



2009 CDI Sunday School Convention  
 Youth Quiz Bowl  
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**2009 District Conference/Sunday School Convention/Youth Expo/Leadership Training  
 Conference Theme:**

***“Cincinnati-Dayton-Indianapolis District: Moving from Effectiveness to Greatness”***

Thank you for participating in the Dayton, Cincinnati, and Indianapolis District Conference Sunday School Convention Quiz Bowl. Through this competition it is our hope that you not only learn but also enjoy the camaraderie between the other youth of the Christian Methodist Episcopal Connection. Below you will find the registration form, Rules and Regulations, code of conduct, as well as the Study Questions for this competition.

Once again thank you for your consent to participate in the 2009 Youth Quiz Bowl.

In Him,

Sunday School Convention Quiz Bowl Committee

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 Return this form to announce your intentions. We must have a complete list of participants, sponsors and alternates.

Your Church Name and Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Sponsor, Coach or Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

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Quiz Bowl Team members and Alternates:

Captain: \_\_\_\_\_

Member: \_\_\_\_\_

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Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate: \_\_\_\_\_

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We have coached, learned and will adhere to the Rules, Regulations and Code of Conduct

## 1. Rules and Regulations: [CDI Rules]

You will have registered all participants and alternates with no add-ins the day of the Convention. The CDI Quiz Bowl teams will have one of the two sponsors/coach/representatives available during the competition. Also, each team will have four official members and two alternates for the competition.

Depending upon number of registered and present teams we will have a bracket of competitions and the CDI Quiz Bowl Champion will be the one team with the highest points at the end of the final round. There is only a continuous winner's bracket. One team will be declared the champion. This team will be awarded at the end of the day.

The quiz master, to be named, will serve as judge for this competition. He or she will make all final decisions regarding questions and scoring. The quiz master will maintain possession of individual round questions before each match-up. The Specific Quiz Bowl questions will be distributed to the team sponsors and scorekeepers as to keep knowledge of how well each team is doing throughout each match-up. The questions will then be returned to the quiz master following the final question and complete scoring of the round.

Each church may recruit and train their team on ALL questions. During competition sponsors/coaches may move players as needed to fill vacancies. (i.e. needs to leave for other CDI Sunday School Convention competitions). Therefore, it is very important to have all participants and alternates on your roster and available to compete when called upon.

Sponsors/Coaches are to provide name cards so that the quiz master may call on students by name and church.

## 2. Rules and Regulations: [General Competition Rules]

Each contest features two teams of up to five players. Each team is to have one captain's who must participate in all the rounds. To be an eligible contestant the youth must be 12 years old up to 17 years of age.

Each contest will consist of two 15 minute quarters. Teams accumulate points by giving correct answers to questions. All answers to the toss-up questions are worth two points each. No points are to be subtracted for wrong answers. Should an answer be interjected from the audience, the question may be discarded at the quiz master's discretion.

Questions requiring a person's name as an answer may be correctly answered by giving the person's surname only, provided there are no other persons who have the same surname with whom the answer might be easily confused (e.g. Martin Luther, James).



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The quiz master will read the questions out loud twice. After that the question will not be repeated unless the quiz master thinks that his or her reading of the question was inadequate. Players are not to ask for questions to be repeated.

A player may interrupt a question while it is being asked if he believes he can anticipate the answer required by the complete question.

The player first signaling to answer by activation of the electronic response system must be recognized by name by the quiz master as the eligible respondent. If a player answers before being recognized, the question may be given to the opposing team.

If the recognized player gives an incorrect answer or no answer, the question may be discarded at the quiz master's discretion.

If the question was not completed and the first team answers incorrectly, the question will be completed and the opposing team will be given an opportunity to answer. In all other cases, questions are not to be repeated if the quiz master has finished reading the complete question or if the quiz master is interrupted by the member of the second team.

Players must begin to answer a toss-up question immediately after being recognized.

Sponsors/Coaches may confer with players and substitute players only at the end of each quarter.

Appeals regarding answers to questions may be made by either sponsors/coaches or players. The quiz master shall hear appeals only at the end of each quarter. Decisions of the quiz master shall be final. The official declaration of the outcome and the score of the contest shall be irrevocable. A contest shall not be replayed, even if the outcome could have been altered by judgment errors. If an electronic response system is the cause for the error then the question may be dropped and another asked.

At the end of the each two quarter round, the team having the highest number of points will be declared the winner by the quiz master and advance to the semi- final round. If needed, "sudden-death" tie-breaker questions will be used to determine the winner.

### **3. Rules and Regulations: [ Semi – Final Round ]**

All the fore mentioned rules apply. ( See section 2)

Teams may acquire bonus points by answering questions which have been missed by the opposing teams. These will be worth 3 points. This can be done only after the quiz master has acknowledge that the answer from the opposing team was incorrect, then first member of the



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opposing team to signal readiness may respond after he is recognized by the quiz master, they will have 15 seconds to begin your answer.

