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| **DOCTRINE I** |
| The Doctrines of the Bible |

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STUDY QUESTIONS 1

1. How many books are in the Bible? 66

2. What is the Bible? God’s written revelation of His will to men

3. What is the Bible’s central theme? Salvation through Jesus Christ

4. What language was the Old Testament written in? Hebrew (some Aramaic)

5. What language was the New Testament written in? Greek

6. Give four other names for the Bible. The book, Old & New Testament, Scripture, Word of God

7. What do we see in Scripture from Adam to Abraham? The beginning of the human race

8. What do we see in Scripture from Abraham to Christ? The beginning of a chosen race

9. What do we see in Scripture from Christ on? The beginning of the Church

10. What is the Old Testament? The covenant God made with man about His salvation before Christ came.

11. What so we find in the Old Testament? The covenant of the Law

12. What is the New Testament? The agreement God made with man about His salvation after Christ came

13. What do we find in the New Testament? The covenant of grace

14. Why was the Bible written? That men night believe, understand, know, love, and follow him

15. What is the central event of all history? Christ’s appearance on earth

16. Give verbatim 1 Peter 3:15.

17. Give verbatim 2 Timothy 3:16

BIBLE INTRODUCTION TEST #1

Bible Introduction Study Questions

The Inspiration of the Bible

1. What does “inspiration” mean?
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4. What impact does/will the Bible have on Bible-hearers and Bible-readers? (Give five proofs.)
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## STUDY QUESTIONS II

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3. Who wrote Scripture? Holy men, moved upon, driven by the prompting of the Holy Ghost.

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Inspiration, then, is the influence of the Holy Spirit upon individuals for the purpose of producing an ***authoritative*** and ***genuine*** record of persons, teachings, and events.

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6. What type of unity does Bible have? The Bible has unbroken and Perfect Unity.

7. Give four examples of how the Bible has fearless foretelling.

The Person of Christ, The People of Israel, Places of Renown, Periods of Time

8. Who does the Bible have peerless power over (give five examples).

Mankind, Womankind, Slavekind, Childkind, and Me

9. Give the definition for peerless. Having no equal

10. What is the theme of the Bible? Salvation through Jesus Christ.

11. What person dominates the Bible? God

12. Give the definition for canon (literal and Christian meaning).

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17. Give verbatim 2 Timothy 3:16. All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:

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4. Inspiration is the action of God leading to what? Inspiration is the action of God leading to the writing, preservation, and collection of His words to His people into the Bible.

5. What purpose does inspiration have? Inspiration, then, is the influence of the Holy Spirit upon individuals for the purpose of producing an authoritative and genuine record of persons, teachings, and events.

6. List two theories each of false and true inspiration.

Natural Inspiration, Universal Christian Inspiration or Illumination, Mechanical Inspiration of Dictation, Infallible Inspiration, Verbal Inspiration, Plenary or Full Inspiration

7. List two ways that as believers we claim what the Bible claims for itself. (two out of these 6)

1. That the Bible is indeed and in truth the very Word of God, truly divine, yet scribed by man..

2. That it is the Revelation of God to His creatures.

3. That infallible guidance was given to those who wrote it, so as to preserve them from error.

4. That what the writers of the Scriptures have written or said under this guidance, is as truly said, or written by God, just as if their instrumentality were not used as all.

5. That the ideas expressed in the Bible are the very ideas the Holy Ghost intended to convey.

6. That God is in the fullest sense, responsible for every word.

8. What type of unity does Bible display? The Bible has unbroken and Perfect Unity.

9. List three ways that the Bible displays it’s fearless foretelling.

The Person of Christ, The People of Israel, Places of Renown, Periods of Time

10. Describe who the Bible has peerless power over.

Mankind, Womankind, Slavekind, Childkind, and Me

11. List seven ways that the Bible displays its unity.

History, Prophecy, Doctrine, Purpose, Truth, Spirit, and Structure

12. Give a definition for the key words found in 2 Timothy 3:16

Profitable - Advantage or gain (Scripture will give you advantage or gain)

Doctrine - The principals of religion (Scripture will give you a foundation)

Reproof - rebuke, or find fault with, to address in sharp disapproval

Correction - to make right, to punish, or discipline

Instruction - to teach, educate, or inform

BIBLE INTRODUCTION TEST

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Literal meaning - cane, measuring rod, a ruler or staff. Christian meaning - A rule of doctrine or discipline, the genuine books of the Holy Scriptures. Written rule of faith.

2. Canon came to be use as the list of books, which were recognized as what?

Genuine, original, inspired, and authoritative

3. Jesus referred to “the Book” as what?

The Scriptures (Matt. 22:29; John 5:39), and the Word of God (Luke 11:28; 4:17-21)

4. What determines the canonicity of a book?

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5. As Christians our life, growth, faith, and trust is founded on the Word of God.

