

## General Epistles Final Test Answers

98 Correct Answers

1.02 Points per Answer

### Hebrews

1. What is the two-fold theme of Hebrews? (2 answers)

Answer: (1) Hebrews is a warning to Jews who had professed faith in Jesus as Christ to continue in that faith and thereby show that they were genuinely saved. (2) Christ is shown to be superior to all things that the Jews put their faith in.

2. List three verses that teach that Jesus Christ is God. (3 answers)

Answer: Joh. 1:1; 14:9; Ro. 9:5; Php. 2:6; Col. 1:15; 2:9; 1 Ti. 3:16; Tit. 2:13; Heb. 1:3.

3. What verse says that if works are added to grace, then grace is no more grace?

Answer: Romans 11:6

4. What does “sanctified” mean?

Answer: Set apart for God’s purpose

5. What verse defines Bible hope as “sure and stedfast”?

Answer: Hebrews 6:19

6. What are two chief characteristics of a baby Christian according to Hebrews 5? (2 answers)

Answer: He is not skillful in the word of God. He does not have keen spiritual discernment.

7. List two verses that prove that Christ had no beginning? (2 answers)

Answer: Isaiah 9:6; Micah 5:2; John 1:1; Colossians 1:17; 1 John 1:3

8. What New Testament passage (book and chapter) says the New Covenant will be fulfilled in Israel when Christ comes?

Answer: Romans 11

9. What association do New Testament believers have with the New Covenant?

Answer: They participate in the spiritual blessings.

10. What does “propitiate” mean?

Answer: Satisfy a debt

11. What verse in the New Testament says, “by his own blood he entered in once having obtained eternal redemption for us”?

Answer: Hebrews 9:12

12. What verse says it is appointed to men to die once and then the judgment?

Answer: Hebrews 9:27

13. What verse says, “For by one offering he hath perfected for ever them that are sanctified”?

Answer: Hebrews 10:14

14. What is the willful sin of Hebrews 10:26?

Answer: To tread under foot the Son of God and count His blood an unholy thing

15. What does it mean to do despite unto the Spirit of grace?

Answer: It means to reject salvation by grace and believe in salvation by works.

16. The doctrine of eternal security cannot be disassociated from with the doctrine of \_\_\_\_\_.

Answer: Evidence of salvation

## **James**

17. What is the theme of James?

Answer: To bring individual believers and the churches into spiritual maturity

18. What is the key word in James?

Answer: Perfect

19. How does James define “perfect”?

Answer: Entire, wanting nothing

20. Paul refers to Abraham’s \_\_\_\_\_ in Genesis \_\_\_\_\_, whereas James refers to Abraham’s \_\_\_\_\_ in Genesis \_\_\_\_\_. (4 answers)

Answer: Salvation - Genesis 15 - Testing - Genesis 22

21. What is the first characteristic of the wisdom that is from below?

Answer: Bitter envying and strife

22. What are the names of two believers in the New Testament who were not healed supernaturally of sickness? (2 answers)

Answer: Timothy, Trophimus

23. In what book and chapter did Paul describe how he prayed for healing and God taught him to accept the infirmity?

Answer: 2 Corinthians 12

## **1 Peter**

24. What is the theme of 1 Peter?

Answer: The believer’s position as the elect of God and his life as a pilgrim in this present world

25. According to 1 Peter 1:2, what is the basis of election?

Answer: God’s foreknowledge

26. What verse says sinners are called by the gospel?

Answer: 2 Thessalonians 2:14

27. What is the meaning of “glory” in the sense of Christ ruling in His glory?

Answer: The splendor, beauty, wealth, and power of Christ’s kingdom

28. What is the Greek word for “rock” in 1 Peter 2:8? What does it refer to? (2 answers)

Answer: Petra - a projecting rock, a cliff

29. What book and chapter explains that the Jewish nation rejected Jesus because they refused to accept salvation by God's grace?

Answer: Romans 9

30. What verse describes the church as a spiritual house made of living stones?

Answer: 1 Peter 2:5

31. What is the meaning of "peculiar" in 1 Peter 2:9-10?

Answer: People owned by God for His special purposes

32. What are two passages that teach Christ's sinlessness (book and chapter)? (2 answers)

Answer: Luke 1; 2 Corinthians 5; Hebrews 9; 1 Peter 2; 1 John 3

33. What does it mean that Christ's return is imminent?

Answer: It can happen any time.