At the end of the each two quarter round, the team having the highest number of points will be declared the winner by the quiz master and advance to the final round. If needed, “sudden-death” tie-breaker questions will be used to determine the winner.

### 3. Rules and Regulations: [ Final Round ]

This “sixty-seconds” or “lightning” round begins with the team having the higher score. The electronic response system is not used during this round. Instead, each team will attempt to answer 10 one-point questions within 60-seconds.

The team is playing against the sixty-second clock during this round the quiz master will give the team an indefinite period of time to answer each question until the buzzer indicates the expiration of the sixty-seconds. The quiz master will acknowledge correct answers with a quick “yes” and incorrect answers with a quick “no.” If the team does not know an answer, the captain may refuse the question by saying, “Pass.” The quiz master will then go on to the next question and return to each passed question if time allows. Questions which are answered incorrectly will not be repeated. If the quiz master is asking a question when the buzzer sounds/lights, the team will be allowed to answer that question.

Each team will attempt to answer questions from one of four categories. After the team having the higher score has chosen and answered one round of questions, the second team will be given 30 seconds in which to answer or “rebound” any questions which the first team has missed or passed upon. Then the second team will select on topic from the three remaining categories. The first team will be given 30 seconds to answer any questions which the second team missed or passed upon. Questions that have not been asked cannot be “rebounded.” This procedure will continue until each team has had the chance to answer one set of questions. Also, during this quarter all rebounded questions will be repeated by the quiz master.

After each team has answered one set of questions, the team that has the lower score at that time will pick a list of questions for the leading team to answer. (If the teams are tied at that time, the leading team will be the team that had the higher score when the quarter started.) When finished answering those questions, the leading team will pick a list of questions for the other team. Unlike the rest of the 60-second round, teams will NOT be given the opportunity to answer any of these questions that the other team has missed or passed upon.

Consultation among team members is allowed during this round. All question choices and answers must be given by the team captain. The captain need not be recognized by the judge before responding. The captain may respond before the quiz master has completed a question. The quiz master need not complete questions after an answer has been given.



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If a team correctly answers all ten questions in a sixty-second set, the team is awarded three bonus points.

At all the 60-second rounds are completed the team having the highest number of points (from this round) will be declared the CDI Sunday School Convention Quiz Bowl Champions 2009 by the quiz master. If needed, "sudden-death" tie-breaker questions will be used to determine the winner.

#### **4. Rules and Regulations: [Code of Conduct]**

Because of the nature of any form of competition, the atmosphere of quiz bowl contests should be challenging and intense. However, mutual respect should prevail at all times and teams should be taught that appropriate behavior is an all important part of competition. Players should not be encouraged to regard good sportsmanship as options. With its unique combination of public, large and small churches, the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church Youth ministries should encourage its youth, sponsors/coaches and representatives to form unities, friendships/brotherhoods, beyond the confines of their own churches and communities.

If any misconduct is observed by anyone in the competition area the committee will bring the accusations to the sponsors/coaches and representatives. The committee will ask them to take further action. The committee will recommend what action should be taken which could range from a formal apology to those offended on up to possible disqualification from the competition. All parties will be informed and asked to cooperate in procedure as having been given prior notice.



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Quiz Bowl Questions

Topic: Christian Methodist Episcopal Church

1. The Presiding Elder presides over this conference which meets once a year and consists of all of the churches of a district.

A: The District Conference

2. What is the last day of District Conference called?

A: Sunday Church School and Christian Youth Fellowship Convention

3. Collectively, the churches in this area are identified as what?

A: The Cincinnati-Dayton-Indianapolis District of the Ohio-Central Indiana Region of the Second Episcopal District

4. Who is the Presiding Elder of the Cincinnati-Dayton-Indianapolis District?

A: Rev. Dr. Charles J. King, Jr.

5. Who is the Presiding Prelate of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Episcopal District?

A: Bishop Edward Lynn Brown

6. When is CYF Day?

A: The 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in July

7. What is the Connectional CYF hymn?

A: "Rise Up, O Youth for Christ"

8. What hymn is "Rise Up, O Youth for Christ" adapted from?

A: "Rise Up, O Men of God"



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9. What is the primary mission of the CYF?

A: To disciple young people in Christian growth through study, worship, fellowship, leadership and service.

10. What age group is the CYF designed for?

A: 12-17/6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders

11. "Instruct me how to carry out thy law and, with my whole heart, I will keep it." From where is this excerpt taken?

A: The CYF Creed

12. "We pledge to continue its work, that it may carry Christ's message to this community and throughout the world." From where is this excerpt taken?

