?  
(A) With a meeting of the disciples, (B) With a word of command, (C) With a meeting of the close friends, (D) All the preceding
12. \_\_\_\_\_ Though man would come from the east and west and desire to sit down with Abraham and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven, who, as the sons of the kingdom, would be cast out into outer darkness?  
(A) The Romans, (B) The unbelieving Jews who were sons of the kingdom, (C) Those who died in the flood of Noah's day, (D) Satan and his angels

## Chapter 9

1. \_\_\_\_\_ What was Matthew's other name?  
(A) Peter, (B) Levi, (C) Simon, (D) Thomas
2. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus refer when He spoke of an old garment?  
(A) His teachings from old, (B) The Jewish traditions and Old Testament law, (C) The teachings of the patriarchs, (D) None of the preceding
3. \_\_\_\_\_ When would the disciples fast?  
(A) When the bridegroom went away, (B) In the presence of the bridegroom, (C) After the coming of the bridegroom, (D) In the new heavens and earth
4. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say He desired more than sacrifice?  
(A) Love, (B) Peace on earth, (C) Mercy, (D) Faith
5. \_\_\_\_\_ How long had the infirmed woman been suffering with her hemorrhage?  
(A) 20 years, (B) 12 days, (C) 5 years, (D) 12 years
6. \_\_\_\_\_ What is blasphemy?  
(A) Cursing those who preach the gospel, (B) Blaming God for our suffering, (C) Assigning the work of God to Satan, (D) Rejoicing in evil
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Whose daughter was raised from the dead?  
(A) Jarius', (B) Peter's, (C) Thomas', (D) Matthew's
8. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He spoke of new wineskins?  
(A) The reinstatement of the Old Testament law, (B) The reinstatement of the Old Testament covenant, (C) The teaching of the traditions of the church, (D) His new teachings of grace and truth
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What was Matthew by profession?  
(A) Sailor, (B) Fisherman, (C) Governor, (D) None of the preceding
10. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus' authority to heal give Him the right to do on earth?  
(A) Pray, (B) Teach, (C) Forgive sins, (D) Be the Messiah
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Who only has the right to receive worship?  
(A) Angels, (B) The disciples, (C) Satan, (D) God
12. \_\_\_\_\_ When the two blind men referred to Jesus as the son of David, what were they proclaiming?  
(A) That Jesus was the Son of God, (B) That Jesus taught the truth, (C) That Jesus was the descendant of David, (D) That Jesus was the Messiah
13. \_\_\_\_\_ How were the blind men healed by their faith?  
(A) They had enough faith to cause Jesus to heal them, (B) Their faith unleashed the power of healing, (C) Their faith moved them to seek Jesus for healing, (D) All the preceding
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus said that the multitudes were as sheep without what?  
(A) Teaching, (B) A disciple, (C) Love, (D) A shepherd
15. \_\_\_\_\_ When Jesus spoke of the harvest, what did He speak of as being few?  
(A) Teaching, (B) Those who would believe, (C) Those who would harvest, (D) Honest hearts
16. \_\_\_\_\_ What command did Jesus give in reference to the harvest?  
(A) Preach the word, (B) Pray for harvesters, (C) Go into all the world, (D) Believe on Him

## Chapter 10

1. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the word "apostle"?  
(A) "Follower," (B) "Learner," (C) "One who is sent," (D) "Proclaimer of good news"
2. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus send the apostles to go first?  
(A) The house of Israel, (B) The Gentiles, (C) The Romans, (D) Those who were sons of Abraham by faith
3. \_\_\_\_\_ What bird was symbolic of peace and innocence?  
(A) Eagle, (B) Dove, (C) Rooster, (D) Raven
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was Beelzebub?  
(A) Philistine lord of the flies, (B) Egyptian god of the sun, (C) Greek god of the seas, (D) Roman god of fertility

5. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus tell the disciples not to fear?  
(A) Those who taught false doctrine, (B) Those who were able to kill them, (C) The judaizing teachers, (D) The Roman government
6. \_\_\_\_\_ On the limited commission of Jesus He told them not to go into the cities of whom?  
(A) The Philistines, (B) The Romans, (C) The Moabites, (D) The Samaritans
7. \_\_\_\_\_ The serpent was a symbol of what?  
(A) Faith, (B) Wisdom, (C) Purity, (D) Truth
8. \_\_\_\_\_ When one receives a disciple of Jesus, who actually does he receive?  
(A) The friends of the disciple, (B) Jesus, (C) Those who sent the disciple, (D) The Holy Spirit
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus said that a disciple is not greater than whom?  
(A) The government, (B) The lost, (C) Those to whom he is sent, (D) His teacher
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Who is able to destroy both soul and body?  
(A) Man, (B) Angels, (C) God, (D) Ourselves
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Whom did Jesus come to set against one another?  
(A) Governments, (B) Family members, (C) Courts, (D) Religions
12. \_\_\_\_\_ Who cannot become disciples of Jesus?  
(A) Those who love the family more than Jesus, (B) Those who do not take up their cross, (C) He who loves his life more than Jesus, (D) All the preceding
13. \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus said He did not come to bring peace on the earth, but what?  
(A) A sword, (B) Unity, (C) Faith, (D) War
14. \_\_\_\_\_ In view of what historical event did Jesus give the commission of chapter 10 to the apostles?  
(A) The end of the Roman Empire, (B) His final coming, (C) The destruction of Jerusalem, (D) The end of the world
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was Lebbaeus?  
(A) Jarius, (B) Matthew, (C) Thaddaeus, (D) Thomas

## Chapter 11

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Why was Sodom destroyed?  
(A) She was defeated by a strong army, (B) Because of her wickedness, (C) Because of idolatry, (D) Because she set herself against God's people
2. \_\_\_\_\_ When the phrase "kingdom of God" is used, to what source is kingdom reign inferred?  
(A) Heaven, (B) The Holy Spirit, (C) The kings of this world, (D) God
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the Elijah that was prophesied to come?  
(A) John the immerser, (B) Jesus, (C) Peter, (D) Paul
4. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the kingdom suffering from the days of John the immerser to the time of Jesus?  
(A) Poverty of the followers, (B) Violence, (C) Oppression by the Romans, (D) Unbelief by the disciples
5. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does the word "kingdom" have reference when used in relation to God's relationship with the created world?  
(A) God's reign over all things from heaven, (B) The kings of this world, (C) The world kingdom of the church, (D) The response of men to the gospel
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Who put John the immerser into prison?  
(A) Agrippa, (B) Herod, (C) Caesar, (D) Augustus
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus say was the greatest that was born among women?  
(A) Paul, (B) Elijah, (C) Herod, (D) None of the preceding
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Which servant of God worked no miracles in order that his message be confirmed?  
(A) Paul, (B) Peter, (C) Thomas, (D) John the immerser
9. \_\_\_\_\_ In order to reassure John, what was one of the works that was told John's disciples to confirm that Jesus was the Messiah?  
(A) The gospel is being preached, (B) The kingdom of heaven is being preached, (C) The conversion of many people, (D) The gospel is being preached to the poor
10. \_\_\_\_\_ About whom did Jesus say that he was more than a prophet?  
(A) Paul, (B) Elijah, (C) John the immerser, (D) Peter
11. \_\_\_\_\_ John the immerser manifested the spirit and power of what Old Testament prophet?  
(A) Isaiah, (B) Elijah, (C) Jeremiah, (D) David
12. \_\_\_\_\_ What did people gossip about Jesus?  
(A) He was seeking His own, (B) He was a gluttonous man, (C) He was preaching for money, (D) He was deceiving the people
13. \_\_\_\_\_ The cities of Chorazin and Bethsaida had greater opportunity to believe than what two Old Testament cities?  
(A) Sodom and Gomorrah, (B) Tyre and Sidon, (C) Babylon and Nineveh, (D) Dan and Beersheba
14. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus make a plea that they should come unto Him?  
(A) The rich, (B) Rulers, (C) Those who are heavily burdened, (D) Those who were religious
15. \_\_\_\_\_ What yoke did Jesus encourage people to take upon themselves?  
(A) The yoke of religious traditions, (B) The yoke of persecution, (C) The yoke of His freedom in grace that one receives in Christ, (D) All the preceding

## Chapter 12

- \_\_\_\_\_ For what sin did Jesus say that there would be no forgiveness?  
(A) Adultery, (B) Blasphemy against the Holy Spirit, (C) Apostasy, (D) Selfish ambition
- \_\_\_\_\_ For whom was the Sabbath made?  
(A) God, (B) Man, (C) For all men of all history, (D) For the church
- \_\_\_\_\_ For what purpose did God allow demons to possess people before and during the ministry of Jesus and the early disciples?  
(A) Because Satan could not be controlled by God, (B) In order to prove that Jesus and His disciples had power over the forces of Satan, (C) To manifest the power of demons over the forces of God, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_\_\_ For what does an evil and adulterous generation seek?  
(A) Preaching of the truth, (B) A new religion, (C) A miraculous sign, (D) Religious fellowship
- \_\_\_\_\_ In chapter 12 for what were the legalistic religious leaders more concerned than the healing of a blind man?  
(A) The keeping of the Sabbath, (B) Seeking for a sign from Jesus, (C) The health of the blind man, (D) The coming of the Messiah
- \_\_\_\_\_ What domain did Jesus crush when He died on the cross?  
(A) The power of Caesar, (B) The domain of Satan, (C) The kingdom of Herod, (D) The influence of the religious leaders
- \_\_\_\_\_ What Old Testament king entered the temple and ate the showbread that only the priests were to eat?  
(A) Hezekiah, (B) Solomon, (C) David, (D) Saul
- \_\_\_\_\_ Why did David not sin when He did that which was contrary to the Old Testament law?  
(A) He sinned in ignorance, (B) His preservation as the king of Israel was weightier than the violation of lesser laws, (C) He sinned in a time of spiritual weakness, (D) He sinned with a repentant attitude
- \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus say was Lord of the Sabbath?  
(A) The Holy Spirit, (B) Satan, (C) The Son of Man, (D) The church
- \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the influential political group that was composed primarily of Sadducees?  
(A) The Sanhedrin council, (B) The Herodians, (C) The Zealots, (D) The Essenes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Who was Beelzebub?  
(A) The Roman god of the sun, (B) The Philistine god of fertility, (C) The Greek god of the seas, (D) The Philistine god of all demons
- \_\_\_\_\_ By what did Jesus cast out demons?  
(A) By the finger of God, (B) By the power of the Holy Spirit, (C) By His own will (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the strong man whose house Jesus came to plunder?  
(A) The religious leaders, (B) Judaism, (C) Satan, (D) Roman rule
- \_\_\_\_\_ Why would blasphemy not be forgiven?  
(A) Because it was malicious and injurious speech against the work of God through His disciples, (B) Because it was the subjective work of Satan, (C) Because those who had sinned had died, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus refer as a "brood of vipers"?  
(A) The self-righteous religious leaders, (B) Unrepentant sinners, (C) Those who persecuted the disciples, (D) World governments who would oppress the church
- \_\_\_\_\_ Only the sign of what prophet did Jesus say would be given concerning Him?  
(A) Isaiah, (B) Joel, (C) Jonah, (D) Jeremiah
- \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus say would rise up in judgment and judge the generation to whom He preached?  
(A) Sodom, (B) Tyre and Sidon, (C) Nineveh, (D) Babylon
- \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the Queen of the South?  
(A) Jezebel, (B) Sheba, (C) Micah, (D) None of the preceding

