

# Quiz 12A

Name \_\_\_\_\_

## A. Write the letter of the correct answer.

- C   1. What name is given to a region that receives less than ten inches of rain per year and is composed of sand, rocky plains, and stony plateaus?  
A. tropics  
B. mountain range  
C. desert
- A   2. What name is given to a region that receives annual rains of one hundred inches or more, is filled with huge trees and vines, and has a large variety of wildlife?  
A. rainforest  
B. desert  
C. rain shadow desert
- C   3. What African region where people raise crops and cattle is characterized by tall grass and few trees?  
A. tropics  
B. mountain range  
C. savanna
- B   4. What area forms when the wind blows water vapor high into nearby mountains without allowing rain to fall on the lowlands?  
A. mountain range  
B. rain shadow desert  
C. oasis

## B. Match the description with the correct term.

- F   5. stories about the past that are spoken instead of written down
- A   6. the study of ruins, burial sites, and artifacts from the past
- C   7. an African oral storyteller
- E   8. a fertile area in the desert with water
- D   9. the study of the structure and changes of languages
- B   10. a person who studies plants and traces the movements of people by their crops

- A. archaeology
- B. botanist
- C. griot
- D. linguistics
- E. oasis
- F. oral history

# Quiz 12B

Name \_\_\_\_\_

## A. Complete the chart.

1–2. Contrast the African belief with biblical truth.

African belief	Biblical truth
Most Africans believed that their <u>god</u> could be reached through sacrifices and offerings.	The Bible teaches that only <u>Christ's</u> sacrifice is sufficient to reconcile people to God.
Many African religions taught that spirits lived in animals or things in <u>nature</u> .	The Bible teaches that there is only <u>one</u> <u>God</u> Who controls all the forces of nature for His own glory. He is the only One Who deserves to be worshiped.

## B. Complete each sentence.

- camel 3. A valuable possession of the Tuareg was the \_\_\_\_.
- water 4. Ghana was located at the edge of the Sahara and was near the only source of \_\_\_\_ for miles around.
- salt 5. Ghana controlled all the trade of gold and \_\_\_\_.
- cattle 6. The Maasai measured their wealth and social standing by the number of \_\_\_\_ they owned.

## C. Write *T* if the statement is true and *F* if the statement is false.

- T 7. King Ezana made Christianity the official religion of Aksum.
- F 8. Ghana gave up its traditional beliefs and embraced Christianity.
- T 9. Many scholars believe that the kingdom of Sheba was located in what is now Ethiopia.
- F 10. Historians divided Africa's early peoples into groups by region.