

# BIBLICAL HOLINESS FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

## Review Questions without Answers

### What Is Holiness?

### Salvation and the New Testament Church

### Position and Practice

1. The terms “holy,” “sanctify,” and “spiritual” are translated from what Hebrew and Greek words?
2. About how many times are these terms used in the Bible?
3. About how many times is God called the “Holy One” in Scripture?
4. What are the two basic meanings of holiness?
5. What are four things in the Old Testament that were holy other than people?
6. In what way was the Nazarite holy?
7. How is Israel holy?
8. How can the believer sanctify the Lord in his heart?
9. What is the meaning of “peculiar people” in 1 Peter 2:9?
10. In what verse are “righteousness” and “holiness” used as synonyms?
11. What verse defines holiness as cleansing oneself from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit?
12. What verse says “be ye holy in all manner of conversation”?
13. What are five major characteristics of the church at Jerusalem?
14. What are two things that require church membership?
15. The Somerset Confession of \_\_\_\_\_ said that in admitting of members the church must “be careful they receive none but such as do make forth evident \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_.”
16. The Charleston Summary of \_\_\_\_\_ said, “None are fit materials of a gospel church, without having first \_\_\_\_\_ an entire \_\_\_\_\_ of nature.”
17. The Pendelton’s Church Manual of \_\_\_\_\_ said, “the only suitable materials of which to construct a church of Christ ... are \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, believing persons.
18. American Baptist missionaries in China in 1877 baptized 109 men and 60 women who had “\_\_\_\_\_ idolatry and given \_\_\_\_\_ of faith in Christ.”
19. In what way is the conviction of the Spirit seen in Acts 2?
20. What is a basic definition of repentance?
21. How is repentance described in 1 Thessalonians 1:9?
22. In what book and chapter did Christ preach repentance?
23. In what verse did Paul preach repentance to the Athenians?
24. In what verse did Peter say that God wills for all men to come to repentance?
25. In what verse did Paul say he preached “repentance toward God, and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ”?

26. The members of the first church continued steadfastly in what four things?
27. What are the two aspects of the believer's sanctification that are dealt with in Ephesians?
28. What are the key words in Ephesians 1-3?
29. According to Ephesians 1-3, what are five things that are true of the believer?
30. These blessings are "God's \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ."
31. The full price for these blessings was "Christ's \_\_\_\_\_."
32. What is the meaning of "redemption"?
33. What book and chapter says the believer is predestinated to be conformed to the image of Christ?
34. What book and chapter says the believer will bear the image of the heavenly?
35. What is the eternal plan of God and what verse summarizes this plan?
36. What verse says Christ is the firstborn from the dead?
37. What is a Christian saint?
38. What is the Greek word translated "saint"?
39. This word is translated in what other way?
40. Where in the New Testament is the term "saint" used for a special category of believer?
41. How can a believer be a saint when he is still a sinner?
42. What is the key word in Ephesians 4-6?
43. Why does Ephesians 4:22-24 say the believer is to put off the old man and put on the new when Colossians 3:9-10 says we *have* put off the old man and put on the new?
44. What three things must be understood by the believer?
45. In what hymn did Charles Wesley describe Christ's intercessory work for the believer?
46. What is the first theme of 1 John?
47. What is the term for believers that is used the most in 1 John?
48. What are the three levels of spiritual maturity in 1 John?
49. What verse says, "If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us"?
50. Where does the New Testament describe the gospel of justification and the gospel of sanctification?
51. What is the meaning of propitiation?
52. What debt does the sinner owe God?
53. How did Christ make the propitiation?
54. How did the mercy seat signify propitiation?
55. What is the Greek word for "advocate"?
56. What is an advocate?
57. How does John's 1st epistle teach that salvation is offered to all men and in what verse is this taught?

58. How does Isaiah 53 teach that Christ died for all men?
59. According to 1 John, what is the one key to walking in fellowship with God?
60. "There is a \_\_\_\_\_ cleansing of \_\_\_\_\_, and there is the \_\_\_\_\_ cleansing of \_\_\_\_\_."
61. What are three definitions of confession of sin from the textbook?

