

2 Peter 3 Review Questions Answers

1. When Peter warned about last days scoffers, he began with an emphasis on what?
Answer: Scripture
2. What are “pure minds”?
Answer: Regenerated minds
3. How are the pure minds of believers stirred up?
Answer: By the Word of God
4. Why do believers need to be put in remembrance of the doctrines of God’s Word?
Answer: The frailty of the human condition
5. How does Peter teach that Scripture is verbally inspired in 2 Peter 3:2-3?
Answer: He uses “words” plural.
6. How did he put the Old and New Testaments on an equal plane of authority?
Answer: He mentioned the prophets and the apostles.
7. What are six things that arose in the 19th century in fulfillment of the prophecy in 2 Peter 3?
Answer: Theological modernism; humanism; unitarianism; Darwinian evolution; Marxism; Freudianism
8. How do we see in this passage that the scoffers will deny the global flood?
Answer: They say “all things continue as *they were* from the beginning of the creation.”
9. According to this Scripture, how are the scoffers motivated to deny God’s Word?
Answer: They want to walk after their lusts.
10. Scoffers boast in their knowledge, but Scripture says they are _____
_____.
Answer: Willfully ignorant
11. What opportunity do scoffers have at this present time?
Answer: God is not willing that any perish.
12. Why has God waited 2,000 years for Christ’s return?
Answer: He would have all men to be saved.
13. God wants all men to come to what?
Answer: Repentance
14. What is the “day of the Lord”?
Answer: It is the period of time in which God will judge the world and establish His kingdom on earth.
15. Why is it called the Lord’s day?
Answer: God will exalted and His will accomplished.
16. What prophecy of the day of the Lord describes the humbling of man and the exaltation of the Lord (book and chapter)?
Answer: Isaiah 2

17. What is the meaning of “perdition”?
Answer: Judgment
18. What passage (book and chapter) says the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night?
Answer: 1 Thessalonians 5
19. How does the fact that the day of the Lord comes as a thief in the night teach that the Rapture precedes the Tribulation?
Answer: The Rapture is not preceded by the events of the Tribulation.
20. What are eight great events that will occur during the day of the Lord and act as a countdown to the Lord’s appearing to establish His kingdom?
Answer: The Antichrist’s peace covenant with Israel; the seal judgments; the 144,000 Jewish preachers; the Two Witnesses; the fleeing of Israel; the Antichrist’s worldwide rule; the judgment of Mystery Babylon; the gathering of the world’s armies to Armageddon
21. How does Peter describe the destruction of the present heavens and earth?
Answer: They will be burned up.
22. Peter teaches that Bible prophecy should have what two affects upon the believer?
Answer: (1) It should produce holy conversation. (2) It should produce watchfulness.
23. What does it mean that the believer is to be “hasting unto” the Lord’s return?
Answer: He is to be enthusiastic about it.
24. What will dwell in the new heaven and new earth?
Answer: Righteousness
25. In 2 Peter 3:14, what standard of Christian living does Peter give?
Answer: Without spot and blameless
26. Peter called whose writings “scripture”?
Answer: Paul’s
27. This refutes what false doctrine?
Answer: The doctrine that the authors of the New Testament did not know they were writing by divine inspiration
28. In what two passages did Christ promise that the Holy Spirit would guide the apostles into all truth (books and chapters)?
Answer: John 14, 16
29. Peter said who wrote “some things hard to be understood”?
Answer: Paul
30. Peter said what kind of people wrest the Scriptures?
Answer: Unlearned and unstable
31. “Their error is not the product of lack of _____; it is the product of _____ of the truth.”
Answer: Intelligence - willful rejection