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“But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and
his righteousness; and all these things shall
be added unto you” (Matthew 6:33).

Introductory Challenge

The *Bible Knowledge Test* is designed to challenge God's people as individuals and as churches about their level of Bible knowledge.

After 50 plus years of experience, I have concluded that though born again believers love the Bible as God's Word, oftentimes they remain ignorant of it. They might read it from time to time. They might even read it regularly, but they don't understand it very well, because they aren't Bible students and they lack the necessary training and tools for effectual study.

Having preached in more than 550 churches in 49 states and more than two dozen countries, I have observed that a great many church members are not serious Bible students. They don't write anything down during the sermons. Many don't even look up the passages that the preacher discusses. They don't have a serious daily Bible study habit. They aren't keen to obtain *and use* tools such as dictionaries, commentaries, and other study books.

There are exceptions, but most of the time when I have asked pastors, "How many of your people are serious Bible students," they reply, "Not many."

One independent Baptist pastor recently challenged his people to read the Bible one minute a day. One minute! And that is a church that considers itself a strong Bible-believing church. What a dishonor to God to offer Him a mere 60 of the 86,400 seconds of my daily schedule for His holy Word. What an incredibly shallow age we live in! No wonder so many "conservative" churches are moving quickly toward a contemporary stance. The foundation is mere shifting sand.

One fundamental issue underlying this problem is that so few *pastors* are serious Bible students. As a result, the people

aren't accustomed to learning much from the preaching and teaching. It is the pastor who is passionate about Bible study who can impart such a passion to his people.

The Bible is God's gracious, infallible revelation of Himself to mankind. It is the world's most wonderful, thrilling Book. One chapter is worth more than all of this world's gold and silver. It is in God's Word that we find salvation, the knowledge of God, and the will of God. In the Bible we find the past and the future. We find light to understand every aspect of life. We get wisdom, spiritual strength, and victory over the devil.

God reproves the believer who is not skillful in the Bible as a baby Christian, so this is no light matter. God says that every believer should grow strong enough in Bible knowledge that he can teach others. This means that the believer doesn't know Bible truth well enough until he knows it well enough to teach someone else.

"For when for the time ye ought to be teachers, ye have need that one teach you again which *be* the first principles of the oracles of God; and are become such as have need of milk, and not of strong meat. FOR EVERY ONE THAT USETH MILK IS UNSKILFUL IN THE WORD OF RIGHTEOUSNESS: FOR HE IS A BABE. But strong meat belongeth to them that are of full age, *even* those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil" (Hebrews 5:12-14).

This is why I often preface my messages by saying, "Folks, you don't know the message of this sermon or lesson well enough unless you can teach it to others. Don't sit there and casually listen and then forget what you have heard. Sit under preaching and teaching as a serious student of God's Word, as a serious disciple of Jesus Christ. Beseech God to give you something. Try to capture what the preacher/teacher has to say. Look up every passage. Write things down. Jot down

questions about things you don't understand and try to find the answers. Try to capture the essence of the message well enough to teach your friends, spouse, children, and anyone else you might be able to help."

This *Bible Knowledge Test* proves that a standard Bible Institute level of education is *the very beginning* of being of full age by the definition of Hebrews 5:12-14. To understand the Bible, one must learn the principles of Bible interpretation, Bible geography, Bible culture, Old Testament history, the law of Moses, the priesthood, the sacrifices, the tabernacle, the covenants, the life of Christ, Acts and New Testament history, Bible theology, defense of the faith (apologetics, cults, false teachings), Bible prophecy, and other things.

Becoming skillful in the Bible involves owning and knowing how to use tools such as a study Bible with cross references, a Bible dictionary, a concordance, the *Treasury of Scripture Knowledge*, and some wisely chosen commentaries.

We are not saying that it is necessary to attend a formal Bible college. Many churches today operate part-time Bible institutes.

Further, with the tools available for self study, a Bible Institute education is within the reach of most English-speaking Christians who are willing to do the necessary work.

We challenge every born again believer to take this matter seriously. Don't be content to remain weak in Bible knowledge. By remaining in this condition, you are missing out on the richness of the Christian life as surely as a child who never matures misses out on the richness of adult life.

Carve out some serious time in your daily schedule to study the Bible and the things of God.

If your church has a Bible Institute, find a way to attend.

If not, a good start toward a solid Bible education would be the *Way of Life Bible College* curricula, described in the conclusion to this book.

Jesus has promised that if we put Him and His will first, everything else in our lives will fall into its proper place.

“But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you” (Matthew 6:33).

Stop putting your business before God’s Word and God’s will, and you will be amazed at how much more spiritually rich your life becomes.

When I was a young Christian, I determined that I would never take a job that hindered my Christian life. I would not take a job that would keep me out of church or make it too difficult for me to spend time in God’s Word. By God’s grace, I never have taken such a job, and the Lord has provided every need and much more! That’s not “legalism”; that’s obedience and true discipleship!

Thousands of believers have the same testimony. It is a matter of the priority of one’s heart.

At the end of the *Bible Knowledge Test* we will give some suggestions for self study.

Take the time to examine yourself by the following test. Are you of “full age” or are you yet “a babe”?

Please understand that these are not advanced questions. They are very basic, in fact.

The Bible Knowledge Test - Brief

This section contains a brief selection of questions that can be used in situations when time is short. Answers can be found at the back of the book.