A: The CYF Pledge of Loyalty

13. What are the symbols in the CYF Shield?

A: The cross, hands holding an hourglass, hands holding an offering tray and hands clasped in friendship.

14. What does each symbol represent?

A: The cross – Christ centered/Christian, hands holding an hourglass – youth, hands holding an offering tray – giving of time/talents/treasure, hands clasped in friendship – fellowship.

15. What are the official colors of the Christian Youth Fellowship?

A: Royal blue, gold and white.

16. When and where was the C. M. E. Church organized?

A: December 16, 1870 in Jackson, Tennessee

17. What church was the C.M.E. Church formed from?

A: The Methodist Episcopal Church, South



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18. True or False: The C. M. E. Church was originally organized as the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church?

A: True.

19. The Presiding Prelate presides over this conference which meets once a year and consists of all of the churches of an Episcopal district.

A: The Annual Conference

20. What is every believer supposed to do when they enter the pews?

A: They are supposed to kneel or bow in silent prayer.

21. What sacraments does the C. M. E. Church observe?

A: Baptism and Holy Communion/The Lord's Supper

22. What hymn is the anthem of the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church?

A: O Rapturous Scenes/The Holsey Hymn

23. True or False: The Apostle's Creed is a summary of the books Matthew and Luke?

A: False. The Apostle's Creed summarizes all four gospels.

24. Who is the chief administrator of the local church?

A: The Preacher-in-Charge.

25. Who were the first two Bishops elected in the C. M. E. Church?

A: William H. Miles and Richard H. Vanderhorst

26. What is the College of Bishops?

A: The executive body of the C.M.E. Church.

27. True or False: Women in the C. M. E. Church cannot be elected as Bishops.

A: False.



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28. True or False: Because there are ten Episcopal districts, there can be only ten members of the College of Bishops.

A: False. The College of Bishops consists of *all* the Bishops of the C. M. E. Church, not just those assigned to an Episcopal district. So there can be more than ten in the college of bishops.

29. Who is the Senior Bishop of the C. M. E. Church?

A: Bishop William H. Graves

30. Name the Bishops elected at the 2006 General Conference.

A: Bishops Thomas L. Brown and Kenneth W. Carter

31. What was the first local church organized in the C. M. E. Connection?

A: Liberty Station/Mother Liberty

32. What is the largest local church in the Cincinnati-Dayton-Indianapolis District?

A: Phillips Temple; Dayton, Ohio

33. What is the C. M. E. Church's Quadrennial Theme?

A: "From Good to Great: the Jesus Challenge"

34. What states are included in the Second Episcopal District?

A: Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

35. Name the districts of the Second Episcopal District.

A: Cincinnati-Dayton-Indianapolis, Cleveland-Pittsburgh, Louisville-Lexington and Evansville-Hopkinsville.

36. What is the theme of the Cincinnati-Dayton-Indianapolis District?

A: "Making Great Disciples: The Mandate of Jesus the Christ"



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37. How many episcopal districts are there?

A: Ten.

38. True or False: The C. M. E. Connectional Emblem has remained the same since the C. M. E. Church began.

A: False. The Connectional Emblem did not exist when the Church began. It was designed for its centennial (100th anniversary).

39. What are the four symbols of the C. M. E. Connectional Emblem?

A: The world globe, skyline, weather vane and cross.

40. What schools of higher learning are associated with the C. M. E. Church?

A: Lane College, Paine College, Texas College, Miles College and Phillips School of Theology.

41. Who authored the History of the C.M.E. Church?

A: Bishop Othal Hawthorne Lakey

42. Where can books written by C.M.E. clergy and lay be found?

A: Miles College Online Bookstore

43. When and where did the Connectional Youth and Young Adult Conferences take place?

A: July 7-11, 2008 in Orlando, Florida

44. What was the theme for the 2008 Connectional Youth and Young Adult Conference?

A: Doing A New Thing

45. What is the focus scripture for the 2008 Connectional Youth and Young Adult Conference?

A: Isaiah 43:19

46. In Isaiah 43:19, what two things does God promise to do?

A: Make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert



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47. What is the name of the online community for CME youth and young adults?

A: CMESpace

48. When does Youth & Young Adult Week take place?

A: Annually from the last Sunday in January through the first Sunday in February

49. What was the focus scripture for the 2009 Youth & Young Adult Week?

A: II Timothy 2:14-26

50. How long has Bishop E. Lynn Brown been serving in the ministry?

A: Over 50 years



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Quiz Bowl Questions

Topic: Black History

1. True or False: Emmett Till's casket was left open during the viewing/funeral to show how badly his body had been disfigured during his lynching?

A: TRUE.

