

Revelation Chapter 2-3 Review Questions Answers

1. What is the four-fold application of Christ's messages to the seven churches?
Answer: (1) To instruct the particular churches to which they are addressed (2) To instruct all churches (3) To instruct individual believers (4) To give a general overview of church history
2. What is it about the Lord's message to the church at Philadelphia that makes us believe that the messages to the churches present a general overview of church history?
Answer: The message was not fulfilled in the historic church
3. What verse says that "evil men and seducers shall wax worse and worse"?
Answer: 2 Timothy 3:13
4. Why does Christ reveal Himself in different ways to each church?
Answer: He reveals Himself according to what the church needs.
5. How many promises does Jesus give to the overcomer in His messages to the churches?
Answer: 13
6. Of the seven churches, the two most prosperous were in what condition spiritually?
Answer: Worst
7. What verse says the preacher should "reprove, rebuke, exhort"?
Answer: 2 Timothy 4:2
8. What is a verse that says "a little leaven leaveneth the whole lump"?
Answer: 1 Corinthians 5:6
9. Why could Paul say that he was pure from the blood of all men?
Answer: He had taught them the whole counsel of God
10. What was the chief city of Asia in the time of Caesar Augustus?
Answer: Ephesus
11. What famous event happened in the ancient theater at Ephesus?
Answer: Demetrius stirred up the city against Paul.
12. What was the Roman name and Greek name of the chief goddess of Ephesus?
Answer: Roman Diana - Greek Artemis
13. What happened to the magic books at Ephesus after Paul preached there?
Answer: They were burned.
14. Ephesus is located today in what country?
Answer: Turkey
15. The church at Ephesus was established on which of Paul's missionary journeys?
Answer: Third
16. What chapter of the book of Acts contains Paul's final message to the elders at Ephesus?
Answer: Acts 20
17. What verse says we are saved "unto good works"?
Answer: Ephesians 2:10

18. What was the church of Ephesus's attitude toward false teachers?
Answer: They did not bear with them.
19. What verse calls the Bereans "noble" because they "searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so"?
Answer: Acts 17:11
20. What was Jesus' attitude toward the deeds of the Nicolaitans?
Answer: He hated them.
21. What does the term "Nicolaitan" mean?
Answer: To conquer the people
22. What sin does Jesus reprove in the church at Ephesus?
Answer: They had lost their first love.
23. Anything that is first in one's heart before God is an -----.
Answer: Idol
24. Leaving the first love is a characteristic of the ----- generation.
Answer: Second
25. What did Jesus threaten to do if the church at Ephesus did not repent?
Answer: Remove their candlestick
26. What three things was the church exhorted to do in order to make things right with Christ?
Answer: (1) Remember from whence they had fallen. (2) Repent. (3) Do the first works.
27. What is definition of repentance we give in the notes?
Answer: Repentance is a change of mind that results in a change of heart.
28. What are the two types of repentance?
Answer: (1) Repentance to salvation (2) Repentance for Christian living
29. Of the seven churches, which two were not told to repent?
Answer: Smyrna, Philadelphia
30. How does a person get spiritual ears?
Answer: By being born again
31. What passage (book and chapter) says that when man turns to the Lord in his heart that the veil of spiritual blindness is taken away?
Answer: 2 Corinthians 3
32. What passage (book and chapter) says, "Turn you at my reproof: behold, I will pour out my spirit unto you, I will make known my words unto you"?
Answer: Proverbs 1
33. What verse says the church is the pillar and ground of the truth?
Answer: 1 Timothy 3:15
34. Who is the overcomer?
Answer: The one who is born again through faith in the blood of Jesus Christ and who exhibits this in his life by his testimony