1. What book describes a man's view of life "under the sun"?
2. What chapter in the New Testament describes "charity"?
3. What chapter in the New Testament describes God's heroes of faith?
4. What is the major chapter that describes the believer's bodily resurrection?
5. Mesopotamia was located between what two great rivers?
6. What is the meaning of "from Dan to Beersheba"?
7. What river runs nearly the full length of Israel?
8. What large lake does this river run through?
9. This river flows into what sea?
10. What is the main purpose of the genealogies in the Old Testament?
11. What man did God call out of Ur to be the father of Israel?
12. In what book and chapter did God first give a covenant to this man?
13. What were the names of this man's first two sons?
14. Which son inherited his father's promises from God?
15. What was the first object in the court of the tabernacle after entering through the gate?
16. The tabernacle had how many compartments?
17. What covered the ark of the covenant?

18. What is the primary New Testament book that explains the meaning of the tabernacle?
19. Who were Israel's first three kings?
20. Name one godly king of the northern kingdom.
21. What pagan nation destroyed the northern kingdom of Israel?
22. What pagan nation destroyed Judah?
23. What two books of the Bible describe the rebuilding of Jerusalem and the temple?
24. Daniel lived during the time of what two world empires?
25. What Old Testament prophecy named the town in which Jesus was born?
26. In what verse did Jesus claim to be the way, the truth, and the life?
27. In what verse did Jesus say, "I am the light of the world"?
28. What prophecy described the piercing of Jesus' hands and feet?
29. What prophecy described Jesus' burial in a rich man's tomb?
30. After His resurrection, Jesus appeared to more than how many people at once?
31. What chapter in Acts describes the sending out of the first foreign missionaries?
32. What passage gives the complete gospel in two verses?
33. What verse says that all have sinned and come short of the glory of God?
34. What verse says the devil has blinded the minds of them which believe not?
35. What verse says the heart is deceitful above all things and desperately wicked?

36. What verse says that the wages of sin is death?
37. What passage says that salvation is by grace through faith without works?
38. What verse says that if the gospel is by works, then it is no more by grace?
39. What is repentance?
40. What is the meaning of "mystery" in the New Testament?
41. What does "Messiah" mean?
42. What is the Greek equivalent for "Messiah"?
43. What prophecy foretold the virgin birth of Christ?
44. What verse says all Scripture is given by inspiration of God?
45. What is the meaning of "grace"?
46. What is the meaning of "justification"?
47. What is the meaning of "propitiation"?
48. What is the meaning of "atonement"?
49. What is the meaning of "hope" in the New Testament?
50. What is a chapter in the New Testament that teaches the purpose of the law of Moses?
51. What was the length of a standard Jewish cubit?
52. What is the meaning of "quick"?
53. What is the meaning of "conversation"?
54. What is the meaning of "haply"?
55. What is the meaning of "to let"?
56. What is the meaning of "prevent"?
57. What is the meaning of "trow"?
58. What is the meaning of "wax"?
59. What is the meaning of "wist"?

60. What is the meaning of “wont”?

ANSWERS TO THE QUESTIONS CAN BE FOUND
AT THE BACK OF THIS BOOK.

The Bible Knowledge Test - Full

Introductory Questions

1. What is the main theme of the Bible?
2. The Bible was written by about how many human authors over a period of about how many years?
3. How many books are in the Old Testament?
4. How many books are in the New Testament?
5. Can you quote the names of all of the books of the Bible?
6. What books are in the Pentateuch?
7. Who wrote the Pentateuch?
8. What books make up the Poetical books?
9. What book describes a man who lost his wealth and his children?
10. What book describes a man's view of life "under the sun"?
11. How many Psalms are there?
12. What is the longest Psalm?
13. What are the first four prophetic books (not counting Lamentations)?
14. Which is the largest book of prophecy?
15. What chapter in the New Testament describes "charity"?
16. What chapter in the New Testament describes God's heroes of faith?
17. What book and chapter describes the whole armor of God?
18. What is the major chapter that describes the believer's bodily resurrection?
19. Who wrote the Prison Epistles?

20. Why are the Prison Epistles called by this name?
21. What occasioned the writing of 1 Corinthians?
22. What occasioned the writing of Galatians?

Questions on Bible Geography

23. Mesopotamia was located between what two great rivers?
24. What are two ancient countries that were east of the Jordan River?
25. What country is south of Israel?
26. What is the meaning of “from Dan to Beersheba”?
27. What river runs nearly the full length of Israel?
28. What large lake does this river run through?
29. This river flows into what sea?
30. In what town did Jesus grow up?
31. In what direction was this town from the Sea of Galilee?
32. Was Samaria a city or a region?
33. What direction was Samaria located from Bethlehem?
34. On what side of the Jordan River was Gilead located?

Questions on Old Testament History

35. What repeated phrase in Genesis 1 shows that it describes a literal six-day creation?
36. Who was Adam’s first son?
37. Who was Adam’s second son?
38. What is the main purpose of the genealogies in the Old Testament?
39. What are the names of Noah’s three sons?
40. What is an evidence today of a worldwide flood?

