## **Bible Trivia**

## 4/21/2022

Peter and the apostles were brought before the Sanhedrin after the resurrection because: (Acts 5: 27-32)

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- A. They wanted to keep the apostles safe from the mob.
- **B.** The apostles were not following strict rules about eating unclean food.
- C. The Sanhedrin suspected the apostles had hidden Jesus' body.
- **D.** The apostles were teaching Jesus' word in spite of the Sanhedrin telling them not to.

Answer: D

## 4/14/2022

On the cross, Jesus said, "My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?" What was the original source of these words?

A. Psalm 23 B. Psalm 22 C. Isaiah 55 D. Exodus 25

Answer: B

4/7/2022

(John 8:31-36)

"And the truth shall set you free," said Jesus, meaning free from:

- A. the rule of Herod
- B. misconceptions of Jesus' role
- C. servitude to sin
- D. the dictates of the Old Testament

Answer: C

## 3/31/2022

Six days before Passover, Jesus was reclining at dinner while his feet were anointed. This event happened (John 12:1-3):

- A. At the house of Peter's mother-in-law
- **B.** At his home in Nazareth
- **C.** In Bethany at the home of Lazarus
- D. In Jericho at the home of Zacchaeus

Answer: C

## 3/24/2022

How many women named Mary are there in the New Testament? Can you name them?

#### Answer: Six

- 1. Mother of Jesus
- 2. Magdalene
- 3. Mother of James and John
- 4. Sister of Martha
- 5. Mother of John Mark
- 6. Wife of Clopas

## 3/17/2022

## (John 10:11)

A good shepherd, Jesus said, will be so:

- A. adored by his sheep that they will lay down their life for him.
- B. concerned for his sheep that he will lay down his life for them.
- C. united with his sheep that they both will die together.
- D. skillful that neither he nor his sheep will have to die.

Answer: B

## 3/10/2022

Jesus said, "...how often I have longed to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings."

He was speaking of:

- 1. Bethlehem
- 2. Nazareth
- 3. Jerusalem
- 4. Dumfries

Answer: #3. (Luke 13: 34)

## 3/3/2022

Sarah's laughter at the announcement that she would have a son was followed by:

- 1. Laughter from God
- 2. Laughter from Abraham
- **3.** Laughter from bystanders
- 4. A dispute with God over whether she had laughed (See Genesis 18:9-15)

Answer: #4. The ensuing brief debate focused on the fact that with God anything is possible. The laughter also gave the parents a hint as to how to name the boy.

## 2/24/2022

## Where were the disciples of Jesus first called Christians?

Answer: Antioch. (Acts 11:26)

## 2/17/2022

## At the time of census conducted by Moses in the first chapter of Numbers, which of the twelve tribes of Israel was the smallest?

Answer: Manessah

# 2/10/22

According to Matthew 5:46, Jesus said you are doing no more than do publicans and tax collectors if you:

- A. Salute only your superiors
- B. Love only those who love you
- C. Lend only to those who lend to you
- D. Give only to beggars
- E. Answer: B Love only those who love you

## 2/3/22

According to the Spirit, in the latter times, what will some people not do?

- A. Depart from their faith
- **B.** Speak lies

#### C. Seek godliness

**D.** Forbid to marry

## E. Listen to deceiving spirits

Answer: C Seek godliness

According to the Spirit, in the latter times, some people will <u>not</u> seek godliness.

Explanation: The Spirit says that some will not obey Christ. Reference: 1 Timothy Chapter 4

# 1/27/22

## Jesus said that many are called but few are \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Answer: chosen

Jesus said that many are called but few are chosen. Reference: Matthew 22:1-14 "The Parable of the Wedding Feast"

The word "calling" is used several times throughout the Bible, in different contexts. In this instance Jesus is using the word "called" as an invitation. This parable is an analogy of what *we* have been invited to. An invitation to something more than a life lived serving only ourselves. An invitation to live a life together with Christ, serving God and experiencing the fulfillment that brings to life. An invitation to be Jesus' disciples, to follow in His footsteps. And ultimately, an invitation to spend eternity with Him!

# 1/20/22

# Jesus is our true priest and king. Who was the other priest king in the Bible?

Answer: Melchizedek.

Melchizedek appears to Abram in Genesis 14:18-20 as BOTH priest and king. Hebrews 7:2 translates the name Melchizedek as **"king of righteousness"** and Salem as **"peace"** so that Melchizedek is made to foreshadow Christ, stated to be the true king of righteousness and peace. Of course, Jesus fulfills both roles as the **true** Priest and **true** King.

# 1/13/22

Retracing her steps to the land of Judah ten years later, Naomi urged her daughters-in-law to stay in Moab for what reason? (Ruth 1:7-13)

- a. be sure of enough food.
- b. obtain husbands.
- c. avoid kidnapping along the way
- d. free herself of quarrelsome daughters-in-law

Answer: B - This answer takes care of the other three!!

# 1/6/2022

## Who is Stephen in Acts of the Apostles?

Answer: He was the first Christian martyr. He was also among the first deacons. Saul of Tarsus (later known as the Apostle Paul) watched as Stephen was stoned to death

# 12/30/2021

What is the shortest book in the bible? How many chapters and verses does it contain?

Answer: The shortest book is 3 John with only 14 verses and no chapter divisions. The letter is focused on those who treat church as though it were a human possession to be used as a political tool.

## 12/23/2021

#### Did you know there were two villages in ancient Palestine called Bethlehem? Which one was Jesus born in and what was the other one?

Answer: Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, not Bethlehem of Zebulun (Joshua 19:15; Judges12:8,10). The latter was about 7 miles NW of Nazareth and was later re-named Beit Lahm. (See footnotes in NIV Study Bible)

## 12/16/2021

## How many books are in the Old Testament? New Testament?

Answer: 39 in the OT and 27 in the NT. Here's how to remember.... Think of the equation,  $3 \times 9 = 27$ . Something to think about.

## 12/9/2021

## The twelve apostles included (Matthew 10:2-4)

## a two brothers

- **b** two sets of two brothers.
- c three brothers
- d three sets of two brothers

Answer - b - two sets of two brothers - James and John, Peter and Andrew

# 12/2/2021

## Which gospel is called the "I am" gospel?

Answer - John (this phrase is mentioned 29 times in John and only six in the other three)