2. Who marched into the White House, reprimanded President Woodrow Wilson and shook his finger at him after Wilson said that segregation was "in Blacks' best interest"?

A: William Monroe Trotter

3. Who was the abolitionist and women's rights speaker that delivered the speech, "Ain't I A Woman"?

A: SOJOURNER TRUTH

4. Why was Harriet Tubman referred to as "Moses"?

A: SHE LED SLAVES TO FREEDOM AS MOSES HAD DONE THE EGYPTIANS.

5. Eleanor Roosevelt gave credibility to this all-Negro flying unit by allowing them to take her for a ride, after which she stated, "I guess Negroes can fly."

A: TUSKEGEE AIRMEN

6. Who said, "I am a woman who came from the cotton fields of the South. From there, I was promoted to the washtub. From there I was promoted to the cook kitchen. And, from there, I promoted myself into the business of manufacturing hair goods and preparations."?

A: MADAME C. J. WALKER

7. Who has been called the "preeminent African-American intellectual of our generation"?

A: CORNEL R. WEST

8. Who because of his white skin, blonde hair and blue eyes could have easily passed for white but instead chose to acknowledge his race and participate in the Civil Rights struggle?



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A: Walter White

9. Oprah Winfrey is actually named after what biblical woman?

A: ORPAH

10. Who laid the foundation on which Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and other Civil Rights activists stood?

A: REV. VERNON JOHNS

11. During the 1970s, what song was sometimes referred to as the Black national anthem?

A: James Brown's "Say it Loud: I'm Black and I'm Proud!"

12. Who was the first African-American to receive the Nobel Peace Prize and what was it for?

A: RALPH BUNCHE. HE MEDIATED THE 1949 ARMISTICE (PEACE) AGREEMENT BETWEEN ISRAELIS AND ARABS IN PALESTINE.

13. What black weekly newspaper did A. Philip Randolph and his Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters secretly distribute in the South after its being banned?

A: THE CHICAGO DEFENDER

14. Who was the first African-American and the first woman to make a serious bid to be President of the United States?

A: SHIRLEY CHISHOLM

15. Who was the first African-American to have his own radio program and star in a truly national television show?

A: NAT KING COLE

16. What was the name of the all-black Indianapolis high school that was created in the 1920s as the alternative for blacks who felt out of place attending predominately white schools?

A: CRISPUS ATTUCKS



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17. Whose gospel compositions were not initially accepted in churches because he combined spiritual lyrics with blues melodies and rhythms?

A: THOMAS A. DORSEY

18. Why didn't Frederick Douglass' owner want his wife to teach Douglass to read?

A: IF A SLAVE LEARNED TO READ HE WOULD WANT TO BE FREE.

19. What is the relationship between Booker T. Washington/W. E. B. DuBois and Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr./Malcolm X?

A: WASHINGTON/DUBOIS WERE AT ODDS OVER THE DIRECTION THAT AFRICAN-AMERICANS SHOULD TAKE JUST AFTER THE CIVIL WAR LIKE KING/MALCOLM X WERE DURING THE CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT.

20. Following is an excerpt from a poem: "We smile. But, oh, great Christ, our cries to thee from tortured souls arise." Identify the author and title.

A: PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR/*WE WEAR THE MASK*

21. What was the purpose of Marcus Garvey's United Negro Improvement Association?

A: TO UNITE "ALL THE PEOPLE OF AFRICAN ANCESTRY OF THE WORLD INTO ONE GREAT BODY TO ESTABLISH A COUNTRY AND GOVERNMENT ABSOLUTELY THEIR OWN."

22. What 1913 film encouraged a resurgence of the Ku Klux Klan?

A: D. W. GRIFFITH'S BIRTH OF A NATION

23. Whose work, "Roots", demonstrated that African-Americans had a long history and that not all of it was lost?

A: ALEX HALEY

24. Civil Rights activist Fannie Lou Hamer spoke for many oppressed African-Americans when she told America this.

A: "I'M SICK AND TIRED OF BEING SICK AND TIRED."

25. Alain Locke led artists of various mediums during this African-American cultural explosion.



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A: THE HARLEM RENAISSANCE

26. What Methodist preacher was the inspiration for the character “Uncle Tom” and what was he known for?

A: JOSIAH HENSON. HE WAS A FUGITIVE SLAVE WHO FOUNDED A SETTLEMENT/LABORER’S SCHOOL FOR OTHER FUGITIVE SLAVES. HE LECTURED AS AN ABOLITIONIST AND WAS A PART-TIME CONDUCTOR ON THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD.

27. What did Lena Horne do when, during a wartime performance, she noticed black soldiers seated behind German prisoners of war?

A: SHE EITHER REFUSED TO PERFORM AT ALL OR PERFORMED FROM THE BACK PERFORMANCE AREA.