41. What happened at the Tower of Babel?
42. What man did God call out of Ur to be the father of Israel?
43. In what book and chapter did God first give a covenant to this man?
44. What did God promise for those who blessed or cursed this man?
45. What were the names of this man's first two sons?
46. Which son inherited his father's promises from God?
47. How many sons did Jacob have?
48. Which of his sons was taken to Egypt as a slave?
49. How many judgments did God perform on Egypt?
50. What did the Passover lamb signify?
51. What did the feast of unleavened bread signify?
52. What was the first object in the court of the tabernacle after entering through the gate?
53. The tabernacle had how many compartments?
54. What three main objects were in the first compartment?
55. What was the main symbolic meaning of these objects?
56. What was the main object inside of the ark of the covenant?
57. What covered the ark of the covenant?
58. What is the primary New Testament book that explains the meaning of the tabernacle?
59. What happened on the Day of Atonement?
60. How many years did Israel remain in the wilderness?
61. Why did Israel have to stay in the wilderness for so long?
62. Who led Israel into the Promised Land?

63. What tribes had their portion on the east side of the Jordan River?
64. What prophetess led Israel into battle?
65. What judge was told by God that his army was too large?
66. What judge pulled down a pagan temple and killed thousands of people?
67. What was the characteristic of the time of the judges which is repeated three times in Judges?
68. Who were Israel's first three kings?
69. What king was given a promise that his son would sit on Israel's throne forever?
70. Who was the first king of the northern kingdom?
71. This king set up idols in what two cities?
72. Name one godly king of the northern kingdom.
73. What king killed Naboth for his vineyard?
74. What was this king's wife's name?
75. What idol did this king and queen worship?
76. What prophet of God challenged the idolatrous priests on Mt. Carmel?
77. How did this prophet die?
78. What man did this prophet anoint to be his successor?
79. Who wrote most of the Proverbs?
80. Who wrote Ecclesiastes?
81. Who was Israel's king when Ruth lived?
82. What prophet saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lifted up?
83. Which prophet was an eyewitness of the destruction of Jerusalem?

84. What pagan nation destroyed the northern kingdom of Israel?
85. What pagan nation destroyed Judah?
86. Who was the king of this nation when Judah was destroyed?
87. How many years was Israel in captivity to this nation?
88. What two books of the Bible describe the rebuilding of Jerusalem and the temple?
89. What was rebuilt first, the city walls or the temple?
90. Who was the leader of the rebuilding of the walls?
91. What world empire existed in Esther's day?
92. What great king conquered this empire?
93. Daniel lived during the time of what two world empires?
94. About how many years were there between Malachi and Matthew?

Questions on the Life of Christ

95. Why are there four Gospels instead of one?
96. What empire ruled Israel in Jesus' day?
97. What Old Testament prophecy named the town in which Jesus was born?
98. What direction is this town from Jerusalem?
99. Who was the king of Judah who tried to kill baby Jesus?
100. Where did Joseph and Mary flee to escape this man?
101. How old was young Jesus when He questioned the rabbis in the temple?
102. How old was Jesus when He began his public ministry?
103. What was Jesus' first miracle?
104. What was the purpose of Jesus' miracles?

105. What were two characteristics of the pharisees?
106. What was a characteristic of the sadducees?
107. What was a publican?
108. In what verse did Jesus claim to be the way, the truth, and the life?
109. In what verse did Jesus say, "I am the light of the world"?
110. In what book and chapter did Jesus say, "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden"?
111. On what side of the Sea of Galilee were the cities located that Jesus cursed for their unbelief?
112. What chapters of Matthew contain the Sermon on the Mount?
113. In what chapter in Matthew did Jesus give a great prophecy of the future?
114. What book and chapter contains Christ's high priestly prayer?
115. What book and chapter contains Christ's teaching to Nicodemus?
116. In what garden did Jesus pray before He was arrested?
117. On what mountain was this garden located?
118. In what direction from Herod's Temple was this garden located?
119. What was the name of the judge who condemned Jesus to die?
120. What prophecy described the piercing of Jesus' hands and feet?
121. What prophecy described the soldiers gambling for Jesus robe?
122. What prophecy described Jesus' burial in a rich man's tomb?

123. What lie did the Jews tell about Jesus' body?
124. How many days did Jesus remain with the disciples after His resurrection?
125. What commandment did Jesus emphasize during this time?
126. After His resurrection, Jesus appeared to more than how many people at once?

Questions on the Book of Acts

127. What does the word "Pentecost" mean?
128. Those who were saved on Pentecost continued steadfastly in what four things?
129. Why is it impossible for churches to select apostles today?
130. Who was the first Christian martyr?
131. Who were the two disciples who died because they lied to the Holy Spirit?
132. What evangelist preached to the Ethiopian eunuch?
133. What chapter of Acts describes the conversion of the Ethiopian eunuch?
134. Paul was on his way to what city when he saw Christ and was converted?
135. What was his purpose in going to this city?
136. Who was the centurion who became the first Gentile convert?
137. What was a centurion?
138. What chapter of Acts describes a conference to settle the place of the law in the Christian life?
139. What chapter in Acts describes the sending out of the first foreign missionaries?

- 140. After Paul had a vision of a man who said, "Come over and help us," where did he go?
- 141. Who was the first convert in the city of Philippi?
- 142. In what city did a silversmith stir up trouble against Paul?
- 143. Paul preached on what hill in Athens?
- 144. What chapter in Acts describes this?