6. What does the devil do before he can penetrate your defenses?

Pervert the Bible, Destroy your sword

7. What is the devil doing to our Bibles and what device is he using?

He is changing our Bibles, and using modern versions to do so.

8. What do modern versions do to truth?

They mar the truth

9. What was Satan’s first tactic against man?

Casting doubt on God’s Word

10. What is Textus Receptus?

Received Text

Bonus Question: Who did King James appoint to produce a Bible?

Fifty four Greek and Hebrew scholars.

STUDY QUESTIONS III

1. As Christians our life, faith, growth and trust are all founded on what? The Word of God

2. What has God given to the Christian as an offensive weapon? The Sword of the Spirit (The Word of God)

3. How is the devil changing our Bibles? By omitting words, verses, and paragraphs, and by changing words

4. What device is the devil using to change our Bibles? Modern versions

5. Give a definition for the word mar. To injure so as to make imperfect or to spoil

6. Give three examples of what crucial events or facts have been changed in modern versions.

Deity of Christ, Virgin Birth, & the Lord’s Prayer removed.

7. What was Satan’s first tactic against man? Casting doubt on God’s Word

8. Give the definition for Textus Receptus. Received Text

9. What does the word vulgate mean? Popular

10. What type of men did King James appoint to produce a Bible? Hebrew and Greek Scholars

11. Genesis is a book of beginnings.

12. The beginning of the human race starts with what man? Adam

13. Eve was the mother of what? All living

14. What are the names of Adam and Eve’s three sons? Cain, Abel, and Seth

15. What did God command Noah to do? Build an ark

16. John the Baptist was a preacher of what? Repentance

17. What does the name Peter mean? Rock

18. Who did Paul the Apostle minister to? The early Church

## Study Questions: Inspiration

(1-6) Match the following terms with their correct definitions.

1. Every Christian is as inspired as the penmen of Scripture.
2. Without any errors because it is entirely given by God.
3. Contains some truth given by God.
4. The strong, conscious inbreathing of God into man, qualifying him to give utterance to divine truth.
5. God gave the very words.
6. All or fully given by God and equally inspired.

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Inspiration

2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Infallible inspiration

3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Verbal inspiration

4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Plenary inspiration

5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Partial inspiration

6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Universal inspiration

1. Which of the above concepts are biblical in nature and describe biblical belief?

(8-12) Prioritize the following activities by numbering them from one to three with one being the *most* important and three, the *least*.

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phrasing a theory of inspiration.
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Obeying the Word of god.

10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Declaring that the Bible is the authoritative Word of God.

11. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Understanding how the Scriptures were inspired.

12. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Eating your next meal.

(13-20) Underline each of the following that were inspired by God.

13. NT writers 17. OT letters (of words)

14. OT writers 18. NT letters (of words)

15. OT words 19. OT details

16. NT words 20. NT details

1. Can a person be saved by reading or hearing the Bible read or quoted?
2. What influence or effects will the Word of God have on a Christian?

(23-25) List at least three of the many ways that the unity of the Bible is revealed.

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(26,27) Besides “its unbroken and perfect unity,” name two other ways that the Bible demonstrates its inspiration.

1. Its \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. Its \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. Where in the Bible would one turn to find earmarks of these last days foretold?
4. How many infidel donors or societies have established and funded institutions for the well-being of children and families?
5. What is the strongest argument for the influence of the Bible?

## Test: Overview of Scripture

MATCH THE FOLLOWING SCRIPTURES WITH THEIR REFERENCES. THINK.

1. “And the LORD said,…I am come down to deliver them out of the hand of the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land unto a good land and a large, unto a land flowing with milk and honey; unto the place of the Canaanites…”

2. “…of one language and of one speech…”

3. “…He will without fail drive out from before you the Canaanites…Behold, the ark of the covenant of the LORD of all the earth passeth over before you into Jordan.”

4. “And all the men of might, even seven thousand, and craftsmen and smiths a thousand, all that were strong and apt for war, even them the king of Babylon brought captive to Babylon.”

5. “And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.”

6. “Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain; for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh His name in vain. Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labour, and do all thy work:”

7. “…there He put the man…”

8. “Now the LORD had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will show thee:”

9. “…they heard the voice of the LORD God walking …[which] said unto him, Where art thou?”

10. “…God remembered Noah, and every living thing…”

a. Genesis 2:8

b. Genesis3:8,9

c. Genesis 3:15

d. Genesis 8:1

e. Genesis 11:1

f. Genesis 12:1

g. Exodus 3:7,8

h. Exodus 20:7,8

1. Joshua 3:10,11

j. 2 Kings 24:16

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## Quiz: Inspiration

1. Asdf
2. Asdf
3. Asdf

**UNDER INSPIRATION SECTION FIRST PAGE**

Homework assignment - write out Two Scriptures

1. 1 - prophecy
2. 2 - the fulfillment