28. What writer asked the question, “What happens to a dream deferred?”

A: LANGSTON HUGHES

29. Who wrote in Black Vernacular English (Ebonics) causing their works to be highly criticized? For example, “You know Ahm uh fightin’ dawg and mah hide is worth money. Hit me if you dare! Ah’ll wash yo’ tub uh ‘gator guts and dat quick.”

A: ZORA NEALE HURSTON.

30. This first black Heavyweight Champion of the World (1908-1915) was so controversial that white Americans called for a “great white hope” to put him in his place.

A: JACK JOHNSON

31. Who wrote the poem “The Creation”?

A: JAMES WELDON JOHNSON

32. Whose chronicles on Black Entertainment Television have been credited with “raising social and political awareness in young people by touching on subjects relevant to their culture and environment”?



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A: MINISTER "COUSIN" JEFF JOHNSON

33. What is Juneteenth?

A: IT CELEBRATES JUNE 19<sup>TH</sup>, 1865, THE DAY THAT SLAVES IN GALVESTON, TEXAS WERE TOLD THAT ALMOST TWO YEARS EARLIER, THE EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION HAD SET THEM FREE.

34. Name the seven principles of Kwanzaa, created by Maulana Karenga.

A: UNITY, SELF-DETERMINATION, COLLECTIVE WORK AND RESPONSIBILITY, COOPERATIVE ECONOMICS, PURPOSE, CREATIVITY AND FAITH.

35. Whose films have proven that well-told stories from the Black experience could be profitable and attract diverse audiences?

A: SPIKE LEE

36. What is the oldest historically black college/university?

A: LINCOLN UNIVERSITY @ PENNSYLVANIA

37. What phrase did Joe "the Brown Bomber" Louis coin after being told that an upcoming opponent was quick?

A: "HE CAN RUN; BUT, HE CAN'T HIDE."

38. No lawyer has delivered as many winning arguments before the Supreme Court as this former Justice.

A: THURGOOD MARSHALL

39. What 1982 song demonstrated that rap could be used to do much more than entertain?

A: THE MESSAGE BY GRANDMASTER FLASH & THE FURIOUS FIVE

40. Who overcame the restrictions on black people in the early 1900s by forming his own publishing and movie production company and becoming one of the first blacks to make a film?

A: OSCAR MICHEAUX



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41. What was the location of “Negro Wall Street” and what happened to it?

A: TULSA, OKLAHOMA. IT WAS BURNED TO THE GROUND BY WHITE RIOTERS IN 1921.

42. The success of this playwright, producer, director, and actor has transformed the so-called “chitlin circuit” into “urban theater”.

A: TYLER PERRY

43. True or False: A conductor noticed that Homer Plessy, a black man, was seated in the whites’ only section and had him arrested after he refused to move.

A: FALSE. PLESSY HAD TO TELL THE CONDUCTOR THAT HE WAS 1/8 BLACK AND THAT HE REFUSED TO SIT IN THE BLACKS ONLY SECTION.

44. This organizer of the first Freedom Ride was eventually forced to work behind the scenes during the Civil Rights Movement.

A: BAYARD RUSTIN

45. Who said, “If the white people realize what the alternative is, perhaps they will be more willing to hear Dr. King.”?

A: MALCOLM X/EL-HAJJ MALIK EL-SHABAZZ

46. Who is Africa’s first-ever elected female President?

A: ELLEN JOHNSON SIRLEAF

47. This person, along with Tom Joyner, began hosting annual town-hall meetings called “The State of the Black Union” in the year 2000.

A: TAVIS SMILEY

48. Who wrote “An Ex-Colored Church: Social Activism in the CME Church, 1870-1970”, investigating the role of the CME Church from reconstruction through the Civil Rights Movement?

A: REV. DR. RAYMOND R. SOMMERVILLE, JR. (FROM THE MIGHTY SECOND)

49. What “Minister of Information” authored “The Coldest Winter Ever”?



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A: SISTER SOULJAH

50. In a song made famous by singer, Billie Holiday what is meant by the term “strange fruit”?

A: “STRANGE FRUIT” REFERS TO THE BODIES OF AFRICAN-AMERICAN MEN HANGED DURING LYNCHINGS.



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Topic: Sunday School - New Testament

1. Where was Jesus Born?

A: Bethlehem

2. What was St. Paul's other (original) name?

A: Saul

3. What is the name of Mary and Martha's brother?

A: Lazarus

4. Who was the first Christian martyr?

A: Stephen

5. Who was Judas's replacement among the twelve disciples?

A: Matthias

6. At the Last Supper, Christ broke bread and blessed the wine. What did he wash?

A: Feet

7. Which of the four Evangelist is credited with being the author of the Book of Revelation?

A: John

8. Who was crucified with Christ?

A: two thieves

9. What is the name given to Jesus by Isaiah when he prophesied the birth of Jesus, saying that this name means 'God with us'?