**Immersion in the Scriptures**  
**Protecting the Word**  
**Biblical Testing Mindset**

1. After salvation, nothing is more important for a life of holiness than becoming a serious, lifelong \_\_\_\_\_.
2. 2 Timothy 3:16-17 is at the heart of a major passage on what theme?
3. What book and chapter describes the believing home being filled with God's Word?
4. What verse says, "Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth"?
5. What verse says, "Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way? by taking heed thereto according to thy word"?
6. Why are the Scriptures called "holy"?
7. What is the Greek word translated "given by inspiration" in 2 Timothy 3:16 and what is the meaning?
8. What is the meaning of "plenary" inspiration?
9. What is the Greek word for "scripture" in 2 Timothy 3:16 and what is the meaning?
10. What is the Greek word for "scripture" in 2 Timothy 3:15 and what is the meaning?
11. What is the doctrine of "verbal inspiration"?
12. What book and chapter says the Scripture is given in the words which the Holy Spirit teaches?
13. "Any theology that allows for error in Scripture is gross \_\_\_\_\_ and can lead to spiritual shipwreck."
14. Scripture is profitable for what four things?  
Answer: Doctrine, reproof, correction, instruction in righteousness
15. What is the meaning of "perfect" in 2 Timothy 3:17 and how do we know this meaning?
16. How much Scripture is necessary to make the man of God perfect?
17. What does this mean for the individual believer?
18. Learning the Bible requires what six things?
19. What verse says the believer must learn how to rightly divide the Scripture?
20. What does "perspicuity" mean?
21. What is the Greek word for "child" in 2 Timothy 3:15 and what are three other ways it is translated?
22. In what book and chapter did Christ instruct Peter to feed His lambs and His sheep?
23. In what parable did Christ warn of things that can choke the Word of God?
24. What are the four things that He mentioned that can choke the Word?
25. What are the three elements of a biblical testing mindset?
26. List five verses that teach a biblical testing mindset.
27. What verse instructs the believer to bring into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ?

28. What verse says to beware lest any man spoil you through philosophy and vain deceit?
29. What book and chapter has a summary of the biblical testing mindset?
30. In this passage, what three things are weak Christians called?
31. In this passage, what two ways are the Scriptures described?
32. According to this passage, how does the unbeliever exercise spiritual senses?
33. In this passage, what term is used to describe a believer who is not a serious Bible student?
34. In this passage, what are the four ways that the skillful Bible student is described?
35. In this passage, the believer is taught to discern what two things?
36. In the study on this passage, what evidence do we give to prove that the Bible is the infallible Word of God?

**A Called Out, Pilgrim People  
Putting Off and Putting On  
Adding to Your Faith**

1. What two verses teach that those who are friends of the world and love the world are the enemies of God?
2. Christ is called what four things in 1 Peter 2:6-7?
3. What is the meaning of “precious” in 1 Peter 2?
4. How is Christ a Rock both to the believer and the unbeliever?
5. What is the difference in meaning between “stone” and “rock” in 1 Peter 2?
6. What does Peter mean when he calls believers living stones?
7. What verse says the believer is a new creature?
8. What does “peculiar people” mean in 1 Peter 2?
9. “Peculiar” is an old English word from what Latin word and what is this Latin word’s meaning?”
10. What word in 1 Peter 2 emphasizes that salvation is a present possession?
11. What is “the day of visitation” in 1 Peter 2?
12. What is the basis and source of faith?
13. What two things are meant by faith embracing the Word of God?
14. In what sense were the saints of old “pilgrims on earth”?
15. What two verses warn that those who are ashamed of Christ and deny him will be denied by Christ?
16. How can we see things afar off?
17. Why is God not ashamed to be called the God of those who believe?
18. What book and chapter exhorts believers to seek those things which are above?
19. To set your affection on things above is what Greek word and what is its meaning?
20. The “old man” is mentioned in what three passages (book and chapter)?
21. The “old man” is called what three other things?
22. How does one put off the old man?
23. What are five of these evil things mentioned in Ephesians?
24. How is the believer renewed?
25. What passage (book and chapter) describes adding to your faith?
26. What are the seven things that are to be added to faith?
27. What is the “bond of perfection” in the Christian life?
28. By what process in this present life can the believer be lifted into the sphere of perfect holiness?
29. Why is patience necessary in the Christian life?
30. According to this passage, what causes the condition of backsliding?