## Chapter 13

- \_\_\_\_\_ What happened to the seeds that were sown among the thorns?  
(A) They produced a hundredfold, (B) They were choked out, (C) They were revived, (C) They were trampled upon
- \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the real enemy in the parable of the tares?  
(A) Demons, (B) Satan, (C) Apostates, (D) False teachers
- \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus teach in parables?  
(A) To reveal truth to those who could not yet understand, (B) To challenge the study of those who had open hearts, (C) To reveal truth to those who had open hearts and minds, (D) To conceal the meat of His message from the open hearted
- \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the word *angelos*?  
(A) "Demon," (B) "Saint," (C) "Messenger," (D) None of the preceding
- \_\_\_\_\_ Who or what did the sower represent in the parable of the sower?  
(A) Satan, (B) Angels, (C) Demons, (D) Proclaimers of the word of God
- \_\_\_\_\_ Why could the religious leaders of Israel not understand the parables of Jesus?  
(A) They were ignorant of the Old Testament, (B) They did not understand the story that Jesus used to teach truth, (C) They were blind guides with hardened hearts, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of leaving the tares in the field until the time of harvest?  
(A) God does not care about the tares affecting the good seed, (B) God is patient, but will eventually bring judgment upon the tares, (C) The tares cannot be identified, (D) The tares do not have an impact on the good seed

8. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the parable of the mustard seed?  
(A) The growth of the expansion of God's people on earth from a small start to a large world influence, (B) The preaching of the gospel to all the world, (C) The influence of evil throughout the world, (D) The judgment of God upon all the world
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus not work many miracles in His own country?  
(A) Because there was no need since they believed, (B) Because of their rejection of Jesus as a home town personality, (C) Because His ministry was not to His own country, (D) All the preceding
10. \_\_\_\_\_ When the sower sowed, upon what types of soil did the seed fall?  
(A) Thorny soil, (B) Rocky soil, (C) Wayside soil, (D) All the preceding
11. \_\_\_\_\_ The soil that represented the open hearted person was represented by what type of soil in the parable of the sower?  
(A) Rocky soil, (B) Thorny soil, (C) Good soil, (D) Wayside soil
12. \_\_\_\_\_ What is a parable?  
(A) A fictional story that illustrates a spiritual truth, (B) A real life story that is told to metaphorically teach a spiritual truth, (C) An allegory, (D) A superstition that metaphorically reveals the beliefs of a particular culture
13. \_\_\_\_\_ Why were the teachings of the parables given to the disciples?  
(A) Because they were suffering from unbelief, (B) Because they were still harboring hardened hearts, (C) Because they were searching for a spiritual kingdom, (D) None of the preceding
14. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He said of the religious leaders, "Seeing they see not"?  
(A) They were blinded to the philosophies of this world, (B) They thought that they were spiritually right with God, but they were blinded by their own prejudices, (C) They did not understand the purpose for which Israel was called out of the nations, (D) They could not see the miraculous works of Jesus
15. \_\_\_\_\_ When was the harvest to come in the parable of the tares?  
(A) The final coming of Jesus, (B) The establishment of the church, (C) The end of the Jewish dispensation, (D) The final judgment
16. \_\_\_\_\_ How would the righteous shine forth in the kingdom?  
(A) With the destruction of national Israel in A.D. 70, the church would be proved to be the people of God, (B) God would work miraculously through the church throughout the world, (C) The redeemed would be resurrected at the end of time, (D) The righteous would rule over the wicked in the new heavens and earth.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the parable of the hidden treasure?  
(A) Some were hardened to the gospel, (B) The growth of the kingdom throughout the world, (C) The value of the gospel over all that is of this world, (D) The value of national Israel
18. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the parable of the dragnet?  
(A) When the gospel is preached, all sorts of people respond, (B) The growth of the church throughout the world, (C) The value of the gospel, (D) The unwillingness of the hardened of heart to receive the truth
19. \_\_\_\_\_ Where did Jesus say a prophet was usually not accepted?  
(A) In a seat of religious discussion, (B) In his home country, (C) In foreign countries, (D) In the cities

## Chapter 14

1. \_\_\_\_\_ After she danced before Herod's guests, what request did the daughter of Herodias request?  
(A) Part of his kingdom, (B) The head of John the immerser, (C) A party in celebration of Herodias, (D) One thousand pieces of silver
2. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does the word "tetrarch" refer?  
(A) A court official, (B) King of a kingdom, (C) Priest in the Sanhedrin, (D) Rulers of a fourth part of a kingdom
3. \_\_\_\_\_ What was Jesus' real purpose in the miracle of the feeding of the five thousand?  
(A) To prove that He could do miraculous works, (B) To feed the people, (C) To manifest that He could create, (D) To manifest His compassion on the people
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus call to come from a boat in order to walk on water?  
(A) James, (B) John, (C) Thomas, (D) Peter
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the granddaughter of Herod the Great who divorced Philip in order to marry Herod Antipas?  
(A) Malthace, (B) Mariamne, (C) Doris, (D) Herodias
6. \_\_\_\_\_ After feeding the five thousand, how many baskets full of leftovers were taken up?  
(A) 10, (B) 5, (C) 12, (D) 14
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did the people consider John the immerser to be?  
(A) The Son of God, (B) A prophet, (C) The Messiah, (D) Elisha
8. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus do when He heard of the death of John the immerser?  
(A) He went to a deserted place, (B) He preached to the people, (C) He immediately worked the miracle of feeding the five thousand, (D) He fasted for twelve days
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Peter fail to continue to walk on water?  
(A) The waves were too large, (B) Lack of faith, (C) Lack of love, (D) The wind was too strong
10. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the disciples' realization of the presence of the Son of God cause them to do when Jesus entered the boat after walking on water?  
(A) Sing praises, (B) Worship Him, (C) Fast, (D) Ask for teaching

## Chapter 15

- \_\_\_\_ By adding human religious traditions as requirements for obedience to God, what were the religious leaders of Israel actually doing?  
(A) Providing religious stability in Israel, (B) Encouraging obedience to the law of God, (C) Adding to the law of God, (D) Making the burden of obedience lighter for the people.
- \_\_\_\_ What country was under the jurisdiction of Herod Antipas?  
(A) Egypt, (B) Judea, (C) Tyre and Sidon, (D) Galatia
- \_\_\_\_ What did the scribes and Pharisees actually do by adding the traditions of the fathers to the law of God?  
(A) Stabilize the religious and political atmosphere of Israel, (B) Encourage obedience to the law of God, (C) Transgress the law of God, (D) Enhance the people's understanding of the commandments of God
- \_\_\_\_ Which prophet stated that the people honored God with their lips but their heart was far from Him  
(A) Isaiah, (B) Jeremiah, (C) Joel, (D) Amos
- \_\_\_\_ How many baskets full of loaves did the disciples take up after feeding the four thousand?  
(A) 12, (B) 5, (C) 10, (D) 7
- \_\_\_\_ By focusing on their religious traditions, what did the religious leaders vainly do?  
(A) Help the poor, (B) Worship God, (C) Teach the people, (D) Bind their traditions
- \_\_\_\_ What was a person called who could not speak?  
(A) Lame, (B) Dumb, (C) Epileptic, (D) None of the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ What was that which was Corban?  
(A) That which was set aside to be donated to the temple, (B) That which was donated to the poor, (C) Taxes to be paid to Rome, (D) Taxes the religious leaders had to give to the people
- \_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus say were blind leaders?  
(A) Sadducees, (B) Priests, (C) Pharisees, (D) Jewish kings
- \_\_\_\_ From where do evil actions originate?  
(A) The mind, (B) One's associates, (C) The heart, (D) Evil leadership
- \_\_\_\_ Why did not Jesus first answer the woman who begged of Him that He should heal her daughter of demon possession?  
(A) He did not first hear her request, (B) He wanted to manifest the prejudice of the disciples toward the Gentiles, (C) Tyre and Sidon was not on His schedule, (D) He was going to Jerusalem

## Chapter 16

- \_\_\_\_ To what does the word *ekklesia* refer as it is used in Matthew 16?  
(A) The kingdom of God, (B) A public council of city officials, (C) People who respond to the kingdom reign of Jesus, (D) A building in which the people of God meet
- \_\_\_\_ What was the rock upon which the church was built?  
(A) Peter, (B) The fact that Jesus is the Christ and Son of God, (C) The apostles, (D) The prophets
- \_\_\_\_ Because the Greek word *petra* is what gender it cannot refer to Peter?  
(A) Feminine, (B) Masculine, (C) Neuter, (D) None of the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ In Matthew 16:18 to what does Jesus metaphorically use the word "gate" to refer?  
(A) The strength of a city, (B) The entrance into a city, (C) The accessibility of a city, (D) The vulnerability of a city
- \_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus say that Peter could bind truth on earth?  
(A) Because Jesus invested within him the authority to establish truth, (B) Because what Peter preached had already been bound in heaven, (C) Because the apostles as a group were given authority to establish the laws by which the church should live, (D) None of the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ When did the kingdom of Jesus come to those on earth?  
(A) When John the immerser preached, (B) The beginning of the ministry of Jesus when He preached the kingdom of heaven, (C) When the power of God was manifested on earth through the giving of the Holy Spirit to the apostles on the day of Pentecost, (D) It will come at the end of time when Jesus comes again.
- \_\_\_\_ For what did Jesus say a wicked and adulterous generation would seek?  
(A) Deliverance, (B) Faith, (C) Preaching of truth, (D) A sign
- \_\_\_\_ The people were saying that Jesus was whom?  
(A) Elijah, (B) One of the prophets, (C) Jeremiah, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ What did the Sadducees not believe would occur?  
(A) The resurrection, (B) The coming of the Messiah, (C) The establishment of a kingdom, (D) None of the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ For what reason did Philip build Caesarea Philippi?  
(A) To honor himself, (B) To honor Augustus Caesar, (C) To honor God, (D) To honor the Roman Empire
- \_\_\_\_ The disciples were to beware of the leaven of whom?  
(A) The priests of Israel, (B) The Pharisees and Sadducees, (C) The rulers of Rome, (D) Judaizing teachers
- \_\_\_\_ How does Jesus use the word "kingdom" when He speaks of keys of the kingdom that would be given to Peter?  
(A) The response of the people on earth to the revealed word of God, (B) The assembly of God's people, (C) Divine rule in heaven as it would be manifested on earth through the response of people, (D) The reign of Jesus on earth when He comes again

13. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Satan use to discourage Jesus from accomplishing His destiny of going to the cross?  
(A) Thomas, (B) Pilate, (C) Peter, (D) The scribes and Pharisees

## Chapter 17

1. \_\_\_\_\_ What was taught when God spoke from heaven on the mount of transfiguration that Jesus was His beloved Son in whom He was well pleased?  
(A) Men should turn from the Old Testament law and covenant to listening to Jesus, (B) The Old Testament would continue, (C) Jesus was about to establish the church, (D) The disciples should be watchful for the leaven of the Pharisees and Sadducees
2. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Moses and Elijah represent on the mount of transfiguration?  
(A) The coming kingdom reign of Jesus, (B) The Old Testament covenant and law, (C) The resurrection to come, (D) The establishment of the church
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Who suggested that tabernacles be built for Jesus, Moses and Elijah after the transfiguration of Jesus?  
(A) John, (B) Thomas, (C) Jude, (D) Peter
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Who were the three disciples that Jesus took with Him to the mount of transfiguration?  
(A) Peter, Thomas and Jude, (B) James, Jude and Peter, (C) James, John and Thomas, (D) James, John and Peter
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the lawgiver of Israel who represented the law on the mount of transfiguration?  
(A) Elijah, (B) Jesus, (C) Moses, (D) Adam
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Why were the disciples unable to cast out the demon from the demoniac boy?  
(A) Because of their lack of faith, (B) Because of the lack of faith of the body, (C) Because they did not have the opportunity, (D) Because Jesus did not allow them
7. \_\_\_\_\_ The disciples had to have faith as what in order to move mountains?  
(A) Mustard seed, (B) Elijah, (C) Jeremiah, (D) The faithful
8. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom was it said, "Does your Teacher not pay the temple tax"?  
(A) James, (B) John, (C) Judas, (D) None of the preceding
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus pay the temple tax?  
(A) Because He was less than the temple, (B) Because He wanted to set an example for the disciples, (C) In order to not stir controversy, (D) In order to please the Romans

## Chapter 18

1. \_\_\_\_\_ The mission of the Son of Man on earth was to do what?  
(A) Add teaching to the Old Testament law, (B) Reestablish the Old Testament law, (C) Seek and save those who are lost, (D) Heal the sick
2. \_\_\_\_\_ What should a brother do when his brother sins against him?  
(A) Go to the offending brother, (B) Immediately take the offending brother before the church, (C) Disfellowship the offending brother, (D) Reject the offending brother
3. \_\_\_\_\_ What is significant about Jesus' promise to the apostles' binding teaching on earth?  
(A) The apostles had authority within themselves to bind and loose teaching, (B) What the apostles agreed upon they could bind on the church, (C) The apostles would give authority to the church to bind laws, (D) Only that which was already bound in heaven and revealed to the apostles could be bound
4. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He stated that the disciples should forgive unto seventy times seven?  
(A) One should forgive only seventy times seven, (B) There should be no limit to the number of times one should forgive, (C) Forgiveness should be conditional, (D) One should seek God's help in forgiving others
5. \_\_\_\_\_ One could not enter the kingdom unless he was converted and became as what?  
(A) A saint, (B) A believer, (C) A little child, (D) A Christian
6. \_\_\_\_\_ What would happen to us if God's forgiveness of our sins did not stimulate us to forgive others' sins against us?  
(A) We would be rebuked by the church, (B) God would have no mercy to forgive our sins, (C) We would feel guilty, (D) None of the preceding
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus use little children to illustrate the nature of the kingdom of God?  
(A) Because of their purity and innocence, (B) Because they were stained with original sin, (C) Because they were totally depraved, (D) Because they were accountable for sin
8. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He used the Greek word *aionios* to refer to the "everlasting" fire that awaited the wicked?  
(A) Their punishment was sure and certain, (B) Their punishment would be horrible, (C) They would not escape their just punishment, (D) All the preceding
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Who would be the one who is the greatest in the kingdom?  
(A) Converted rulers, (B) Appointed leaders, (C) Servants of the needs of others, (D) The biblically wise
10. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the nature of those who would be considered servant leaders?  
(A) They are watchful for the needs of others, (B) They seek to always care for others, (C) They are continually exalting the needs of others over their own needs, (D) All the preceding
11. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus refer when He talked about "these little ones who believe"?  
(A) Children, (B) Babies, (C) His disciples, (D) The prophets

12. \_\_\_\_\_ If one did not repent after being approached by the one offended, the witnesses and the church, what was to be done?  
 (A) The offending brother should continually be approached, (B) The unrepentant brother should be shunned by the church, (C) Nothing should be done, (D) The offended brother should repent
13. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the problem with the man who was forgiven much by the king?  
 (A) He was not moved to be merciful because of the mercy that was extended to him, (B) He was desperate, and thus, needed his debtor to pay him, (C) He was given no mercy, and thus, did not extend mercy to others, (D) He did not understand that he would be judged for his unmerciful attitudes and actions

## Chapter 19

1. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus refer when He said that there was only one who was "good"?  
 (A) Himself, (B) The sanctified disciple, (C) The prophets, (D) God
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Moses give the certificate of divorce?  
 (A) In order to encourage divorce for any reason, (B) To shut the door of divorce on a people who were divorcing for many reasons, (C) To offer Israel a reason for divorcing, (D) None of the preceding
3. \_\_\_\_\_ What must happen when two are married?  
 (A) The two must join together as one, (B) They must leave their parents and cleave to their mates, (C) They must assume the roles of a husband and wife with one another (D) All of the preceding
4. \_\_\_\_\_ When Jesus spoke of forsaking all for Him, what disciple stated that the apostles had left all in order to follow Jesus?  
 (A) Thomas, (B) John, (C) Peter, (D) Judas
5. \_\_\_\_\_ What statement did Jesus make to the rich young ruler that made him sad?  
 (A) He was too young to be an apostle, (B) His faith was too weak, (C) He must sell all that he had, (D) He would be persecuted for righteousness' sake
6. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the real problem with the rich young ruler?  
 (A) He could not sell his riches, (B) He loved both his riches and position, (C) His faith was weak, (D) He did not know the law
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the teacher of Israel who taught that one could divorce for any reason?  
 (A) Gamaliel, (B) Hillel, (C) Shammai, (D) Maccabee
8. \_\_\_\_\_ What is it called when one breaks a marriage contract with his or her spouse because of unfaithfulness?  
 (A) Divorce, (B) Incest, (C) Fornication, (D) Licentiousness
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What teacher in Israel taught that the only reason for divorce was fornication?  
 (A) Hillel, (B) Gamaliel, (C) Shammai, (D) All the preceding
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Who tested Jesus concerning His teaching on divorce?  
 (A) Sadducees, (B) Scribes, (C) Pharisees, (D) Priests
11. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the error of the rich young ruler in reference to his obedience?  
 (A) He was responding to the grace and mercy of God, (B) He viewed his obedience as a meritorious justification for himself, (C) He saw his obedience as insufficient to save himself, (D) All the preceding
12. \_\_\_\_\_ What illustration did Jesus use to teach that it was hard for a rich man to enter the kingdom?  
 (A) A laborer in the field, (B) The unfruitful fig tree, (C) Camel passing through the eye of a needle, (D) The lifting of a mill stone
13. \_\_\_\_\_ What would the twelve disciples do as judges of Israel?  
 (A) They would receive civil authority in Israel, (B) They would deliver the truth of God to Israel, (C) Rome would consider them as judges in Roman courts, (D) They would reign on earth over the church
14. \_\_\_\_\_ When was the time of the regeneration?  
 (A) The time of the existence of the church, (B) The time after Jesus comes, (C) The duration of Jesus' ministry, (D) The period of Old Testament history

## Chapter 20

1. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus say that they did not know what they asked of Him?  
 (A) The scribes and Pharisees, (B) James and John, (C) Peter, James and John, (D) Judas Iscariot
2. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the disciples' concept of the kingdom that would be established?  
 (A) A spiritual renewal of God's will on earth, (B) A time when Jesus would reign on earth after His final coming, (C) The restoration of the physical kingdom of Israel as it was in the days of Israel's glory, (D) The church as the manifestation of Jesus' kingdom reign in heaven
3. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the figurative meaning of the "cup" when Jesus used it in response to the request of James and John?  
 (A) It was the cup of the Lord's Supper, (B) It was a reference to servanthood in the kingdom, (C) It referred to their responsibility as judges over Israel, (D) It signified willingness to assume the responsibility that comes with being a leader
4. \_\_\_\_\_ In response to the request of Salome for her sons, what did Jesus say would be characteristic of any who would be leaders in His kingdom?  
 (A) They would maintain their authority over the flock of God, (B) They would be known for serving the needs of the flock of God, (C) They would be delegated authority to bind where God had not bound, (D) They would be known for their position

5. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the approximate value of a denarius?  
(A) A week's wage, (B) An hour's wage, (C) A day's wage, (D) A year's wage
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was motivated by her sons to approach Jesus to request special positions in the supposed physical kingdom they thought was coming?  
(A) Mary, (B) Martha, (C) Salome, (D) Elizabeth
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the apostle of Jesus that betrayed Him?  
(A) Peter, (B) Simon, (C) Judas, (D) Matthew
8. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the parable of the laborers in the vineyard?  
(A) The laborer is worthy of his hire, (B) One must work diligently in the kingdom, (C) One must not bury his talent, (D) All will receive the same reward
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He said, "Many will be called, but few chosen"?  
(A) God has predestined few to eternal life, (B) Salvation is reserved for only a few, (C) Many will hear the gospel, but few will respond, (D) Few will reject that which they hear about the gospel of Jesus Christ,
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Into whose hands did Jesus say He would be delivered?  
(A) The Romans, (B) The chief priests and scribes, (C) The Sadducees and Pharisees, (D) The Zealots
11. \_\_\_\_\_ In response to the requests of James and John for positions in what they believed would be a physical kingdom, how did Jesus use the word *baptizo* to respond to them?  
(A) They had to be first immersed for remission of sins, (B) They had to be willing to be overwhelmed with the responsibility of leadership, (C) They had to be baptized in the Holy Spirit, (D) They had to go into all the world
12. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Bartimaeus actually confess when he referred to Jesus as the son of David?  
(A) That Jesus was the Son of God, (B) That Jesus was the Messiah, (C) That the world must hear the gospel, (D) That he must obey the gospel