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A: Immanuel

10. At what age did Mary's son officially receive the name Jesus?

A: Eight days old.

11. Where in Palestine was Jesus born?

A: Judea

12. What was the significance of the name 'Jesus'?

A: He would save His people from their sins

13. True or False. On the night of Jesus' birth heavenly host sang: "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace, goodwill toward Israel!"

A: False

14. To whom did the angel say "Behold I bring you good tidings of great joy?"

A: The shepherds

15. What reason did the wise men give for coming in search of the babe?

A: To worship Him.

16. Which of the gospel speak of the visit of the wise men?

A: Matthew

17. True or False. The three gifts that Jesus received from the wise men were gold, frankincense and mirth

A: False

18. How many of Paul's epistles were addressed to Timothy?



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A: Two

19. In the first epistle to Timothy, how does Paul refer to him?

A: My own son in the faith.

20. When Paul went to Macedonia, where does he say he'd asked Timothy to remain?

A: Ephesus

21. What are the name of Timothy's mother and grandmother?

A: Eunice and Lois

22. Who help Jesus carry the cross?

A: Simon

23. In writing to Timothy, Paul mentions two characters call Hymenaeus and Alexander. What does he say he has done with them?

A: Delivered them to Satan.

24. Paul relates many of the characteristics which a bishop of the Christian church should have. Which of these is NOT mentioned as one of these characteristics?

- a) Not greedy of filthy lucre
- b) Given to hospitality
- c) The husband of one wife
- d) Obedient to the civil authorities

A: d.

25. True or False. In the first epistle to Timothy, Paul writes "money is the root of all evil".

A: False

26. Paul mentions two characters, called Jannes and Jambres, who withstood Moses. In which Old Testament book are their names also recorded?

A: They aren't mentioned by name in any book of the Old Testament



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27. Paul writes of great houses having vessels made from various materials. Which of these is NOT one of the materials mentioned?

- a) Earth
- b) Silver
- c) Iron
- d) Wood

A: c.

28. From what hazard does Paul tell Timothy he'd been delivered?

A: A lion's mouth.

29. What things does Paul ask Timothy to bring with him on his next visit?

A: His cloak, books, and parchments.

30. How did Paul of Tarsus, who wrote a critical if not scathing letter to his friends in Galatia, begin life?

A: A member of the tribe of Benjamin, Paul was circumcised on the eighth day, in strict conformity with Jewish law and later became a Pharisee.

32. The circumstances surrounding Saul's decisions to become a follower of Jesus may also be pertinent to his letter to the Galatians. What event most influenced Saul's conversion?

A: Being struck blind and hearing the voice of Jesus.

33. Paul traveled extensively, telling the story of Jesus' crucifixion and resurrection. He persuaded people of the truth of his message and urged them to trust Jesus and the heavenly Father who had raised Jesus from the dead. In Galatians 4:13, which of the following does Paul give as a reason that he brought the message to the Galatians?

A: Illness.

34. What response did the Galatians make to Paul's message that allowed them to "receive the Spirit" and be "justified?"



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A: They trusted/believed Paul's message about Jesus.

35. Paul indicated amazement that the Galatians would desert the message he brought for a different message. What did Paul claim as the authority for his message?

A: A revelation from God through Jesus Christ.

36. As an adherent to the Judaism of the Pharisees, Paul had been under the supervision of those above him in the hierarchy, particularly the well-known Rabbi Gamaliel. Newly converted to Christianity, how long did Paul wait before making contact with those considered to be authorities in the early Christian church?

A: Three years.

37. Paul taught that it was believing the message about Jesus and trusting GOD, rather than keeping Jewish law that would make things right between a person and GOD. In the book of Galatians, which Jewish patriarch, who lived for GOD gave the Law to Moses, did Paul use as an example of a person whose faith made things right with GOD?

A: Abraham

38. Paul point out that even though no one can keep the Jewish law perfectly, there is a formula for "fulfilling" the law. In Galatians 5:14 how does Paul characterize the fulfillment of the law?

A: Loving your neighbor as yourself.

39. Who is the author of Hebrews?

A: The author is unknown

40. True or False. Hebrews was probably written before the Temple's destruction in A.D. 70.

A: True

41. In chapter one of Hebrews, the author speaks about Christ being greater than whom?

A: The angels.

42. In Hebrews whose descendants does the author say Jesus came to help?



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A: Abraham's

43. In Hebrews does the author call Jesus a High Priest?

A: Yes, Hebrews 4:14

44. The book of Jude is in which Testament?

A: New Testament

45. In Hebrews from what line of priesthood does the author say Jesus descends?

A: Melchizedek's

46. In Hebrews the author explains that Jesus has gone to heaven to act on our behalf. What does he call Jesus?

A: Our advocate.