31. According to this passage, what two things happen when there is not diligent spiritual growth?
32. According to this passage, what two things are promised to the believer who is diligent in spiritual growth?
33. An abundant entrance into Christ's kingdom refers to what two things?

**The Godly Home**  
**Life of Adoption**  
**Soul Afflictions**  
**Hymn Singing**

1. The divine instruction for the Christian home are given to the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. What verse says God's intention for the marriage is "that he might seek a godly seed"?
3. What are the four major characteristics of a godly Christian home from Ephesians?
4. The husband's headship of the wife biblically is what type of headship?
5. The father is warned not to do what toward the children?
6. What three things does Scripture mean when it instructs the father to bring up the children in the nurture and admonition "of the Lord"?
7. What is the Greek word translated "nurture" in Eph. 6:4 and how is it translated in 2 Timothy 3:16?
8. What are three synonyms for "admonition"?
9. "Guide the house" is a combination of what two Greek words and what is the meaning of these words?
10. "Keepers at home" means that the chief \_\_\_\_\_ of the Christian wife and mother is her home and she should focus her \_\_\_\_\_ on this and not do \_\_\_\_\_ that would cause her to neglect it.
11. For the wife to be the keeper at home requires the \_\_\_\_\_ commitment.
12. The wife is to "submit" to the husband. What is this Greek word and how is it translated in Eph. 5:24 and 1 Co. 14:34?
13. What are two meanings of the wife submitting to the husband "as unto the Lord"?
14. How is this same thing worded in Colossians 3:18?
15. How many times is the husband told to "love" the wife in the key passage of Ephesians 5?
16. What are four characteristics of the husband's love for his wife?
17. What verse instructs the husband and wife to pay attention to their respective duties "in particular"?
18. The truth of eternal security always goes hand-in-hand with the \_\_\_\_\_ of salvation.
19. What are three evidences of salvation in Romans 8?
20. The Spirit is mentioned how many times in Romans 8?
21. What is the purpose of this emphasis on the Spirit in this passage?
22. The life of the Spirit consists of what three things?
23. What are two meanings of "if ye live after the flesh, ye shall die"?
24. What are the five terms in Romans 8 that describe the true Christian life in this present world?
25. Which psalm describes a wide variety of soul afflictions?
26. In all of his troubles, the psalmist does what?
27. What is the meaning of "my soul cleaveth unto the dust"?

28. What is the meaning of “a bottle in the smoke”?
29. What is the meaning of “my soul is continually in my hand”?
30. What pastor published the first popular Baptist hymnal and in what year?
31. Who was the most prolific female Baptist hymn writer?
32. What famous hymn was written by Isaac Watts as a children’s song?
33. What are the two major verses on congregational hymn singing?
34. What is a melody?
35. What are three characteristics of the singing congregation described in Scripture?
36. Congregational singing is to be directed to whom?
37. What group of Christians could join in with any hymn after the song leader started the first line?

**Dependency on Christ**  
**Looking at Christ**  
**The Old Man Cannot Be Reformed**  
**Living by Faith**  
**Being Filled with the Spirit**