Questions on the Gospel and Evangelism

- 145. What passage gives the complete gospel in two verses?
- 146. What verse says that all have sinned and come short of the glory of God?
- 147. What verse says the devil has blinded the minds of them which believe not?
- 148. What verse says the heart is deceitful above all things and desperately wicked?
- 149. What verse says that the wages of sin is death?
- 150. What New Testament verse says without the shedding of blood there is no remission of sin?
- 151. What verse says the believer is made the righteousness of God in Christ?
- 152. In what book and chapter did Peter say that baptism is a figure?
- 153. What passage says that salvation is by grace through faith without works?
- 154. What verse says that if the gospel is by works, then it is no more by grace?
- 155. What verse says that whosoever believes in Christ will not perish?

156. What verse says whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved?
157. What is repentance?
158. In what verse did Paul say he preached repentance toward God and faith toward Christ?
159. What verse says that there is no name other than *Jesus* whereby men must be saved?
160. What book and chapter says that Jesus is the only mediator between God and man?
161. What book and chapter says that God would have all men to be saved?
162. What verse says the believer is an ambassador for Christ?

Questions on Bible Prophecy

163. What are one reason why Bible prophecy should be interpreted literally?
164. What is the first prophecy in the Bible?
165. What is the meaning of “mystery” in the New Testament?
166. What book and chapter describes the perilous times that will come because of apostasy?
167. What book and chapter says, “For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine”?
168. What is the main chapter in the New Testament that describes the Rapture?
169. What is one reason why the Rapture will occur before the Tribulation?
170. What does “Messiah” mean?
171. What is the Greek equivalent for “Messiah”?

172. What prophecy foretold the virgin birth of Christ?
173. What prophecy said that Jesus would be called the mighty God?
174. What prophecy describes Jesus as a lamb before shearers?
175. What is a New Testament passage that mentions the Antichrist?
176. Where will this man go to set himself up as God?
177. What Old Testament prophet gave the prophecy of the 70 Weeks?
178. How many weeks of years are left to be fulfilled?
179. What prophet and what chapter describe the return of Israel to her land in two stages?
180. What is the name of the place where the final battle against the antichrist's armies will occur?
181. What prophecy says the wilderness will blossom as a rose in Christ's kingdom?
182. What prophecy says the wolf will dwell with the lamb in Christ's kingdom?
183. What prophet describes the millennial temple?
184. What is the New Covenant?

Questions on Doctrine

185. What verse says all Scripture is given by inspiration of God?
186. What book and chapter says holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit?
187. What New Testament book and chapter warns about taking away from and adding to Scripture?

188. What verse says the Word of God is quick and powerful and sharper than any two-edged sword?
189. What verse says the Word of God is a light unto my feet and a lamp unto my path?
190. What verse says the young man cleanses his way by the Word of God?
191. What Psalm says the man is blessed who meditates in God's Word day and night?
192. What verse says faith comes by hearing and hearing by God's Word?
193. What does "Jehovah" mean?
194. How is this name translated in the Old Testament in the King James Bible?
195. What is the doctrine of the Trinity?
196. What is a verse that clearly teaches the Trinity?
197. What book and chapter teaches that the Holy Spirit is received "after that ye believe"?
198. What is the filling of the Spirit?
199. What does the name "Jesus" mean?
200. What is a verse that teaches that Jesus is sinless?
201. What is the meaning of "grace"?
202. What is the meaning of "justification"?
203. What is the meaning of "sanctification"?
204. What is the meaning of "propitiation"?
205. What is the meaning of "atonement"?
206. What is the meaning of "redemption"?
207. What is the meaning of "hope" in the New Testament?
208. What verse says we are elect according to the foreknowledge of God?

209. What are two reasons why you know that a true believer has eternal security?
210. What is a chapter in the New Testament that teaches the purpose of the law of Moses?
211. What book and chapter says that angels are ministering spirits?
212. What book and chapter says the devil is an angel of light?
213. What verse says the devil walks about as a roaring lion?
214. What verse says the devil is a liar and a murderer?
215. What is the difference between the natural man, the spiritual man, and the carnal man?
216. What book and two chapters describe these three types of men?
217. What verse says man has a body, soul, and spirit?
218. What is a book and chapter that says the believer is to put off the old man and put on the new?
219. What verse says, "Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace"?
220. What verse says, "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive our sins"?
221. What verse says the church is the pillar and ground of the truth?
222. What verse says, "I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp authority over the man"?
223. What is the main passage that describes the believer's judgment?
224. What book and chapter describes the Great White Throne judgment?

Questions on Defense of the Faith

225. What are two evidences that the Bible is the inspired Word of God?
226. Prove from Scripture that death does not mean to sleep in the grave.
227. Prove from Scripture that the New Testament believer does not keep the sabbath.
228. What are two verses that teach that Jesus is God?
229. If Jesus is God, why did He pray to God?
230. What are two evidences for Jesus' resurrection?
231. What are two ways that Genesis 1 contradicts the teaching of evolution?
232. What did James mean when he said, "Ye see then how that by works a man is justified, and not by faith only"?
233. How do we know that punishment in hell is eternal and that sinners aren't annihilated?
234. What is the Roman Catholic Church's teaching about the mass?
235. What is the Roman Catholic Church's teaching about salvation?
236. According to the Catholic Church, what is the first step of salvation?
237. How do you know that the Bible is the sole authority for Christian faith and practice?
238. What are three major Protestant denominations?
239. In what century did the Protestant Reformation begin?
240. What is wrong with infant baptism?
241. What is book and chapter that teaches that baptism is by immersion?