## Chapter 21

1. \_\_\_\_\_ In the parable of the wicked husbandman, whom did Jesus ask to pronounce a judgment upon themselves?  
(A) The disciples, (B) The Romans, (C) The religious leaders of Israel, (D) The Gentiles
2. \_\_\_\_\_ What teaching did Jesus want to convey when He cursed the barren fig tree?  
(A) Israel was judged because of their unfruitfulness, (B) The Romans would be conquered, (C) The disciples would be cursed in their apostasy, (D) The world was coming to an end
3. \_\_\_\_\_ In the parable of the two sons, who was represented by the son who would not repent?  
(A) The Roman government, (B) The Jewish religious leaders, (C) The Gentiles, (D) The apostates of the church
4. \_\_\_\_\_ In the parable of the wicked husbandmen, how did God eventually bring judgment upon those who were represented as the wicked husbandmen?  
(A) Apostasy because of a lack of commitment, (B) Destruction by the Roman armies upon Jerusalem in A.D. 70, (C) The victory of the church over Satan, (D) None of the preceding
5. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say the money changers had done to the temple?  
(A) Blessed it with their work, (B) Caused it to be a den of thieves, (C) Encouraged the faithful to come to the temple for changing money, (D) Manifested the temple as a place of honesty
6. \_\_\_\_\_ What man had been in the tomb for three days, but Jesus raised to live again?  
(A) John, (B) Barabbas, (C) Lazarus, (D) Elijah
7. \_\_\_\_\_ What was symbolized by Jesus riding into Jerusalem on the back of a donkey?  
(A) That He was a servant, (B) His royalty, (C) His death to come, (D) His resurrection from the dead
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the brother of Mary and Martha?  
(A) John, (B) Peter, (C) Matthew, (D) Lazarus
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the stone the religious leaders of Israel rejected?  
(A) The Holy Spirit, (B) The Father, (C) The apostles, (D) Christ
10. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did the prophets say must be told that their King was coming to them riding upon a donkey?  
(A) The Gentiles, (B) The daughter of Zion, (C) The Romans, (D) The world
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Where did Jesus go lodge when He left His initial confrontation with the chief priests and scribes?  
(A) A house in Jerusalem, (B) Bethlehem, (C) Bethany, (D) Jericho
12. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the chief priests and elders question concerning Jesus?  
(A) His claim to be raised, (B) The source of His authority, (C) His heritage, (D) His place of birth
13. \_\_\_\_\_ What did all the people consider John the immerser to be?  
(A) A preacher, (B) An evangelist, (C) An isolationist, (D) A prophet
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus say would enter the kingdom before the chief priests and elders?  
(A) The Romans, (B) Tax collectors and harlots, (C) The Gentiles, (D) Foreigners
15. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say would be taken from the religious leaders of Israel?  
(A) The kingdom of God, (B) The church, (C) Their land, (D) Their religion
16. \_\_\_\_\_ Who perceived that Jesus was talking of them in His parables when He spoke of their unrepentant and rebellious attitude against the work of God in Israel?  
(A) The Romans, (B) The disciples, (C) The chief priests and Pharisees, (D) None of the preceding

## Chapter 22

1. \_\_\_\_\_ In the resurrection, like whom did Jesus say we would be?  
(A) Ghosts, (B) Spirits, (C) Angels, (D) Gods
2. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the Greek word *doulos*?  
(A) Freedom, (B) Slave, (C) Faithful, (D) Service
3. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the principal meaning of the parable of the marriage feast in the context in which Jesus gave it?  
(A) The Jews who were first invited rejected Jesus, and subsequently the Gentiles were invited, (B) The kingdom of heaven would be manifested on earth through the hospitality of the righteous, (C) Eternal heaven will be as a great feast among those who accept Jesus, (D) Jesus will call all the righteous unto eternal life
4. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the Sadducees believe?  
(A) That Jesus was the Messiah, (B) That there was no resurrection of the dead, (C) There was life after death, (D) Those who were raised would reign on earth
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Upon what did Jesus say the whole law hangs?  
(A) One's obedience, (B) Faith, (C) Love of God and one's neighbor, (D) One's knowledge of the Son
6. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did David have reference when he referred to one of his descendants as "Lord"?  
(A) A new king would rise up over Israel after David died, (B) The one who would rise up would be greater than David, (C) The descendant would be divine, (D) All the preceding
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Whose image was on the Roman coin referred to as the denarius?  
(A) Herod, (B) Tiberius, (C) Festus, (D) None of the preceding
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Who were the Herodians?  
(A) Religious leaders of Israel, (B) Jews who promoted the reign of the Herods who were sanctioned by the Romans, (C) Religious zealots against the rule of Rome over Israel, (D) Lawyers of the Old Testament law
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Who were considered to be the lawyers of the Old Testament law?  
(A) Herodians, (B) Pharisees, (C) Scribes, (D) Sadducees
10. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the person not have that caused him to be dispelled from the wedding feast?  
(A) Money, (B) Faith, (C) Love of his neighbor, (D) A wedding garment
11. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does the metaphor "weeping and gnashing of teeth" refer?  
(A) The literal grinding of one's teeth in agony, (B) Remorse over that which one loses, (C) Anger against the judge, (D) Anger against the righteous
12. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Matthew say plotted how they might entangle Jesus in argument?  
(A) The Pharisees, (B) The Sadducees, (C) The Herodians, (D) The chief priests,
13. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the Old Testament law teach a brother must do if his brother dies and leaves a wife without children?  
(A) Find a husband for the wife, (B) Marry the widow in order to bring up children in the name of the brother, (C) Send the husband away in order that she find a wife in another land, (D) None of the preceding

## Chapter 23

1. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus refer as blind guides of Israel?  
(A) The Romans, (B) Proselytes, (C) Religious leaders, (D) All the preceding
2. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus refer to as the "weightier matters" of the law?  
(A) Justice, Mercy, Faith, (B) Mercy, Faith, Obedience, (C) Love, Obedience, Mercy, (D) Kindness, Love, Faith
3. \_\_\_\_\_ What were the religious leaders doing wrong in reference to their proselyting Gentiles?  
(A) They were not teaching them, (B) The Gentiles were not being circumcised, (C) They were binding on the proselytes the legal burdens of Judaism, (D) They were still prejudiced against them
4. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He said to the religious leaders that their house has been left desolate?  
(A) Their own families were not spiritually minded, (B) By their legalistic system of behavior they had stolen the temple from God as a manifestation of God's presence in Israel, (C) They were not calling the Israelites unto the temple for sacrifices, (D) They had ceased fasting, and thus, spiritually died
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus use a sharp or direct message in Matthew 23 when He pronounced condemnation on the religious leaders of Israel?  
(A) Because such was the normal manner of His presentation of teaching, (B) In order to stir up the religious leaders to take Him to the cross, (C) Because He was angry with the money changers in the temple, (D) Because He was frustrated with the misdirection of the religious leaders
6. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the Jews call the small leather boxes of scripture that were worn on the heads of the priests?  
(A) Pockets, (B) Phylacteries, (C) Books, (D) Parchments
7. \_\_\_\_\_ What was a Rabbi?  
(A) A lawyer of the law, (B) A ruler of the synagogue, (C) A teacher, (D) A civil leader in Israel
8. \_\_\_\_\_ In whose seat did the religious leaders like to sit in order that they be considered men with authority in Israel?  
(A) Aaron's, (B) Moses', (C) Isaiah's, (D) Abraham's
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What were the heavy burdens the religious leaders laid on the backs of the people?  
(A) The Old Testament law, (B) The Old Testament covenant, (C) The numerous interpretations of the law that were not a part of the law, (D) Contributions

10. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus say the religious leaders did their works?  
(A) To be seen of men, (B) Because of their response to God's grace, (C) Because they loved the people, (D) Because of their response to God's love
11. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say the religious leaders loved in the synagogues?  
(A) The reading of the law, (B) The fellowship of the Jews, (C) The chief seats, (D) Being called servant
12. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus say was the one who was their teacher?  
(A) Moses, (B) Abraham, (C) The Christ, (D) John the immerser
13. \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus said that they should call no one on earth what?  
(A) God, (B) Father, (C) Christ, (D) Saint
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Who would be the greatest among the disciples?  
(A) The ones who expressed servanthood in their lives, (B) The teachers, (C) The elders, (D) The ones who did the most work
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Which did Jesus say was greater?  
(A) The silver of the temple, (B) The gold of the temple, (C) The temple that sanctifies the silver, (D) The temple that sanctifies the gold
16. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus figuratively say the scribes and Pharisees strained out in their swallowing of the camel?  
(A) Fly, (B) Gnat, (C) Grain, (D) Mustard seed
17. \_\_\_\_\_ In what way did the religious leaders appear as whitewashed tombs?  
(A) They cared for the cleanliness of tombs, (B) Their outward performance looked good, but inwardly they were spiritually dead, (C) They loved to be seen in the chief seats of the funerals, (D) Their method of teaching was good, but their knowledge of the law was weak
18. \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus condemned the religious leaders by saying that they were the sons of those who had murdered whom?  
(A) Moses, (B) Elijah, (C) Isaiah, (D) None of the preceding
19. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did the fathers of the religious leaders murder between the temple and the altar?  
(A) Isaiah, (B) Jeremiah, (C) Zechariah, (D) Hosea
20. \_\_\_\_\_ Upon whom did Jesus say the judgments of God would come?  
(A) Rome, (B) Jerusalem, (C) The Gentiles, (D) His generation

## Chapter 24

1. \_\_\_\_\_ How can the Greek word *parousia* be translated?  
(A) Eternal, (B) Presence, (C) Faithful, (D) Destruction
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Who were the ones who were taken?  
(A) The wicked, (B) The righteous, (C) Apostate Christians, (D) The Romans
3. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus first deliver the message of Matthew 24?  
(A) The religious leaders, (B) The Roman soldiers, (C) The church, (D) None of the preceding
4. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He stated that the events of Matthew 24 would come upon "this generation"?  
(A) He was speaking of events at the end of time, (B) He was saying to His disciples that the events about which He spoke would come to pass in their generation, (C) The spirit of the generation in which He spoke would be the same at the end of time, (D) He was making the prophecy in the disciples' generation, but the fulfillment would come to pass at the end of time.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He spoke of the end of the age?  
(A) The end of Jewish dispensation in which He lived, (B) The end of the age of the Roman Empire, (C) The end of the world, (D) The end of His ministry to the Jews
6. \_\_\_\_\_ From whom did Jude quote in the Old Testament who spoke of God's judgment on the ungodly?  
(A) Noah, (B) Enoch, (C) Abraham, (D) David
7. \_\_\_\_\_ When would the destruction of Jerusalem take place about which Jesus spoke?  
(A) A.D. 60, (B) A.D. 70, (C) A.D. 80, (D) A.D. 90
8. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom was Jesus' ministry specifically directed?  
(A) The Gentiles, (B) The church, (C) The house of Israel, (D) The religious leaders of Israel
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What other New Testament writer records the discourse of Jesus that is made in Matthew 24?  
(A) Paul, (B) Luke, (C) Jude, (D) John
10. \_\_\_\_\_ What secular historian spoke of the events that surrounded the destruction of Jerusalem?  
(A) Jerome, (B) Josephus, (C) Plato, (D) Aristotle
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Who questioned Jesus concerning the calamity that Jesus said would come upon their generation?  
(A) The scribes, (B) The Pharisees, (C) The disciples, (D) The Roman soldiers
12. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does judgment "in time" refer?  
(A) Jesus' coming at the end of the world, (B) God's judgment upon man at different times throughout the history of the world, (C) God's judgment in the past, (D) None of the preceding
13. \_\_\_\_\_ What admonition did Jesus make to the disciples in order to warn them about what would be said during the times of national calamity?  
(A) Do not accept pay for preaching, (B) Do not be deceived, (C) Be sure to preach the gospel, (D) Beware of the Roman armies
14. \_\_\_\_\_ What did John say about the disciples' identification of the antichrist?  
(A) The antichrist would be an apostate from the truth, (B) The antichrist would erroneously preach the gospel, (C) The antichrist would deny the incarnation of the Christ, (D) The antichrist would be supported by the Roman government