1. Quote Galatians 2:20.
2. What verse says, “For it is God which worketh in you both to will and to do of his good pleasure”?
3. What verse says, “Whereunto I also labor, striving according to his working, which worketh in me mightily”?
4. Quote 1 Peter 5:7
5. What are the three major New Testament passages (book and chapter) on the purpose of the law of Moses and its relationship to the gospel of Christ?
6. What book and chapter refers to the royal law?
7. What is the royal law?
8. Why is it called the royal law?
9. What book and chapter describes the law of liberty?  
Answer: The believer is freed from the penalty of the law and serves Christ as a liberated son.
11. What verse describes being changed by beholding Christ?
12. “are changed into the same image” is what tense in Greek and what is the significance of this tense?
13. What are first two meanings of “the glass” in “beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord”?
14. In what verse did Christ say the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms concern Him?
15. What is the power whereby the believer can be changed into Christ’s image?
16. The Christian life is not \_\_\_\_\_ of the old man; it is \_\_\_\_\_ to the old man and \_\_\_\_\_ in the new man.
17. “Reckon” in Romans 6 is translated what three other ways?
18. The believer must \_\_\_\_\_ his position in Christ and \_\_\_\_\_ on it being true and act on it.
19. Quote Romans 10:17
20. Why is it impossible for unbelievers to have faith?
21. What passage (book and chapter) teaches that if men do not believe God’s Word, they will not believe through miracles?
22. In what sense was Abraham dead when he had Isaac?
23. What passage (book and chapter) says doubt is good?
24. In what chapters of Genesis did Abraham and Sarah doubt God?
25. What is the meaning of being filled with the Spirit?
26. What are two reasons we know that the apostles were not “drunk in the Spirit” at Pentecost?
27. Where in Scripture (book and chapter) do we see a connection between being filled with the Spirit and singing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs?

## **Pursuing God's Will Armor of God**

1. Where in Romans 12 do we see that knowing God's will is only for saved people?
2. What are four steps of pursuing God's will that are emphasized in Romans 12?
3. In what way does Romans 12:1 teach us that surrender to God requires full surrender?
4. Why is it reasonable to surrender one's life to Christ?
5. How does Romans 12 make reference to the church?
6. What verse says the church is the pillar and ground of the church?
7. What are three chapters in the Bible where we find the Great Commission?
8. What verse says every believer is an ambassador for Christ?
9. What is the Greek word for "conformed" in Romans 12 and what English word is derived from this?
10. What are five verses that teach separation from the world?
11. What verse says we are to have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness?
12. What book and chapter says, "Love not the world"?
13. What is "cultural liberalism"?
14. What is the name of Donald Miller's book on cultural liberalism?
15. David Foster says, "We won't be told what to \_\_\_\_ or commanded how to \_\_\_\_\_."
16. What is the title and author of 1978 book documenting the worldliness of evangelicalism?
17. The mind is renewed by what two things?
18. What passage (book and chapter) says the Word of God is the mind of Christ?
19. What verse teaches that every thought is to be brought into captivity to the obedience of Christ?
20. What is the Greek word for "transformed" in Romans 12?
21. Paul begins his study on the ministry of spiritual gifts in Romans 12 with what warning?
22. What are the two aspects of ministry described in Romans 12?
23. What passage (book and chapter) describes the whole armor of God?
24. What are the seven parts of the whole armor of God?
25. Why is the gospel of Christ the gospel of peace?
26. What verse says "faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God"?
27. What are four types of fiery darts of the devil?
28. What is the "helmet of salvation"?
29. What are seven elements of effectual prayer in the passage on the whole armor of God?

## **Submission to God's Chastening Abiding in Christ**

1. What is the major passage on chastening in the New Testament (book and chapter)?
2. What is the goal of God's chastening?
3. What Proverb is quoted in this passage?
4. What three things are involved in God's discipline?
5. What are three passages (book and chapter) that teach church discipline?
6. The "rod" is mentioned how many times in Proverbs in connection with child discipline?
7. What verse says Christ died "that he might redeem us from all iniquity"?
8. What verse says, "But as he which hath called you is holy, so be ye holy in all manner of conversation"?
9. What is the meaning of hands hanging down and knees feeble and feet turned out of the way?
10. What passage (book and chapter) describes abiding in Christ the true vine?
11. Who is the Vine and who is the Husbandman?
12. Why does God take away the branches that do not bear fruit?
13. Which of Christ's disciples is an example of this?
14. What are three ways that the believer abides in Christ and bears fruit?
15. What is the Vine's part in fruit bearing?