242. When did Pentecostalism begin?
243. What book and chapter teaches the purpose of the gift of tongues?
244. What was this purpose?
245. When did New Evangelicalism begin?
246. What are two major principles of New Evangelicalism?
247. Why is it wrong for Bible-believing churches to join together in ministry with churches that have different doctrine?
248. What are two things that are wrong with contemporary Christian music?
249. What is the main danger with borrowing some things from contemporary Christian music?
250. Why do you believe that Jesus was not a rock party guy?
251. What is one danger of using the music of the Gaithers and contemporary Southern Gospel?
252. What is the emerging church?
253. What are two ways that independent Baptist churches are in danger of becoming emerging?

Questions on Terms in the King James Bible

254. What was the length of a standard Jewish cubit?
255. What is a battlement?
256. What is the meaning of “quick”?
257. What is the meaning of “anon”?
258. What is the meaning of “bewray”?
259. What is the meaning of “bruit”?
260. What is the meaning of “chambering”?
261. What is the meaning of “concision”?

262. What is the meaning of “conversation”?
263. What is the meaning of “earring”?
264. What is the meaning of “fuller”?
265. What is the meaning of “haft”?
266. What is the meaning of “haply”?
267. What is the meaning of “hardly bestead”?
268. What is the meaning of “her hap was to”?
269. What is the meaning of “husbandman”?
270. What is the meaning of “to let”?
271. What is the meaning of “mess”?
272. What is the meaning of “noisome”?
273. What is the meaning of “pap”?
274. What is the meaning of “pate”?
275. What is the meaning of “pilled”?
276. What is the meaning of “plait”?
277. What is the meaning of “poll”?
278. What is the meaning of “prevent”?
279. What is the meaning of “shambles”?
280. What is the meaning of “signet”?
281. What is the meaning of “sod”?
282. What is the meaning of “sottish”?
283. What is the meaning of “straiten”?
284. What is the meaning of “trow”?
285. What is the meaning of “verily”?
286. What is the meaning of “ward”?
287. What is the meaning of “wax”?
288. What is the meaning of “wist”?

289. What is the meaning of “wont”?

ANSWERS TO THE QUESTIONS CAN BE FOUND AT
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Suggestions for Self Study

There are many Bible tools available today for self study.

Way of Life Bible College

The Way of Life Bible College curricula can be used for self study as well as for a church classroom context, home schooling, and Christian schooling.

Following are the Way of Life Bible College courses currently available or scheduled to be published soon. Unless noted, each of the courses has a textbook, a syllabus, review questions, sectional tests, a final test, and the test scoresheets. Many of the courses (as noted) also feature multi-media material (e.g., video classes, maps, PowerPoints). The syllabus, review questions, tests, and answer keys come as a free Course Material Download. Look for the green “Download Course” button on each course/book description/purchase page. You will find these pages on our website by navigating to “Books” then using the “Courses” filter button.

- Bible Prophecy as Light on the 21st Century (9 video classes, textbook 75 pages)
- Bible Separation: Its Doctrine and Practice (5 video classes, textbook 129 pages)
- Bible Times & Ancient Kingdoms (textbook 673 pages, PowerPoints)
- Biblical Holiness in the 21st Century (11 video classes, textbook)
- Bird’s-eye View of the Bible (17 video classes, textbook 250 pages)
- The Church: The Pillar and Ground of the Truth (12 video classes, textbook 421 pages)

- The Doctrine Which Ye Have Learned (textbook 503 pages)
- Effectual Bible Student (14 video classes, textbook) (new edition 2022)
- Effectual Prayer in Perilous Times (6 video classes, textbook 123 pages)
- An Evangelistic Church for the 21st Century (video classes, textbook)
- Evangelicalism and the Great Apostasy (scheduled for May 2025)
- Feed the Flock: Expository Bible Preaching (15 video classes, textbook 181 pages)
- Hand of God in World History (scheduled for the first half 2025) (textbook, PowerPoints)
- Highlights in Bible Doctrine (textbook, no syllabus, tests yet)
- Highlights in Church History (28 video classes, textbook 312 pages, PowerPoints)
- The History and Heritage of Fundamentalism and Fundamental Baptists (textbook 609 pages)
- History of the Churches from a Baptist Perspective (2 vol. textbook, PowerPoints, no syllabus, tests yet)
- Introduction to Bible Geography (3 video classes, PDF textbook)
- Jews in Fighter Jets: Israel Past, Present, and Future (textbook 555 pages, PowerPoints)
- Keeping the Kids in the Social Media Age (new edition Nov. 2023) (32 video classes, textbook 547 pages)
- Mastering the English Bible
Mastering the English Bible is a package that consists of 11 textbooks (totaling 3,000 pages), syllabi, student

assignments, review questions, tests, and test scores. Five of the segments also have video classes (Genesis to Silent Years, Job and Psalms, Prophetic Books, Gospels, Acts, 241 videos in total). These contain the lectures plus multimedia presentations featuring 7,500 maps, archaeology photos, Bible pictures, reconstructive drawings of ancient sites, video clips, and other visual aids gleaned from museums plus research trips to Israel, Greece, Turkey, Jordan, Egypt, and Europe. The course is divided into 11 parts:

- Old Testament History (90 video classes, textbook 477 pages)
- Job and Psalms (24 video classes, textbook 130 pages)
- Proverbs Ecclesiastes (textbook 176 pages)
- Prophetic Books (37 video classes, textbook 239 pages)
- Gospels (49 video classes, textbook 291 pages)
- Acts (42 video classes, textbook, 182 pages)
- Romans to Corinthians (textbook 304 pages)
- Galatians to Thessalonians (textbook 286 pages)
- Pastoral Epistles (textbook 279 pages)
- General Epistles (textbook 300 pages)
- Revelation (textbook 261 pages)
- The Pentecostal-Charismatic Movements (textbook 443 pages, PowerPoints)
- The Pornographic Age and Spiritual Safety (scheduled for March or April 2025, video classes, textbook, syllabus, tests)
- Pursuing God's Will (scheduled for 2025)
- Satanic Attack on Sacred Music (18 video classes, textbook 264 pages)
- Transforming Congregational Singing for the 21st Century

- Understanding Bible Prophecy (video classes, textbook 291 pages, syllabus, tests)
- Understanding the Bible for Yourself (25 video classes, textbook 341 pages)
- Unshakeable Faith: A Course on Christian Apologetics (textbook 354 pages, PowerPoint, no tests yet)
- Why We Hold to the King James Bible? (2023 edition) (video classes, textbook 592 pages, PowerPoints)
- Woman and Her Service to God (textbook 214 pages)

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Course materials (Syllabus, Review Questions, Tests, Score Sheet) may be downloaded for free. Look for the green "Download Course" button on each course/book description/purchase page. You will find these pages on our website by navigating to "Books" then use the "Courses" filter button.

Bible Study Tools

The following tools will pay great dividends if they are obtained *and used*:

- **BELIEVER'S BIBLE DICTIONARY**, www.wayoflife.org
- **TREASURY OF SCRIPTURE KNOWLEDGE**
- **WILLMINGTON'S BIBLE HANDBOOK** by Harold Willmington
- **THINGS HARD TO BE UNDERSTOOD: A HANDBOOK OF BIBLICAL DIFFICULTIES**, www.wayoflife.org

- **MOODY ATLAS OF THE BIBLE**
- **ROSE THEN AND NOW BIBLE ATLAS** (*the complete hard-cover edition*)
- **SATELLITE BIBLE ATLAS**
- **WAY OF LIFE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF THE BIBLE & CHRISTIANITY - PRINT EDITION**, www.wayoflife.org
- **SWORDSEARCHER**
- **OLIVE TREE BIBLE SOFTWARE**

Concluding Challenge

We challenge each child of God to get serious about Bible study. Find a way to carve out an hour each day to devote to God's holy Word. Yes, I am talking about getting serious! Where there is a will, God will help you make a way.

Spend the first half hour reading the Bible with a systematic annual plan, then spend a half hour or more studying the courses previously described.

It might work out best to separate the Bible reading from the study time, such as having the Bible reading in the morning and the Bible course study time in another part of the day.

If you establish a habit of daily Bible study and make a commitment before God to persist, you will be amazed at the progress you make as the months pass. The Bible will become more of an open book, and your relationship with God and usefulness for God will reach new heights.

You will never regret it. It will not only benefit your own life, but that of your family and church and other lives that you touch.

Bible study is the renewal of the mind process that transforms the life.

“And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what *is* that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God” (Romans 12:2).

Answers to Bible Knowledge Test Brief

1. Ecclesiastes
2. 1 Cor. 13
3. Heb. 11
4. 1 Cor. 15
5. Tigris and Euphrates
6. From the north to the south parts of the country
7. The Jordan
8. Galilee
9. Dead Sea
10. To show the genealogy of Jesus Christ
11. Abraham
12. Gen. 12
13. Ishmael and Isaac
14. Isaac
15. The altar of sacrifice
16. Two
17. The mercy seat
18. Hebrews
19. Saul, David, Solomon
20. There were no godly kings in the north
21. Assyria
22. Babylon
23. Ezra and Nehemiah
24. Babylon and Persia
25. Micah 5:2

26. John 14:6
27. John 8:12
28. Psa. 22
29. Isa. 53
30. 500
31. Acts 13
32. 1 Cor. 15:3-4
33. Rom. 3:23
34. 2 Cor. 4:4
35. Jer. 17:9
36. Rom. 6:23
37. Eph. 2:8-9
38. Rom. 11:6
39. A change of mind that results in a change of life
40. Something hidden in the Old Testament times and revealed in the New Testament
41. Anointed
42. Christ
43. Isa. 7:14
44. 2 Tim. 3:16
45. The free, unmerited favor of God
46. Declared righteous because of Christ's sacrifice
47. Satisfaction of a debt
48. To purchase
49. The certainty of salvation
50. Rom. 3, or 2 Cor. 3, or Gal. 3
51. 18 inches

- 52. Living
- 53. Manner of life
- 54. Perhaps
- 55. To hinder
- 56. To go before
- 57. To think
- 58. To increase, grow
- 59. To know
- 60. To be in the habit of doing

Answers to Bible Knowledge Test Full

Introductory Questions

1. Salvation in Jesus Christ
2. 40 authors - 1,600 years
3. 39
4. 27
5. (Yes) or (No)
6. Genesis - Deuteronomy
7. Moses
8. Job - Ecclesiastes
9. Job
10. Ecclesiastes
11. 150
12. 119
13. Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, Daniel
14. Isaiah
15. 1 Cor. 13
16. Heb. 11
17. Eph. 6
18. 1 Cor. 15
19. Paul
20. Paul wrote them while in prison in Rome
21. The church's sins and errors
22. False teaching about the gospel