15. \_\_\_\_\_ Before the end of the Jewish dispensation, what did Jesus say would happen in the environment of the disciples?  
(A) There would be pestilence, (B) There would be famines, (C) There would be earthquakes, (D) All the preceding
16. \_\_\_\_\_ By whom did Jesus say that the disciples would be betrayed?  
(A) Parents, (B) Friends, (C) Brothers, (D) All the preceding
17. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say would abound because the love of many would grow cold?  
(A) The preaching of the gospel, (B) The apostasy of brethren, (C) Lawlessness, (D) The strength of the Roman armies
18. \_\_\_\_\_ In the context of Matthew 24, to what did Jesus refer when He used the phrase "all the world"?  
(A) All the Roman world, (B) All the world of believers, (C) All the Jewish world, (D) All the physical world
19. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the abomination of desolation?  
(A) Satan's angels, (B) Demons, (C) The Roman armies, (D) False teaching by the Jewish religious leaders
20. \_\_\_\_\_ To where can the unrighteous flee at the end of time when Jesus comes again?  
(A) To the mountains, (B) To the cities, (C) To the valleys, (D) Nowhere
21. \_\_\_\_\_ For whose sake would the killing of the days of the destruction of Jerusalem be terminated?  
(A) The Jews, (B) The saints, (C) The Romans, (D) The angels
22. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does the phrase "last days" have reference in the context of the events of Matthew 24?  
(A) The end of time, (B) The end of the Roman Empire, (C) The end of the Jewish dispensation, (D) The end of the world
23. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the carcass about whom Jesus spoke in Matthew 24?  
(A) Rome, (B) The Jewish nation, (C) The antichrists, (D) False prophets
24. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does the phrase "coming on the clouds" refer?  
(A) Jesus literal coming at the end of time, (B) Judgment language from the Old Testament that refers to God's judgment in time, (C) The coming of the antichrist, (D) The coming of the Roman armies
25. \_\_\_\_\_ After the destruction of national Israel, who would be those who would shine forth as the sun?  
(A) Angels, (B) Jesus and His angels, (C) The glory of the Father, (D) The saints,
26. \_\_\_\_\_ Throughout all the tribulation of the events that were prophesied in Matthew 24, what did Jesus promise would not pass away?  
(A) The church, (B) The kingdom, (C) His word, (D) His prophecy
27. \_\_\_\_\_ The days of the destruction of national Israel would be like in the days of what Old Testament character?  
(A) Abraham, (B) Noah, (C) Isaiah, (D) Jeremiah
28. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the evil servant begin to do when he led himself to believe that his master was delaying?  
(A) To eat and drink, (B) To pray, (C) To grow in faith, (D) All the preceding

## Chapter 25

1. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say was prepared for the devil and his angels?  
(A) Incarnation among the saints in eternity, (B) A certain fiery punishment, (C) Destruction before the end of time, (D) All the preceding
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Who do the five wise virgins represent?  
(A) The Old Testament prophets, (B) Wise rulers, (C) Those who accepted the kingdom reign of Jesus, (D) Those in the end who will be delivered out of hell
3. \_\_\_\_\_ In the parable of the talents, to whom did Jesus have reference when He spoke of the unprofitable servant?  
(A) The poor of the Jewish society, (B) The religious leaders who rejected the grace of God, (C) The Gentiles who did not respond to Jesus, (D) The unrepentant wicked of the society in which Jesus lived
4. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does "everlasting punishment" have reference in connection to the destiny of the wicked?  
(A) The result of their destruction will be without end, (B) They will be cast from the presence of God, (C) There will be certain punishment for the wicked according to their deeds, (D) All the preceding
5. \_\_\_\_\_ For whom is the everlasting fire specifically prepared?  
(A) The wicked, (B) Apostate Christians, (C) Those who persecute Christians, (D) The devil and his angels
6. \_\_\_\_\_ In the parable of the virgins, how many virgins were wise in meeting the bridegroom with sufficient oil in their lamps?  
(A) 5, (B) 10, (C) 2, (D) 3
7. \_\_\_\_\_ In the parable of the virgins, who was the bridegroom?  
(A) John the immerser, (B) Jesus, (C) The Holy Spirit, (D) The apostles
8. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the foolish virgins request of the wise virgins in the parable of the virgins?  
(A) To wait on them, (B) To share their oil, (C) To ask the bridegroom to wait, (D) None of the preceding
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the principal theme of the parable of the virgins?  
(A) Watch and be prepared, (B) The judge will be harsh, (C) There will be a final judgment, (D) None of the preceding
10. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the most number of talents that was given to individuals in the parable of the talents?  
(A) 10, (B) 5, (C) 6, (D) 20
11. \_\_\_\_\_ What proclamation did the Lord say to the one who had buried his talent?  
(A) He was wise, (B) He was conservative to preserve that which was given to him, (C) He was wicked and lazy, (D) He was commended for his cleverness
12. \_\_\_\_\_ When the Son of Man came in all His glory, where was He seated?  
(A) On a throne in Jerusalem of Palestine, (B) At the right hand of God in heaven, (C) On earth to reign, (D) On the throne of David in Jerusalem

13. \_\_\_\_\_ In the parable of the judgment in Matthew 25, what did the King say to those on His left hand?  
(A) Receive the kingdom which has been prepared for you from the foundation of the world, (B) Receive the eternal kingdom of the righteous, (C) Well done good and faithful servants, (D) Depart from Me you cursed
14. \_\_\_\_\_ In the parable of the judgment in Matthew 25, to whom did the righteous do good when they did good to their fellow man on earth?  
(A) The angels of heaven, (B) Jesus, (C) The apostles, (D) The church
15. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the manifestation of our appreciation for the grace of God that was taught by Jesus in the parable of the judgment?  
(A) Our daily prayers, (B) Daily study of the word of God, (C) Preaching the gospel to the lost, (D) Showing mercy to others through doing good

## Chapter 26

1. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He said that "His time was at hand"?  
(A) It was time for Him to begin His ministry, (B) It was time to work His first miracle, (C) It was time for His crucifixion, (D) It was time to ascend to the Father
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Which disciple verbally denied Jesus three times before the crow of the rooster?  
(A) Judas, (B) Matthew, (C) John, (D) None of the preceding
3. \_\_\_\_\_ To the house of whom was Jesus taken for question during His trials?  
(A) Pilate, (B) Ananias, (C) Caiaphas, (D) Martha
4. \_\_\_\_\_ During the arrest of Jesus, which disciple drew a sword and cut off the ear of Malchus?  
(A) John, (B) Judas, (C) Matthew, (D) Peter
5. \_\_\_\_\_ What is another name for the feast of Passover?  
(A) Pentecost, (B) Feast of the Unleavened Bread, (C) Feast of tabernacles, (D) Purim
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the high priest of Israel during the trials of Jesus?  
(A) Ananias, (B) Caiaphas, (C) Pilate, (D) Zecharias
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the leper who had been healed by Jesus?  
(A) Zechariah, (B) Joseph, (C) Simon, (D) Lazarus
8. \_\_\_\_\_ What did John record concerning Judas Iscariot's attitude toward the poor?  
(A) He did not care for them, (B) He was careful to always save money out of the collection for the poor, (C) He despised the poor, (D) He prayed for the poor
9. \_\_\_\_\_ For how many pieces of silver did Judas Iscariot betray Jesus?  
(A) 40, (B) 50, (C) 35, (D) None of the preceding
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the father-in-law of Caiaphas?  
(A) Simon, (B) Zechariah, (C) Zecharias, (D) Annas
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Matthew say assembled at the palace of the high priest before the arrest of Jesus in order to plot to kill Him?  
(A) The Roman centurions, (B) The Sadducees, (C) The chief priests, scribes and elders, (D) The Jews
12. \_\_\_\_\_ What disciple was indignant when a woman poured an alabaster flask of costly oil on Jesus' head?  
(A) Bartholemew, (B) Joseph, (C) Simon, (D) Judas Iscariot
13. \_\_\_\_\_ Whom did Jesus say the disciples would always have with them?  
(A) The poor, (B) Those needing healing, (C) Those of little faith, (D) Those who would betray them
14. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Judas Iscariot first go in order to betray Jesus?  
(A) The Pharisees, (B) The elders, (C) The chief priests, (D) The Roman centurions
15. \_\_\_\_\_ During the last supper, how did Jesus identify the one who would betray Him?  
(A) By naming him, (B) By the betrayer dipping his hand with Jesus, (C) By the exit of the betrayer during the time of the supper, (D) By pointing out the fulfillment of prophecy concerning the betrayer
16. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did the bread of the supper refer?  
(A) The bread of life that Jesus was, (B) The incarnate body that was offered for our sins, (C) The life-giving word of God, (D) All the preceding
17. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He spoke of the cup during the supper with the disciples?  
(A) His teachings that would be preached throughout the world, (B) The gospel that would be preached to all nations, (C) His sacrificial blood that was given for the sins of men, (D) His reign in glory that He would receive at the right hand of the Father
18. \_\_\_\_\_ When did Jesus begin His reign over all things?  
(A) At the beginning of His ministry, (B) At the time of His ascension, (C) When His reign was announced on the day of Pentecost, (D) It has not yet begun
19. \_\_\_\_\_ To the disciples, where did Jesus say He would go after He was resurrected from the dead?  
(A) Jerusalem, (B) Bethlehem, (C) Samaria, (D) Galilee
20. \_\_\_\_\_ When did Jesus promise the disciples that He would drink the cup anew with the disciples?  
(A) At the time of His final coming, (B) In His Father's kingdom, (C) In the garden of Gethsemane, (D) In eternal heaven
21. \_\_\_\_\_ What three disciples did Jesus take with Him alone when He went to pray before His arrest?  
(A) James, John and Philip, (B) John, Peter and James, (C) Peter, John and Matthew, (D) John, James and Judas
22. \_\_\_\_\_ In the garden of Gethsemane, what did Jesus ask that would pass from Him?  
(A) His cup of suffering, (B) The persecutors who were about to arrest Him, (C) Judas Iscariot, (D) The world

23. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the disciples do when Jesus prayed alone in the garden of Gethsemane?  
(A) Watch for those who were coming to arrest Jesus, (B) Spoke among themselves as to what they would do when Jesus was arrested, (C) Prepared a meal for Jesus, (D) They slept
24. \_\_\_\_\_ How many angels would be twelve legions?  
(A) 12,000, (B) 26,000, (C) 36,000, (D) 10,000
25. \_\_\_\_\_ At the time of His arrest in the garden of Gethsamene, which disciples fled?  
(A) Peter, James and John, (B) Matthew, Bartholemew, (C) John and James, (D) All the disciples
26. \_\_\_\_\_ What did a girl say betrayed Peter when He denied Jesus?  
(A) His clothes, (B) His relationship with Jesus, (C) His speech, (D) His looks

## Chapter 27

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Before what civil leader did Jesus profess to be a king?  
(A) Agrippa, (B) Herod, (C) Pilate, (D) Titus
2. \_\_\_\_\_ What miracle (s) occurred at the time of Jesus' death on the cross?  
(A) The veil of the temple was rent, (B) The earth quaked, (C) The graves of dead saints were opened, (D) All the preceding
3. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the chief priests do in order to prevent people tampering with the tomb of Jesus?  
(A) The set a guard at the tomb, (B) They placed a large stone in front of the opening of the tomb, (C) They put a Roman seal on the tomb, (D) All the preceding
4. \_\_\_\_\_ When Jesus stood before Pilate, why did He not answer the slanderous questions that were made against Him?  
(A) Because they were true, (B) Because He knew His destiny, and thus knew it would be futile to answer, (C) Because He knew that slander comes from an impure heart, and thus cannot be answered, (D) He knew that His accusers would bring forth more slanderous statements
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Golgotha was also referred to as the place of what?  
(A) Temptation, (B) Trial, (C) Skull, (D) Crucifixion
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was forced to carry the cross of Jesus to the place of crucifixion?  
(A) Peter, (B) Joseph, (C) Simon, (D) John
7. \_\_\_\_\_ How many thieves were crucified with Jesus?  
(A) 3, (B) 2, (C) 5, (D) 4
8. \_\_\_\_\_ What happened to the veil of the temple when Jesus died on the cross?  
(A) It was torn from bottom to top, (B) It was removed by the chief priests as a memorial of the event, (C) It was given to the mother of Jesus, (D) It was torn from top to bottom
9. \_\_\_\_\_ After the death of Jesus on the cross, who requested the body of Jesus?  
(A) Peter, James and John, (B) Mary, the mother of Jesus, (C) Joseph of Arimathea, (D) The Roman soldiers
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was Pontius Pilate?  
(A) A Roman centurion, (B) King of Judea, (C) Roman's governor of Judea, (D) Caesar of Judea
11. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the Aramaic name for the field of blood?  
(A) Golgotha, (B) Akeldama, (C) Aribelian, (D) Plantatious
12. \_\_\_\_\_ After Jesus' first questioning by Pilate, to whom did he send Jesus?  
(A) Caesar, (B) Herod Antipas, (C) Caiaphas, (D) Ananias
13. \_\_\_\_\_ For whom did the Jews cry to be set free instead of Jesus?  
(A) Judas Iscariot, (B) Barabbas, (C) Bar-jesus, (D) Barnabas
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Who urged Pilate to set Jesus free because she had had a dream that He was a just man?  
(A) Mary, (B) Procula, (C) Elizabeth, (D) Martha
15. \_\_\_\_\_ After Judas Iscariot saw that Jesus was delivered into the hands of His accusers to be killed, what did he feel in his heart?  
(A) Joy, (B) Remorse, (C) Repentance, (D) Anger
16. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the chief priests do with the thirty pieces of silver that Judas threw down?  
(A) Gave it to the poor, (B) Gave it to the temple collection, (C) Bought a potter's field, (D) Gave it to the mother of Jesus
17. \_\_\_\_\_ What two Old Testament prophets spoke of the betrayal of Jesus for thirty pieces of silver and the purchase of a potter's field?  
(A) Jeremiah and Isaiah, (B) Isaiah and Joel, (C) Zechariah and Jeremiah, (D) Joel and Jeremiah
18. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the soldiers do to Jesus in the Praetorium?  
(A) Place a crown of thorns on Him, (B) Stripped Him, (C) Put a scarlet robe on Him, (D) All the preceding
19. \_\_\_\_\_ Who cast lots for the robe of Jesus?  
(A) The chief priests, (B) The disciples, (C) The soldiers, (D) The witnesses of the crucifixion
20. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the chief priests, scribes and elders do to Jesus while He was on the cross?  
(A) They were remorseful, (B) They repented, (C) They mocked Him, (D) They prayed
21. \_\_\_\_\_ When Jesus cried out "Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani," for whom did some think He was calling?  
(A) Elijah, (B) Elisha, (C) Isaiah, (D) Jeremiah
22. \_\_\_\_\_ On what day of the week was the day of Preparation?  
(A) Thursday, (B) Friday, (C) Saturday, (D) Sunday

## Chapter 28

- \_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus appear to the disciples and why was the record of these appearances made for us?  
(A) In order to prove the fact that He had actually risen from the dead, (B) To manifest that His body had not been broken, (C) Jesus wanted to console His friends, (D) Jesus wanted to continue teaching the disciples
- \_\_\_\_ Why did the guards of Jesus' tomb have to be bribed with a large sum of money?  
(A) Because they had actually experienced the resurrection, and thus needed to be bribed to say that nothing had happened, (B) Because they were going to travel away from the area, (C) Because there were many guards, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He told the disciples to baptize "into the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit"?  
(A) He wanted this statement to be made when people are baptized, (B) He wanted those who baptized to exercise their authority for baptizing people, (C) He wanted it reemphasized that when one is baptized, he is baptized into a covenant relationship with the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, (D) He wanted the Godhead announced at every opportunity when people were baptized
- \_\_\_\_ Who went to the tomb of Jesus first after His resurrection from the dead?  
(A) The soldiers, (B) The women, (C) Peter and John, (D) Mary
- \_\_\_\_ Where did Jesus promise to meet His disciples after His resurrection from the dead?  
(A) In Samaria, (B) In Galilee, (C) At the Jordan, (D) In Bethlehem
- \_\_\_\_ Before He ascended, what did Jesus commission His disciples to do?  
(A) Make disciples of all nations, (B) Go preach the gospel, (C) Baptize in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ On what day of the week was Jesus raised from the dead?  
(A) Sunday, (B) Monday, (C) Wednesday, (D) Saturday
- \_\_\_\_ Who first informed Peter and the other disciples that Jesus had been raised from the dead?  
(A) Thomas, (B) Mary, the mother of Jesus, (C) Mary Magdalene, (D) Peter and John
- \_\_\_\_ Which one of the disciples first questioned the resurrection of Jesus from the dead?  
(A) Peter, (B) John, (C) Thomas, (D) Judas
- \_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the Greek word *ta ethne*?  
(A) Immerse, (B) Disciple, (C) Every ethnic group, (D) Teach
- \_\_\_\_ Before He ascended into heaven, how many disciples did Jesus commission to go into all the world and preach the good news?  
(A) 12, (B) 11, (C) 120, (D) 70
- \_\_\_\_ About how long was Jesus' ministry?  
(A) Five years, (B) Three and a half years, (C) One year, (D) Six years
- \_\_\_\_ Who rolled away the stone at the time of the resurrection of Jesus from the dead?  
(A) The soldiers, (B) The disciples, (C) Angels, (D) The Jewish religious leaders
- \_\_\_\_ At the time of the resurrection of Jesus from the dead, what happened to the guards at the tomb?  
(A) They ran, (B) They became like dead men, (C) They fell on their faces and praised God, (D) None of the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ To whom did the guards first report the resurrection of Jesus?  
(A) The disciples of Jesus, (B) The chief priests, (C) The mother of Jesus, (D) The Pharisees and scribes
- \_\_\_\_ The fact that the guards had to be bribed concerning the events that surrounded the resurrection of Jesus proves what?  
(A) That the guards were asleep at the time of the resurrection, (B) That the guards had actually experienced the resurrection events, (C) That the resurrection had not actually occurred, (D) None of the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ After the resurrection of Jesus, what did the disciples proclaim on the following day of Pentecost?  
(A) That God had made Jesus both Lord and Christ, (B) That the church was established, (C) That Jesus was the incarnation of God, (D) The organization of the church
- \_\_\_\_ Why could Jesus give a commission to the disciples that they preach to all nations?  
(A) Because He had all authority, (B) Because He reigned over all things, (C) Because He was seated at the right hand of God, (D) All the preceding
- \_\_\_\_ To whom was the great commission to preach the gospel to all nations first given?  
(A) All the disciples of Jesus, (B) The eleven apostles, (C) Peter, (D) The church
- \_\_\_\_ What happens when one is baptized "in the name" of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit?  
(A) He joins in a covenant relationship with the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, (B) At the time of one's baptism, he is taught, (C) He is reminded that God is three, (D) The one baptized is to go forth by the authority of the one who baptized him