34. The doctrine of the imminency of Christ's return motivates to what three things? (3 answers)

Answer: (1) Pilgrim Christianity (2) Holy living (3) World evangelism

35. What is the meaning of "sober" in 1 Pe. 4:7?

Answer: To be of a sound mind

36. What two major things are required to defeat the devil defeated according to 1 Peter 5:8-9? (2 answers)

Answer: (1) Be sober and vigilant (2) resist steadfast in the faith

## **2 Peter**

37. What is the theme of 2 Peter?

Answer: Spiritual growth and protection in the midst of apostasy

38. According to 2 Peter 1, how diligently is spiritual growth to be pursued?

Answer: With all diligence

39. What are three things that Peter promises to those who pursue spiritual growth? (3 answers)

Answer: (1) Shall neither be barren nor unfruitful (2) Will never fall (3) An entrance shall be ministered unto you abundantly into Christ's kingdom

40. What is the meaning that the Scripture is not "of any private interpretation"? How do we know the meaning? (2 answers)

Answer: It means the Scripture was given by divine inspiration - this is the context

41. What is the meaning that Scripture "came not in old time by the will of man"?

Answer: The Scripture was given by God's Spirit

42. What is the meaning of "apostasy"?

Answer: To turn from the truth of God's Word

43. When did the apostasy begin?

Answer: During the days of the apostles

44. What is the meaning of "damnable heresies"?

Answer: Heresies that damn the soul

45. Scoffers boast in their knowledge, but Scripture says they are \_\_\_\_\_.

Answer: Willfully ignorant

46. Peter teaches that Bible prophecy should have what two affects upon the believer? (2 answers)

Answer: (1) It should produce holy conversation. (2) It should produce watchfulness.

47. In 2 Peter 3:14, what standard of Christian living does Peter give?

Answer: Without spot and blameless

48. Peter called whose writings “scripture”?

Answer: Paul’s

## **1 John**

49. What is the first major theme of 1 John?

Answer: The epistle was written to believers to perfect their fellowship with God and to increase the blessing of their Christian lives.

50. How is this theme made clear?

Answer: It is stated in the first four verses.

51. What is the second major theme of 1 John?

Answer: It was written to refute false teaching that was spreading in that day and to expose false Christians.

52. In what passage (chapter) is this theme summarized?

Answer: 1 John 2

53. What did John call the heresy that is commonly known as “gnosticism”?

Answer: Antichrist

54. What are three passages that teach that Jesus is the Creator (book and chapter)? (3 answers)

Answer: John 1; Colossians 1; Hebrews 1

55. What is the meaning of “propitiation”?

Answer: Satisfaction of a debt

56. The Greek word translated “propitiation” is used for what article in the tabernacle?

Answer: Mercy seat

57. How does John state that Christ died to make it possible for all men to be saved?

Answer: He says Christ is the propitiation for the sins of the whole world.

58. According to 1 John 2, how do we know that we know Christ?

Answer: If we keep His commandments

59. What does John call someone who says they know Christ but do not keep His commandments?

Answer: A liar

60. What is the Bible’s chief passage (3 verses) on this present world system?

Answer: 1 John 2:15-17

61. In what two ways does John speak of “antichrist”? (2 answers)

Answer: Antichrists plural - Antichrist singular

62. What are two New Testament passages that warn the believer to stay away from idols (book and chapter)? (2 answers)

Answer: 1 Corinthians 10; 1 John 5

## **2 and 3 John**

63. What is the theme of 2 John?

Answer: The necessity of standing in the truth and separating from error.

64. What was the elect lady’s dangerous situation?

Answer: She was in danger of being led astray by false teachers.

65. John’s love was grounded in what and defined by what?

Answer: Truth

66. What verse says the love of God is to keep His commandments?

Answer: 1 John 5:3

67. What is the meaning of “Jesus Christ is come in the flesh”?

Answer: Jesus is Christ and fulfills everything the Scripture says about Christ.

68. What is the theme of 3 John?

Answer: The support of preachers and the abuse of pastoral authority

69. What was John’s greatest joy?

Answer: That his children walk in truth

70. What is the name of the pastor who was abusing his authority?

Answer: Diotrephes

## **Jude**

71. What is the theme of Jude?

Answer: Apostasy and how to deal with it

72. What is “the way of Cain”?

Answer: The way of Christianity as a religion of works

73. What is “the error of Balaam”?

Answer: Covetousness

74. What is “the gainsaying of Core”?

Answer: Rebellion against God-appointed authority

75. How does Jude emphasize that Sodom and Gomorrah were guilty of homosexuality?

Answer: They gave themselves to fornication and going after strange flesh.

76. Enoch prophesied of what great event?

Answer: Christ’s second coming

77. How does Jude describe the doctrine of the imminent coming of Christ?

Answer: He says we are to be looking for Christ.