Questions on Bible Geography

- 23. Tigris and Euphrates
- 24. Moab, Edom, Ammon
- 25. Egypt
- 26. From the north to the south parts of the country
- 27. The Jordan
- 28. Galilee
- 29. Dead Sea
- 30. Nazareth
- 31. West
- 32. Both
- 33. North
- 34. East

Questions on Old Testament History

- 35. “the evening and the morning”
- 36. Cain
- 37. Abel
- 38. To show the genealogy of Christ
- 39. Shem, Ham, Jephath
- 40. Sedimentary rock layers throughout the world
- 41. God multiplied the human languages
- 42. Abraham
- 43. Gen. 12
- 44. To bless those who bless him and curse those who curse him
- 45. Ishmael and Isaac

46. Isaac
47. 12
48. Joseph
49. 10
50. Christ's death for man's sin
51. Putting sin out of the life after salvation
52. The altar of sacrifice
53. Two
54. Candlestick, altar of incense, table of shewbread
55. Christ as light, high priest, and bread
56. The tablet containing the law
57. The mercy seat
58. Hebrews
59. The high priest went into the holy of holies and made atonement for the nation
60. 40
61. Israel did not believe God and refused to enter the land
62. Joshua
63. Gad, Reuben, and the half tribe of Manassah
64. Deborah
65. Gideon
66. Samson
67. Every man did that which was right in his own eyes
68. Saul, David, Solomon
69. David
70. Jeroboam
71. Bethel and Dan

- 72. There were no godly kings in the north
- 73. Ahab
- 74. Jezebel
- 75. Baal
- 76. Elijah
- 77. He did not die but went to heaven in a fiery chariot
- 78. Elisha
- 79. Solomon
- 80. Solomon
- 81. There was no king then
- 82. Isaiah
- 83. Jeremiah
- 84. Assyria
- 85. Babylon
- 86. Nebuchadnezzar
- 87. 70
- 88. Ezra and Nehemiah
- 89. the temple
- 90. Nehemiah
- 91. Persia
- 92. Alexander
- 93. Babylon and Persia
- 94. 400

Questions on The Life Of Christ

- 95. They give a four-fold view of Christ
- 96. Rome

- 97. Micah 5:2
- 98. South
- 99. Herod
- 100. Egypt
- 101. 12
- 102. 30
- 103. Turning water into wine
- 104. To show that He was the Messiah
- 105. They were self-righteous and added their tradition to God's Word
- 106. They did not believe in the resurrection or in angels
- 107. A tax collector
- 108. John 14:6
- 109. John 8:12
- 110. Matthew 11
- 111. North
- 112. Matthew 5-7
- 113. Matthew 24
- 114. John 17
- 115. John 3
- 116. Gethsemane
- 117. Mt. of Olives
- 118. East
- 119. Pilate
- 120. Psa. 22
- 121. Psa. 22
- 122. Isa. 53

- 123. That the disciples stole it
- 124. 40
- 125. To go into all the world and preach the gospel
- 126. 500

Questions on The Book Of Acts

- 127. 50
- 128. Apostles doctrine, fellowship, breaking of bread, and prayers
- 129. No one is an eyewitness of Christ's life and resurrection
- 130. Stephen
- 131. Ananias and Sapphira
- 132. Philip
- 133. Acts 8
- 134. Damascus
- 135. To persecute the believers
- 136. Cornelius
- 137. He was over 100 soldiers in the Roman army
- 138. Acts 15
- 139. Acts 13
- 140. Macedonia
- 141. Lydia
- 142. Ephesus
- 143. Mars
- 144. Acts 17

Questions on The Gospel And Evangelism

- 145. 1 Cor. 15:3-4

- 146. Rom. 3:23
- 147. 2 Cor. 4:4
- 148. Jer. 17:9
- 149. Rom. 6:23
- 150. Heb. 9:22
- 151. 2 Cor. 5:21
- 152. 1 Pet. 3
- 153. Eph. 2:8-9
- 154. Rom. 11:6
- 155. Jn. 3:16
- 156. Rom. 10:13
- 157. A change of mind that results in a change of life
- 158. Acts 20:21
- 159. Acts 4:12
- 160. 1 Tim. 2
- 161. 1 Tim. 2
- 162. 2 Cor. 5:20

Questions on Bible Prophecy

- 163. (1) It has been fulfilled literally so far (2) If not interpreted literally we have no way to know what it means
- 164. Gen. 3:15 enmity between Eve's seed and the serpent's
- 165. Something hidden in the Old Testament times and revealed in the New Testament
- 166. 2 Tim. 3
- 167. 2 Tim. 4
- 168. 1 Thess. 4

- 169. (1) The Tribulation is not for the churches but pertains to the world and Israel (2) the Rapture is imminent, meaning it is not preceded by the signs that will happen in the Tribulation
- 170. Anointed
- 171. Christ
- 172. Isaiah 7:14
- 173. Isaiah 9:6
- 174. Isaiah 53
- 175. Mat. 24; 2 Thess. 2; 1 John 2; Rev. 13
- 176. The Jewish temple
- 177. Daniel 9
- 178. One
- 179. Ezek. 37
- 180. Armageddon
- 181. Isaiah 35
- 182. Isaiah 11
- 183. Ezekiel
- 184. The covenant God will make with Israel when she is converted

Questions on Doctrine

- 185. 2 Tim. 3:16
- 186. 2 Pet. 1
- 187. Rev. 22
- 188. Heb. 4:12
- 189. Psalms 119:105
- 190. Psalms 119:9