# FINAL REVIEW EXAM

## Multiple choice:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does the word “kingdom” have reference when used in relation to God’s relationship with the created world?  
(A) God’s reign over all things from heaven, (B) The response of men to the gospel, (C) The kings of this world, (D) The world kingdom of the church
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus say was the greatest that was born among women?  
(A) Adam, (B) Elijah, (C) Herod, (D) None of the preceding
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Who were the lawyers of the Jewish law?  
(A) Scribes, (B) Pharisees, (C) Sadducees, (D) Zealots
4. \_\_\_\_\_ What gifts did the Magi bring to baby Jesus?  
(A) Frankincense, gold and clothes, (B) Gold, frankincense and myrrh, (C) Myrrh, jewels and gold, (D) Silver, gold and clothes
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the one of whom it was prophesied that he would prepare the way for the Messiah?  
(A) Zacharias, (B) John the immerser, (C) Peter, (D) Jesus
6. \_\_\_\_\_ For what purpose did John baptize people?  
(A) Unto repentance for remission of sins, (B) Because of their salvation, (C) As an announcement of the Messiah, (D) All the preceding
7. \_\_\_\_\_ From where did the “kingdom of heaven” originate?  
(A) From the traditions of men, (B) From John the immerser, (C) From the prophets, (D) From heaven
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Which sect of the Jews denied the resurrection?  
(A) Pharisees, (B) Sadducees, (C) Zealots, (D) Scribes
9. \_\_\_\_\_ What did he mean when John said that the “ax was laid at the root”?  
(A) Trees were about to be cut down, (B) Rome was about to fall, (C) The Messiah would be crucified, (D) The end of national Israel was near,
10. \_\_\_\_\_ What must be the dictionary on defining the nature of demon possession?  
(A) Our personal experiences, (B) The testimonies of those we know, (C) The written record of man, (D) None of the preceding
11. \_\_\_\_\_ In Matthew 5, who are those who mourn?  
(A) Those who suffer the death of friends, (B) Those who endure hardships, (C) Those who grieve over state of sinfulness, (D) Those who are unjustly persecuted
12. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He said that His disciples are the salt of the world?  
(A) Their influence is that which will preserve the spiritual decay of the world, (B) Their teaching will guide people out of darkness, (C) Their living by Christian principles will give direction to others who are seeking the light, (D) All the preceding
13. \_\_\_\_\_ When Jesus stood before Pilate at the time of His trial, why did He not answer the slanderous questions that were made against Him?  
(A) Because they were true, (B) Because He knew His destiny, and thus knew it would be futile to answer, (C) He knew that His accusers would bring forth more slanderous statements, (D) Because He knew that slander comes from an impure heart, and thus cannot be answered
14. \_\_\_\_\_ What did the chief priests, scribes and elders do to Jesus while He was on the cross?  
(A) They were remorseful, (B) They repented, (C) They mocked Him, (D) They prayed for Him
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus appear to the disciples and why was the record of these appearances made for us?  
(A) To manifest that His body had not been broken, (B) Jesus wanted to console His friends, (C) Jesus wanted to continue teaching the disciples, (D) In order to prove the fact that He had actually risen from the dead
16. \_\_\_\_\_ What was Jesus’ real purpose in the miracle of the feeding of the five thousand?  
(A) To prove that He could do miraculous works, (B) To feed the people, (C) To manifest that He could create, (D) To manifest His compassion on the people

17. \_\_\_\_\_ By adding human religious traditions as requirements for obedience to God, what were the religious leaders of Israel actually doing?  
(A) Providing religious stability in Israel, (B) Encouraging obedience to the law of God, (C) Making the burden of obedience lighter for the people, (D) Adding to the law of God
18. \_\_\_\_\_ In Matthew 24, who were the ones who were taken?  
(A) The righteous, (B) Apostate Christians, (C) The wicked, (D) The Romans
19. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He spoke of the end of the age?  
(A) The end of the age of the Roman Empire, (B) The end of the world, (C) The end of His ministry to the Jews, (D) The end of Jewish dispensation in which He lived
20. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does judgment "in time" refer?  
(A) Jesus' coming at the end of the world, (B) God's judgment upon man at different times throughout the history of the world, (C) God's judgment in the past, (D) None of the preceding
21. \_\_\_\_\_ By focusing on their religious traditions, what did the religious leaders vainly do?  
(A) Worship God, (B) Help the poor, (C) Teach the people, (D) Bind their traditions
22. \_\_\_\_\_ In reference to the Law and the Prophets, what did Jesus say He came to do?  
(A) To add to the Law and Prophets, (B) To reaffirm the force of the Law and Prophets, (C) To reinstitute the Law, (D) None of the preceding
23. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus refer when He said that the dead should bury their own dead?  
(A) The spiritually dead burying their own dead, (B) The physically dead of the unbelieving world, (C) The families of those who lose one to physical death, (D) None of the preceding
24. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does the term "Son of Man" have reference?  
(A) The Messiah, (B) Jesus as the Son of God, (C) Jesus as the savior of the world, (D) Jesus as the son of Joseph
25. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus refer when He spoke of an old garment?  
(A) His teachings from old, (B) The Jewish traditions and Old Testament law, (C) The teachings of the patriarchs, (D) None of the preceding
26. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say He desired more than sacrifice?  
(A) Love, (B) Peace on earth, (C) Faith, (D) None of the preceding
27. \_\_\_\_\_ What is blasphemy?  
(A) Cursing those who preach the gospel, (B) Blaming God for our suffering, (C) Assigning the work of God to Satan, (D) Rejoicing in evil
28. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He said to the religious leaders that their house was left desolate?  
(A) Their own families were not spiritually minded, (B) They were not calling the Israelites unto the temple for sacrifices, (C) They had ceased fasting, and thus, spiritually died, (D) By their legalistic system of behavior they had stolen the temple from God as a manifestation of God's presence in Israel
29. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus use a sharp or direct message in Matthew 23 when He pronounced condemnation on the religious leaders of Israel?  
(A) Because such was the normal manner of His presentation of teaching, (B) Because He was angry with the money changers in the temple, (C) In order to stir up the religious leaders to take Him to the cross, (D) Because He was frustrated with the misdirection of the religious leaders
30. \_\_\_\_\_ What were the heavy burdens the religious leaders laid on the backs of the people?  
(A) The Old Testament law, (B) The Old Testament covenant, (C) The numerous interpretations of the law that were not a part of the law, (D) Contributions
31. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus have reference when He spoke of new wineskins?  
(A) His new teachings of grace and truth, (B) The reinstatement of the Old Testament law, (C) The reinstatement of the Old Testament covenant, (D) The teaching of the traditions of the church
32. \_\_\_\_\_ When the two blind men referred to Jesus as the son of David, what were they proclaiming?  
(A) That Jesus was the Son of God, (B) That Jesus taught the truth, (C) That Jesus was the descendant of David, (D) That Jesus was the Messiah

33. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the carcass about whom Jesus spoke in Matthew 24?  
(A) Rome, (B) The antichrists, (C) False prophets, (D) None of the preceding
34. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Moses give the certificate of divorce?  
(A) Because God wanted to restrict the reasons for which the Jews were divorcing, (B) Because the Jews were seeking for a reason for divorce, (C) Because no records were being kept for divorces, (D) All the preceding
35. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the benefit of fasting?  
(A) We focus on God's work in our lives, (B) We increase our self-discipline, (C) We build our self-control, (D) All the preceding
36. \_\_\_\_\_ What is one condition upon which one's prayer for forgiveness is granted?  
(A) Giving in secret, (B) Forgiving others, (C) The act of confessing our sins, (D) Fasting
37. \_\_\_\_\_ To whom did Jesus send the apostles to go first?  
(A) The house of Israel, (B) The Gentiles, (C) The Romans, (D) Those who were sons of Abraham by faith
38. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the abomination of desolation?  
(A) The Roman armies, (B) Satan's angels, (C) Demons, (D) False teaching by the Jewish religious leaders
39. \_\_\_\_\_ To what does the phrase "last days" have reference in the context of the events of Matthew 24?  
(A) The end of time, (B) The end of the Roman Empire, (C) The end of the Jewish dispensation, (D) The end of the world
40. \_\_\_\_\_ Who did Jesus tell the disciples not to fear?  
(A) Those who taught false doctrine, (B) The judaizing teachers, (C) The Roman government, (D) None of the preceding
41. \_\_\_\_\_ Who is able to destroy both soul and body?  
(A) Governments, (B) Angels, (C) God, (D) Ourselves
42. \_\_\_\_\_ In view of what historical event did Jesus give the commission of Matthew 10 to the apostles?  
(A) The end of the Roman Empire, (B) The destruction of Jerusalem, (C) His final coming, (D) The end of the world
43. \_\_\_\_\_ Who was the Elijah that was prophesied to come?  
(A) Jesus, (B) Peter, (C) Paul, (D) None of the preceding
44. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did David not sin when He did that which was contrary to the Old Testament law?  
(A) He sinned in ignorance, (B) His preservation as the king of Israel was weightier than the violation of lesser laws, (C) He sinned in a time of spiritual weakness, (D) He sinned with a repentant attitude
45. \_\_\_\_\_ What happened to the seeds that were sown among the thorns?  
(A) They produced a hundredfold, (B) They were revived, (C) They were trampled upon, (D) They were choked out
46. \_\_\_\_\_ Why could the religious leaders of Israel not understand the parables of Jesus?  
(A) They were ignorant of the Old Testament, (B) They did not understand the story that Jesus used to teach truth, (C) They were blind guides with hardened hearts, (D) All the preceding
47. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of leaving the tares in the field until the time of harvest?  
(A) God does not care about the tares affecting the good seed, (B) The tares cannot be identified, (C) The tares do not have an impact on the good seed, (D) God is patient, but will eventually bring judgment upon the tares
48. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the parable of the mustard seed?  
(A) The growth of the expansion of God's people on earth from a small start to a large world influence, (B) The preaching of the gospel to all the world, (C) The influence of evil throughout the world, (D) The judgment of God upon all the world
49. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He said of the religious leaders, "Seeing they see not"?  
(A) They thought that they were spiritually right with God, but they were blinded by their own prejudices, (B) They were blinded to the philosophies of this world, (C) They did not understand the purpose for which Israel was called out of the nations, (D) They could not see the miraculous works of Jesus
50. \_\_\_\_\_ By what did Jesus say we could identify false prophets?  
(A) By the hypocrisy, (B) By their teaching, (C) By their speech, (D) By their fruits
51. \_\_\_\_\_ What moves one to be critical of another in religious matters?  
(A) Recognition of one's spiritual poverty, (B) One's obedience to the will of God, (C) Self-righteous legalism, (D) One's inability to serve God