47. Fill In the Blank. "And just as it is destined that each person dies once and after that comes judgment, so also Christ died only once as a \_\_\_\_\_ to take away the sins of many people

A: Sacrifice.

48. Fill in the Blank. In Hebrews, the Christians the author was writing to were considering turning away from the faith. The author said they needed \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to continue on.

A: Patient and Endurance

49. In Hebrews chapter 11 whose parents are mentioned.

A: Moses'

50. Fill In the Blank: In Hebrews chapter 12, it says if God doesn't \_\_\_\_\_ you it means you are an illegitimate child.

A: Discipline



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1. Why does Cain kill his brother Abel?

- a) Because the serpent tells him to
- b) Because Abel teases Cain
- c) Because Adam loves Abel more
- d) Because God is more pleased by Abel's sacrifice than by Cain's

A: d.

2. Which of the following are not signs of God's covenant, or promise, with Abraham?

- a) The rite of circumcision
- b) God renames Abraham and his wife Sarah
- c) God destroys the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah
- d) God provides Sarah with a son, Isaac

A: c.

3. How does Jacob steal his brother Esau's inheritance rights?

- a) By killing his brother
- b) By tricking his father with the help of his mother
- c) By sleeping with his mother
- d) By exposing Esau's plan to murder his father

A: b.

4. How many sons does Jacob have?

- a) Three
- b) Four
- c) Ten
- d) Twelve

A: d.

5. What is Jacob's alternate name?

- a) Judah
- b) Isaac



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- c) Israel
- d) Ishmael

A: c.

6. From which catastrophe does Joseph save Egypt?

- a) Famine
- b) A Plague
- c) Military invasion
- d) A flood

A: a.

7. How does GOD first appear to Moses?

- a) As a group of three men
- b) As an angel
- c) As a flaming sword
- d) As a burning bush

A: d.

8. What object that GOD gives Moses allows him to perform signs and wonders?

- a) The stone tablets
- b) A wooden staff
- c) A colorful robe
- d) A golden censer

A: b.

9. How does God feed the Israelites in the desert?

- a) By miraculously providing fish from the Red Sea
- b) By a strange bread-like substance from heaven
- c) By food produced from Moses' staff
- d) By an endless supply of produce from Egypt

A: b

10. Why does Moses break the stone tablets inscribed with God's commandments at Mount Sinai?

- a) Because he trips walking down the mountain
- b) Because God commands him to
- c) Because Moses refuses to lead the people any longer
- d) Because the people are worshipping a golden idol

A: d.



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11. Why does GOD curse the Israelites to wander the desert for forty years before entering the promised land?

- a) Because a group of Israelite spies incite and uprising to return to Egypt
- b) Because the Israelites incorrectly perform the ritual of sacrifice
- c) Because the Israelites vote down Moses as their leader
- d) Because the Israelites worship golden idols

A: a.

12. What do Moses and Joshua forbid the Israelites to do in the promised land?

- a) Intermarry with the native inhabitants
- b) Conquer the cities of the region
- c) Divide the land amongst the twelve tribes
- d) Bathe in the Jordan River

A: a.

13. Who betrays Samson to the Philistines?

- a) Sarah
- b) Delilah
- c) Gideon
- d) Deborah

A: b

14. Why does GOD reject Saul as king of Israel?

- a) Because Saul has too many concubines
- b) Because Saul kills Samuel
- c) Because Saul does not completely destroy the Amalekites
- d) Because Saul is too cowardly to fight the Philistines

A: c.

15. Why does the prophet Nathan rebuke David?

- a) David fails to build the Temple of GOD
- b) David curses GOD inadvertently
- c) David commits adultery with Bathsheba
- d) David allows one of his sons to rape his stepsister



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A: c.

16. What does David bring to Jerusalem to bless the religious city?

- a) The body of Moses
- b) The Ark of the Covenant
- c) The prophet Samuel
- d) Thousands of animals to be sacrificed to GOD

A: b

17. How does Absalom flaunt his brief overthrow of David's throne?

- a) By destroying David's palace
- b) By killing the priests of Israel
- c) By taunting David and his army as they flee Jerusalem
- d) By sleeping with David's concubines in public

A: d.

18. What event triggers the division of Israel into two kingdoms?

- a) Jeroboam desecrates the Temple in Jerusalem
- b) Jeroboam leads a rebellion against the wicked King Rehoboam
- c) King Solomon's sons fight over the throne
- d) Rehoboam wants the tribe of Judah to secede from the twelve tribes

A: b.

19. Who is Elisha?

- a) Elijah
- b) Elijah's opponent
- c) Elijah's apprentice and successor
- d) Elijah's son

A: c.