- 191. Psa. 1
- 192. Rom. 10:17
- 193. The faithful, promise-keeping God
- 194. LORD
- 195. There is one God in three Persons, Father, Son, and Spirit
- 196. Mat. 28:19; 2 Cor. 13:14; 1 John 5:7
- 197. Eph. 1
- 198. Being under the control of the Spirit
- 199. Saviour
- 200. 2 Cor. 5:21; 1 Pet. 2:22; 1 Jn. 3:5; Heb. 4:15; 7:26
- 201. The free, unmerited favor of God
- 202. Declared righteous because of Christ's sacrifice
- 203. Holy, set apart to God
- 204. Satisfaction of a debt
- 205. To make one, to reconcile
- 206. To purchase
- 207. The certainty of salvation
- 208. 1 Pet. 1:2
- 209. (1) God's promises such as John 3:16 (2) Christ paid for all our sin
- 210. Rom. 3; 2 Cor. 3; Gal. 3
- 211. Heb. 1
- 212. 2 Cor. 11
- 213. 1 Pet. 5:8
- 214. Jn. 8:44

- 215. The natural man is unsaved; the spiritual man is saved and walking after the Spirit; the carnal man is saved but walking after the flesh
- 216. 1 Cor. 1-2
- 217. 1 Thess. 5:23
- 218. Eph. 4; Col. 3
- 219. Heb. 4:16
- 220. 1 Jn. 1:9
- 221. 1 Tim. 3:15
- 222. 1 Tim. 2:12
- 223. 1 Cor. 3
- 224. Rev. 20

Questions on Defense of the Faith

- 225. (1) fulfilled prophecy (2) unity of doctrine (3) candor of the writers (4) indestructibility (5) scientific accuracy
- 226. (1) Paul said absent from the body is present with the Lord (2 Cor. 5:8) (2) Peter said death is putting off the tabernacle of the body (2 Pet. 1:14) (3) Those who are dead will come from heaven with Jesus (1 Thess. 4:14) (4) James taught that the body dies not the spirit (Jam. 2:26)
- 227. (1) The sabbath is a sign between God and Israel (Ex. 31) (2) Paul taught that we are not to be judged about the sabbath (Col. 2)
- 228. Mat. 1:23; Acts 20:28; John 1:1; Phil. 2:6; Col. 1:15; 2:9; 1 Tim. 1:15-17; 2 Tim. 3:16; Heb. 1:3; Titus 2:13; 1 John 3:16
- 229. He is the Son of God and He came as God's Servant
- 230. (1) The empty tomb (2) the eyewitnesses

- 231. (1) Genesis says everything was made in 6 days (2) Genesis says everything was made to reproduce after its own kind (3) Genesis 1 says man is made in God's image
- 232. Works is the evidence of saving faith
- 233. Mat. 25:46; Rev. 14:10; 20:10
- 234. It is the actual body and blood of Christ
- 235. Salvation is by grace plus sacraments and works.
- 236. Baptism
- 237. It is able to make the man of God perfect, so nothing else is needed 2 Tim. 3:16-17
- 238. Lutheran, Methodist, Episcopalian, Presbyterian
- 239. 1500s
- 240. It has no Scriptural authority
- 241. John 3; Acts 8; Romans 6
- 242. Early 20th century
- 243. 1 Cor. 14
- 244. A sign to the Jews
- 245. 1940s
- 246. Two of the following: (1) Rejection of separation (2) Judge not (3) Be positive
- 247. One of the following: (1) The Bible says we should separate from error (Rom. 16:17), (2) The Bible says we should have one mind (Rom. 15:6; 1 Cor. 1:10)
- 248. Two of the following: (1) CCM music is worldly, (2) CCM promotes ecumenism, (3) CCM music mostly comes from the charismatic movement
- 249. By borrowing one builds bridges to the one-world church

- 250. One of the following: (1) We don't see rock parties in the Gospels and Acts, (2) Jesus is holy and separate from sinners (Heb. 7:26), (3) We don't see rock parties in Revelation's description of heaven
- 251. One of the following: (1) It builds bridges to their ecumenical world, (2) It is worldly music that creates an appetite for worldly music
- 252. It refers to churches that want to adapt to the new times; they are emerging with the times
- 253. Two of the following: (1) By giving up on separation or by not emphasizing separation, (2) by using contemporary music, (3) by not being properly educated about errors and spiritual dangers we are facing today, (4) by not liking clear warning and reproof, (5) by adopting the "judge not" philosophy, (6) by biblical ignorance

Questions on Terms in the King James Bible

- 254. 18 inches
- 255. A wall around the edge of a roof
- 256. Living
- 257. Immediately
- 258. Reveal
- 259. Report, sound out
- 260. Immorality
- 261. Circumcision, Jew
- 262. Manner of life
- 263. Plowing
- 264. Washer of clothes
- 265. Handle of a tool

- 266. Perhaps
- 267. Badly treated
- 268. She happened to
- 269. Farmer
- 270. To allow
- 271. Portion of food
- 272. Grievous, destructive
- 273. Breast
- 274. Forehead
- 275. Pealed
- 276. Braid
- 277. Cut
- 278. Go before
- 279. Marketplace
- 280. A seal indicating ownership
- 281. To cook, boil
- 282. Drunken, foolish
- 283. To restrict
- 284. To believe
- 285. Truly
- 286. Prison, custody
- 287. Grow, increase
- 288. Know
- 289. In the habit of doing