52. \_\_\_\_\_ Early in His ministry, why did Jesus not want His disciples to tell others about His miraculous works?  
(A) Because they did not understand His ministry, (B) He wanted people to come to Him for teaching instead of healing, (C) He knew that they did not understand the miracles, (D) The disciples did not yet understand His mission
53. \_\_\_\_\_ How did Jesus say one could commit adultery with a woman?  
(A) By committing the act of sexual immorality, (B) By looking on a woman in a lustful manner, (C) By divorcing one's wife, (D) All the preceding
54. \_\_\_\_\_ Before one considers the faults of others, what did Jesus say one must first do?  
(A) Pray for the one he sees fault in, (B) Be sure to understand all the sin in which one is involved, (C) Consider the sin in one's own sinful life, (D) All the preceding,
55. \_\_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus refer when He spoke of the narrow gate?  
(A) The fact that few will enter into obedience of the gospel, (B) Understanding what He taught, (C) Understanding that He was the fulfillment of Old Testament prophecy, (D) The difficulty in escaping the punishment of hell
56. \_\_\_\_\_ How does the healing of the leper in Matthew 8 define the nature of a true miracle?  
(A) The healing took place before witnesses, (B) The healing was instantaneous, (C) The healing was visible to the eyes of beholders, (D) All the preceding
57. \_\_\_\_\_ When did Jesus begin His reign over all things?  
(A) At the time of His ascension, (B) At the beginning of His ministry, (C) When His reign was announced on the day of Pentecost, (D) It has not yet begun
58. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He told the disciples to baptize "into the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit"?  
(A) He wanted this statement to be made when people are baptized, (B) He wanted those who baptized to exercise their authority for baptizing people, (C) He wanted the Godhead announced at every opportunity when people were baptized, (D) He wanted it reemphasized that when one is baptized, he is baptized into a covenant relationship with the Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
59. \_\_\_\_\_ What was the rock upon which the church was built?  
(A) Peter, (B) The fact that Jesus is the Christ and Son of God, (C) The apostles, (D) The prophets
60. \_\_\_\_\_ How does Jesus use the word "kingdom" when He speaks of keys of the kingdom that would be given to Peter?  
(A) The response of the people on earth to the revealed word of God, (B) Divine rule in heaven as it would be manifested on earth through the response of people, (C) The assembly of God's people, (D) The reign of Jesus on earth when He comes again
61. \_\_\_\_\_ What was taught when God spoke from heaven on the mount of transfiguration that Jesus was His beloved Son in whom He was well pleased?  
(A) Men should turn from the Old Testament law and covenant to listening to Jesus, (B) The Old Testament would continue, (C) Jesus was about to establish the church, (D) The disciples should be watchful for the leaven of the Pharisees and Sadducees
62. \_\_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He stated that the disciples should forgive unto seventy times seven?  
(A) There should be no limit to the number of times one should forgive, (B) One should forgive only seventy times seven, (C) Forgiveness should be conditional, (D) One should seek God's help in forgiving others
63. \_\_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus use little children to illustrate the nature of the kingdom of God?  
(A) Because of their purity and innocence, (B) Because they were stained with original sin, (C) Because they were totally depraved, (D) Because they were accountable for sin
64. \_\_\_\_\_ In response to the request of Salome for her sons, what did Jesus say would be characteristic of any who would be leaders in His kingdom?  
(A) They would maintain their authority over the flock of God, (B) They would be delegated authority to bind where God had not bound, (C) They would be known for their position, (D) They would be known for serving the needs of the flock of God,
65. \_\_\_\_\_ In response to the requests of James and John for positions in what they believed would be a physical kingdom, how did Jesus use the word *baptizo* to respond to them?  
(A) They had to be first immersed for remission of sins, (B) They had to be willing to be overwhelmed with the responsibility of leadership, (C) They had to be baptized in the Holy Spirit, (D) They had to go into all the world
66. \_\_\_\_\_ In the parable of the wicked husbandman, whom did Jesus ask to pronounce a judgment upon themselves?  
(A) The disciples, (B) The Romans, (C) The Gentiles, (D) None of the preceding

67. \_\_\_\_ In the parable of the two sons, who was represented by the son who would not repent?  
(A) The Roman government, (B) The Gentiles, (C) The apostates of the church, (D) The Jewish religious leaders,
68. \_\_\_\_ For what purpose did Matthew write?  
(A) To prove that Jesus was the Son of God, (B) To prove that Jesus was the Messiah, (C) To prove that Jesus was a great prophet of Israel, (D) None of the preceding
69. \_\_\_\_ To whom was Matthew's letter principally directed?  
(A) Gentiles, (B) Jews, (C) The church, (D) Theophilus
70. \_\_\_\_ What is the meaning of the name Immanuel?  
(A) "God delivers," (B) "Hope in God," (C) "God is with us," (D) All the preceding
71. \_\_\_\_ What did Herod the Great do when he discovered that he was deceived by the wise men?  
(A) He asked the wise men to return to Jerusalem, (B) He sent the wise men home, (C) He did nothing, (D) He killed all the babies in Bethlehem two years of age and under,
72. \_\_\_\_ What was the hope of Israel?  
(A) That they would be restored as a physical kingdom, (B) That the Messiah would come for their deliverance, (C) That they would be delivered from Roman oppression, (D) That they could once again choose their own king
73. \_\_\_\_ In the parable of the wicked husbandmen, how did God eventually bring judgment upon those who were represented as the wicked husbandmen?  
(A) Apostasy because of a lack of commitment, (B) Destruction by the Roman armies upon Jerusalem in A.D. 70, (C) The victory of the church over Satan, (D) None of the preceding
74. \_\_\_\_ What was symbolized by Jesus riding into Jerusalem on the back of a donkey?  
(A) That He was a servant, (B) His death to come, (C) His resurrection from the dead, (D) His royalty
75. \_\_\_\_ What is the principal meaning of the parable of the marriage feast in the context in which Jesus gave it?  
(A) The kingdom of heaven would be manifested on earth through the hospitality of the righteous, (B) Eternal heaven will be as a great feast among those who accept Jesus, (C) The Jews who were first invited rejected Jesus, and subsequently the Gentiles were invited, (D) Jesus will call all the righteous unto eternal life
76. \_\_\_\_ Upon what did Jesus say the whole law hangs?  
(A) One's obedience, (B) Faith, (C) Love of God and one's neighbor, (D) One's knowledge of the Son
77. \_\_\_\_ To what does the metaphor "weeping and gnashing of teeth" refer?  
(A) Remorse over that which one loses, (B) The literal grinding of one's teeth in agony, (C) Anger against the judge, (D) Anger against the righteous
78. \_\_\_\_ To what did Jesus refer to as the "weightier matters" of the law?  
(A) Mercy, Faith, Obedience, (B) Love, Obedience, Mercy, (C) Kindness, Love, Faith, (D) Justice, Mercy, Faith
79. \_\_\_\_ How can the Greek word *parousia* be translated?  
(A) Eternal, (B) Faithful, (C) Destruction, (D) Presence
80. \_\_\_\_ What did Jesus say would abound because the love of many would grow cold?  
(A) The preaching of the gospel, (B) The apostasy of brethren, (C) Lawlessness, (D) The strength of the Roman armies
81. \_\_\_\_ In the context of Matthew 24, to what did Jesus refer when He used the phrase "all the world"?  
(A) All the world of believers, (B) All the Jewish world, (C) All the Roman world, (D) All the physical world
82. \_\_\_\_ What is the problem of the one who trusts in the things of this world?  
(A) He has little faith, (B) He has insufficient material security, (C) He does not fast enough, (D) He does not pray enough
83. \_\_\_\_ After the destruction of national Israel, who would be those who would shine forth as the sun?  
(A) Angels, (B) Jesus and His angels, (C) The glory of the Father, (D) None of the preceding
84. \_\_\_\_ What was proved by the bribing of the guards who watched the tomb of Jesus?  
(A) That the guards had actually experienced the resurrection events, (B) That the guards were asleep at the time of the resurrection, (C) That the resurrection had not actually occurred, (D) None of the preceding

85. \_\_\_\_ After the destruction of Jerusalem, how would the righteous shine forth in the kingdom?  
(A) God would work miraculously through the church throughout the world, (B) The redeemed would be resurrected at the end of time, (C) The righteous would rule over the wicked in the new heavens and earth, (D) With the destruction of national Israel in A.D. 70, the church would be proved to be the people of God
86. \_\_\_\_ Why did Jesus say that Peter could bind truth on earth?  
(A) Because Jesus invested within him the authority to establish truth, (B) Because what Peter preached had already been bound in heaven, (C) Because the apostles as a group were given authority to establish the laws by which the church should live, (D) None of the preceding
87. \_\_\_\_ When did the kingdom of Jesus come to those on earth?  
(A) When John the immerser preached, (B) The beginning of the ministry of Jesus when He preached the kingdom of heaven, (C) It will come at the end of time when Jesus comes again, (D) When the power of God was manifested on earth through the giving of the Holy Spirit to the apostles on the day of Pentecost
88. \_\_\_\_ What was that which was Corban?  
(A) That which was set aside to be donated to the temple, (B) That which was donated to the poor, (C) Taxes to be paid to Rome, (D) Taxes the religious leaders had to give to the people
89. \_\_\_\_ In order to reassure John, what was one of the works that was told John's disciples to confirm that Jesus was the Messiah?  
(A) The gospel is being preached to the poor, (B) The gospel is being preached, (C) The kingdom of heaven is being preached, (D) The church had been established
90. \_\_\_\_ For what purpose did God allow demons to possess people before and during the ministry of Jesus and the early disciples?  
(A) Because Satan could not be controlled by God, (B) In order to prove that Jesus and His disciples had power over the forces of Satan, (C) To manifest the power of demons over the forces of God, (D) All the preceding
91. \_\_\_\_ In chapter 12 for what were the legalistic religious leaders more concerned than the healing of a blind man?  
(A) Seeking for a sign from Jesus, (B) The health of the blind man, (C) The keeping of the Sabbath, (D) The coming of the Messiah
92. \_\_\_\_ In the parable of the talents, to whom did Jesus have reference when He spoke of the unprofitable servant?  
(A) The religious leaders who rejected the grace of God, (B) The poor of the Jewish society, (C) The Gentiles who did not respond to Jesus, (D) The unrepentant wicked of the society in which Jesus lived
93. \_\_\_\_ What is the principal theme of the parable of the virgins?  
(A) Watch and be prepared, (B), The judge will be harsh, (C) There will be a final judgment, (D) None of the preceding
94. \_\_\_\_ What did Jesus mean when He said that "His time was at hand"?  
(A) It was time for Him to begin His ministry, (C) It was time for His crucifixion, (C) It was time to work His first miracle, (D) It was time to ascend to the Father
95. \_\_\_\_ Whom did Jesus say the disciples would always have with them?  
(A) Those needing healing, (B) Those of little faith, (C) Those who would betray them, (D) None of the preceding
96. \_\_\_\_ What happens when one is baptized "in the name" of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit?  
(A) At the time of one's baptism, he is taught, (B) He is reminded that God is three, (C) The one baptized is to go forth by the authority of the one who baptized him, (D) He joins in a covenant relationship with the Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
97. \_\_\_\_ Why did Moses give the certificate of divorce?  
(A) To shut the door of divorce on a people who were divorcing for many reasons, (B) In order to encourage divorce for any reason, (C) To offer Israel a reason for divorcing, (D) None of the preceding
98. \_\_\_\_ What was the real problem with the rich young ruler?  
(A) He could not sell his riches, (B) He loved both his riches and position, (C) His faith was weak, (D) He did not know the law
99. \_\_\_\_ What was the error of the rich young ruler in reference to his obedience?  
(A) He was responding to the grace and mercy of God, (B) He saw his obedience as insufficient to save himself, (C) He viewed his obedience as a meritorious justification for himself, (D) All the preceding
100. \_\_\_\_ What was the disciples' concept of the kingdom that would be established?  
(A) The restoration of the physical kingdom of Israel as it was in the days of Israel's glory, (B) A spiritual renewal of God's will on earth, (C) A time when Jesus would reign on earth after His final coming, (D) The church as the manifestation of Jesus' kingdom reign in heaven