35. What verse says whosoever is born of God overcomes the world?
Answer: 1 John 5:4
36. Smyrna was a city that was famous for its ----- and -----.
Answer: Wine - drunkenness
37. In what sense is Jesus the “first”?
Answer: He is before all things
38. What was the main error of the Judaizers?
Answer: Rejecting Jesus as Christ
39. What was another error of Judaizers?
Answer: Teaching that salvation is by grace plus works
40. Which of Paul’s epistles is dedicated to refuting the teaching of the Judaizers?
Answer: Galatians
41. How many times is Satan mentioned in the Lord’s messages to the seven churches?
Answer: Six
42. What was the trial that the church at Smyrna had to endure?
Answer: Persecution by imprisonment
43. The city of Pergamos gave its name to what invention?
Answer: Parchment
44. What was the name of the idol that was worshipped in the most celebrated temple in Pergamos and what was its image?
Answer: Asklepios - serpent
45. In what verse is Satan called “the god of this world”?
Answer: 2 Corinthians 4:4
46. What was the name of the martyr at Pergamos?
Answer: Antipas
47. What is the doctrine of Balaam?
Answer: The doctrine that believers are at liberty to commit sin
48. What passage (book and chapter) says that the true grace of God teaches believers to deny ungodliness and worldly lusts?
Answer: Titus 2
49. What is the hidden manna?
Answer: The believer’s intimate relationship with Christ
50. Thyatira was famous for what product?
Answer: Dye made of the madder-root - Turkish red
51. What famous Christian in the New Testament was from Thyatira?
Answer: Lydia
52. What entire chapter of the Bible contains a description of charity?
Answer: 1 Corinthians 13

53. Jesus rebuked the attitude of ----- error in the church at Thyatira.
Answer: Toleration
54. This attitude is characteristic of the --- ----- movement.
Answer: Ecumenical
55. Why did Jesus call the female false teacher at Thyatira “Jezebel”?
Answer: Her wicked character
56. What verse forbids a woman to teach or to usurp authority over the man?
Answer: 1 Timothy 2:12
57. In what century did the Emperor Constantine join the church with the state and encourage the use of idols?
Answer: 4th
58. What passage (book and chapter) warns about the sin unto death?
Answer: 1 John 5
59. What two churches had no word of commendation from Christ?
Answer: Sardis and Laodicea
60. What church had a name that it lived but was dead?
Answer: Sardis
61. What is one verse that says the believers are to exhort one another?
Answer: Hebrews 3:13; 10:25
62. What did Paul mean when he exhorted the church at Sardis to “remember therefore how thou hast received and heard”?
Answer: Return to the New Testament faith and practice
63. What verse says the believer is elect according to the foreknowledge of God?
Answer: 1 Peter 1:2
64. What is the “key of David”?
Answer: The key to the eternal kingdom that God promised to David
65. What passage (book and chapter) describes God’s promise that the house and kingdom of David would be established forever?
Answer: 2 Samuel 7
66. What are the three main characteristics of the church at Philadelphia?
Answer: Little strength - kept my word - not denied my name
67. What is the “hour of temptation, which shall come upon all the world”?
Answer: The day of the Lord, the Great Tribulation
68. To be kept from this hour of temptation refers to what?
Answer: The Rapture
69. In what verse in the Gospels did Jesus mention the “great tribulation”?
Answer: Matthew 24:21

70. What New Testament chapter describes the Rapture as being caught up together in the clouds?

Answer: 1 Thessalonians 4

71. In which one of Paul's epistles in the New Testament did he mention an epistle he had written to Laodicea?

Answer: Colossians

72. What is the meaning of "amen"?

Answer: So be it

73. What verse says all of the promises of God in Christ are amen?

Answer: 2 Corinthians 1:20

74. What word did Jesus use to describe the condition of the church at Laodicea?

Answer: Lukewarm

75. What verse invites men to buy wine and milk without money"?

Answer: Isaiah 55:1

76. What verse says believers are made the righteousness of God in Christ?

Answer: 2 Corinthians 5:21

77. In what verse did Jesus say, "As many as I love, I rebuke and chasten"?

Answer: Revelation 3:19