

Week 5 quiz Don't be a Jonah

1) According to the chapter, why was the storm against the ship in Jonah 1?

- A) Because the sailors worshiped idols
- B) Because God wanted to test the sailors
- C) Because of Jonah's disobedience
- D) Because of seasonal weather patterns

Answer: C

2) The chapter warns that some hardships people face are actually:

- A) God's discipline for ongoing disobedience
- B) Random chance with no meaning
- C) Punishment for others' sins only
- D) Permanent curses that cannot change

Answer: A

3) What key idea about suffering is highlighted from 1 Peter 4:15-19?

- A) Suffering always means God is angry
- B) Christians should never expect suffering
- C) Only leaders suffer for righteousness
- D) Do not suffer for wrongdoing, but if you suffer as a Christian, glorify God

Answer: D

4) The chapter teaches that choices we make:

- A) Don't affect our future if we repent later
- B) Become the future we didn't want if we choose wrongly
- C) Are mostly reversible without consequence
- D) Only matter for leaders, not ordinary believers

Answer: B

5) Which principle from Galatians 6:7-9 is emphasized?

- A) Mercy triumphs over judgment
- B) Faith without works is dead
- C) You reap what you sow; don't grow weary in doing good
- D) Perfect love casts out fear

Answer: C

6) According to the chapter, why might God "send storms" into His people's lives

(Psalm 83:15-16)?

- A) To prove He is stronger than other gods
- B) To punish permanently without purpose
- C) To expose the sailors' lack of skill
- D) To wake them up so they submit to His name

Answer: A

7) What collateral effect of "unnecessary storms" does the chapter stress?

- A) They only affect the person disobeying
- B) They always lead to quick blessings for others
- C) They are limited to finances
- D) They also impact innocent people around us

Answer: D

8) In the Jonah account, what finally calmed the storm?

- A) Throwing cargo overboard
- B) Praying to the sailors' gods
- C) Throwing Jonah into the sea
- D) Lowering the sails and waiting it out

Answer: C

9) What mistake did the sailors initially make when trying to stop the storm?

- A) They turned the ship toward Tarshish
- B) They threw out cargo instead of obeying what God required
- C) They jumped overboard themselves
- D) They arrested Jonah below deck

Answer: B

10) What repeated application does the chapter make from Jonah 1:10-15?

- A) Partial obedience is acceptable during storms
- B) Personal vows end storms
- C) Ignore convictions during crises
- D) We must fully obey God and throw out everything He says to remove

Answer: A

11) How should Timothy relate to age and gender groups (1 Timothy 5:1-2)?

- A) Older men as fathers, younger men as brothers, older women as mothers, younger women as sisters in all purity
- B) All alike, with no distinctions

- C) Older men as students, younger as servants
- D) Older women as peers, younger women as strangers

Answer: C

12) Who is "really a widow" eligible for the church's care (1 Timothy 5:3-5, 9-10)?

- A) Any woman who requests aid
- B) Any divorced woman
- C) One left truly alone, known for good works; generally not less than sixty, faithful, hospitable
- D) Only those who are wealthy but generous

Answer: A

13) What warning does Paul give about accepting accusations against an elder (1 Timothy 5:19)?

- A) Accept every report immediately
- B) Require an oath and a fine
- C) Keep it confidential permanently
- D) Do not receive an accusation except on the evidence of two or three witnesses

Answer: D

14) What does Paul say about providing for one's relatives (1 Timothy 5:8)?

- A) It is optional if the church can help
- B) Anyone who does not provide has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever
- C) Only deacons must provide
- D) Only for widows who are over sixty

Answer: B

15) What does Paul say about elders who rule well (1 Timothy 5:17)?

- A) They should rotate out annually
- B) They must refuse financial support
- C) They are worthy of double honor, especially those who labor in preaching and teaching
- D) They should avoid public recognition

Answer: C

16) What instruction is given regarding appointing or restoring leaders (1 Timothy 5:22)?

- A) Do not be hasty in the laying on of hands; keep yourself pure

- B) Choose the most popular candidates
- C) Replace leaders every few months
- D) Prefer those with great wealth

Answer: A

17) What personal health advice does Paul give Timothy (1 Timothy 5:23)?

- A) Fast from all liquids frequently
- B) Drink only water always
- C) Use strong wine daily
- D) Use a little wine for your stomach and frequent ailments

Answer: D

18) How does Paul say to handle public sin among leaders (1 Timothy 5:20-21)?

- A) Keep all matters private
- B) Rebuke in the presence of all, without partiality, so that the rest may stand in fear
- C) Wait for civil courts to act first
- D) Publish anonymous letters

Answer: B

19) What family responsibility precedes church support for widows (1 Timothy 5:4, 16)?

- A) The state must provide first
- B) Only neighbors should help
- C) Children or grandchildren should first learn to show godliness at home and make some return to their parents
- D) Widows must sell their property first

Answer: A

20) What does Paul teach about sins and good works being revealed (1 Timothy 5:24-25)?

- A) Sins are always hidden, good works always unseen
- B) Both sins and good works remain private in this life
- C) Some sins are conspicuous, others appear later; likewise good works are evident, and those not cannot remain hidden
- D) Only leaders' deeds are revealed

Answer: C