20. What do the deaths of King Ahab and his wife Jezebel have in common?

- a) Elijah stabs them in their sleep
- b) Dogs eat the blood of their dead bodies
- c) The Philistines gouge out their eyes
- d) They die cursing GOD



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A: b.

21. Which Jewish festival results from the events in Esther?

- a) Passover
- b) Hanukkah
- c) Purim
- d) Rosh Hashanah

A: c.

22. Which of the following is not one of Israel's judges?

- a) Deborah
- b) Gideon
- c) Ahad
- d) Jephthah

A: c.

23. What does King Solomon do in Israel?

- a) He introduces animal sacrifices
- b) He bans the cult of Baal worship in Israel
- c) He builds a grand temple in Jerusalem
- d) He forms a legendary round table of leaders and priests

A: c

24. What is one of the main criteria in Leviticus for living in the Israelite camp?

- a) To be ceremonially clean
- b) To remain sexually abstinent
- c) To be religious priest
- d) Not to shave

A: a.

25. Why does GOD reprimand Job?

- a) Because Job listens to his wife and curses GOD
- b) Because Job does not delight in his suffering
- c) Because Job uses human knowledge to questions GOD's ways
- d) Because Job heeds the advice of his friends



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A: c.

26. The story of the successor to Moses is told in which book?

- a) Judges
- b) Joshua
- c) Leviticus

A: b.

27. Which book is also known as "The Book of the Law of the Priests?."

- a) Numbers
- b) Deuteronomy
- c) Leviticus

A: c.

28. Which book is also known as Canticles?

- a) Psalms
- b) Chronicles
- c) Song of Solomon

A: c.

29. Which is the shortest book in the Old Testament?

- a) Jonah
- b) Ruth
- c) Obadiah

A: c.

30. Which book is regarded as an appendix to the book of Jeremiah?

- a) Lamentations
- b) Proverbs
- c) Ezekiel

A: a.

31. Which of these is not an Old Testament book?

- a) Haggai
- b) Hebrews



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c) Amos

A: b.

32. The story of King David's great grandmother is told in which book?

- a) Judges
- b) Ruth
- c) Samuel

A: b.

33. In which book did GOD give permission to Satan to afflict a man?

- a) Jonah
- b) Genesis
- c) Job

A: c.

34. Which two prophetic books concern the rebuilding of the Temple?

- a) Micah and Isaiah
- b) Haggai and Zechariah
- c) Nahum and Habakkuk

A: b.

35. Which is the last book in the Christian arrangement of the Old Testament?

- a) Revelation
- b) 2 Chronicles
- c) Malachi

A: c.

36. The Ten Commandments are found in which two books?

- a) Exodus and Leviticus
- b) Exodus and Deuteronomy
- c) Leviticus and Numbers

A: b

37. Who wrote the first five books of the Old Testament?

- a) Adam



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- b) Abraham
- c) Moses

A: c

38. Which book begins with "These are the names....."?

- a) Numbers
- b) Exodus
- c) 1 Kings

A: b.

39. A beauty contest is first mentioned in which book of the Bible?

- a) Esther
- b) Genesis
- c) 1 Kings

A: c.

40. The Hebrew (Jewish) Scriptures are divided into three parts. What are they in English?

- a) Law, Prophets and Writings
- b) History, Poems and Predictions
- c) Torah, Nevi'im and Ketuvim

A: a

41. The story of David's close friendship with Jonathan is told in which book?

- a) 1 Kings
- b) Psalms
- c) 1 Samuel

A: c

42. Who wrote the book of Ecclesiastes?

- a) Solomon
- b) Jeremiah
- c) David

A: a.

43. The name of which book means "Yah has saved"?

- a) Isaiah
- b) Joshua



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c) Both of the above

A: c.

44. Which Old Testament Prophet does not have his own book in the Bible?

- a) Zephaniah
- b) Nahum
- c) Elijah

A: c

45. A harp is mentioned in the Bible for the first time in which book?

- a) Psalms
- b) Genesis
- c) 1Samuel

A: b.

46. What are the names of Job's three friends?

- a) Eliphaz, Bildad and Zophar
- b) Bildad, Elihu and Cush
- c) Linken, Blinken and Nod

A: a.

47. Where did Job reside?

- a) Uz
- b) Luz
- c) Fuzz

A: a.

48. Elihu was descended from?

- a) Moses
- b) Nahor brother of Abraham
- c) Job

A: b.

49. GOD speaks to Job

- a) Out of a whirlwind



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- b) From a burning bush
- c) In a dream

A: a.

50. GOD restored Job's fortune when?

- a) He prays for his friends
- b) He curses the day he was born
- c) He sacrifices a lamb

A: a.