

LIFE QUESTIONS- 1st Hour- From Notes and Teaching

Session 1: The Gospel of the Kingdom

1. Circle the letter(s) before each statement below which best defines the “kingdom of God”.
 - a. A place believers go after they die.
 - b. The domain or realm of reality where Christ is uncontested King.
 - c. The sphere of rule in which God’s will is done God’s way by God’s Spirit for God’s glory.
 - d. My local church.

2. Circle the letter(s) before each statement which describes where the kingdom of God can be located and experienced.
 - a. The kingdom of God can be located “within” the hearts or spirits of those who follow and obey Christ as Lord.
 - b. The kingdom of God can be located “between” followers of Christ when their hearts are righteously unified and connected with each other through Christ in spiritual family.
 - c. The kingdom of God can actually manifest “around us” when we outwardly express the fruit, wisdom, or power of the Spirit. We can tangibly see the kingdom of God around us if Divine Order and Divine Life are combined in real life circumstances.
 - d. The kingdom of God is automatically expressed in my local church because the local church and the kingdom of God are one and the same.

3. The word “gospel” means “good news”. TRUE or FALSE

4. Christ wants to bring His kingdom onto the entire planet and into every area of life like marriage & family, market place, civil government, media, arts, education, etc. TRUE or FALSE

Session 2: Experiencing Christ

1. Is it possible to intimately know, relate to, and experience Christ as a Person? Yes or No

2. What are the key heart attitudes necessary to knowing, loving, and obeying Christ? Circle correct answers:
 - a. Humility and submission are important heart attitudes because Christ is a King. He must relate to us on His terms not ours.
 - b. Christ is merciful, so it doesn’t matter how you approach him.
 - c. Believing that Christ exists is enough.
 - d. One must place their faith in Christ which is more than intellectual assent. Faith is total trust and dependence on Him.

3. Is it possible for Christ to actually live within someone? Yes or No If so, where is Christ's dwelling place?
 - a. The mind.
 - b. The body.
 - c. The soul.
 - d. The spirit or heart.

Session 3: Experiencing the Father

1. Having a close intimate relationship with your heavenly Father is one of the main reasons you exist. TRUE or FALSE
2. Circle the letter(s) before the statements that are True:
 - a. Father not only loves you, He likes you. Even more, he adores you. You are His delight. His affection toward you is beyond measuring, even when you are sinning.
 - b. Father's love does not go up or down based upon your performance in life.
 - c. Father is very "likeable". He is kind, gentle, merciful, patient, and understanding. He has a great sense of humor. There is no Being more likeable and loveable than your heavenly Father. He is the nicest Person in all creation. He is not mean or angry. He does hate evil, but He doesn't hate you.
 - d. Father doesn't want you to try and become "good" so that you can fellowship with Him. He wants you to fellowship with Him and then as a result you will become "good". In other words, we don't have to become good to get God. We get God and end up becoming "good".
 - e. Father wants you to place your shame, guilt, sin, and failure under the blood of Christ. It is the blood of Christ that pays the penalty for all broken covenants. When you "blow it", your first instinct should be to run into Father's arms, not away from Him.
 - f. If your natural biological father hurt you, your view and feelings toward God will be so distorted that they can never be corrected.

Session 4: Experiencing the Person of the Holy Spirit

1. After Jesus ascended into heaven and continuing now through the church age, the Holy Spirit is now the **primary** manifestation of the presence of the Trinity among us. TRUE or FALSE
2. Which of the following is true concerning the Holy Spirit?
 - a. He is a Person.
 - b. He is fully God.
 - c. He convicts us of sin.
 - d. He is our helper and advocate.
 - e. All of the above

Session 5: Hearing and obeying God's Voice

1. God speaks objectively (*logos*) through the written word of God, **and** subjectively (*rhema*) to us through the Holy Spirit. God will never speak something to us that is outside the parameters and principles of His written word. TRUE or FALSE
2. Which of the following are hindrances to **receiving** God's word?
 - a. Satan
 - b. Hardness of heart
 - c. Cares of the world
 - d. Correct revelation, interpretation, and application
 - e. All of the above

Session 6: The Disciplines

1. The disciplines are an end in and of themselves. TRUE or FALSE
2. Doing the disciplines as if God were absent breeds hopelessness. TRUE or FALSE
3. List three examples of spiritual disciplines: _____

Session 7: Experiencing God In and Thru His Family

1. Turning the hearts of the fathers to the children and the disobedient to the wisdom of the righteous makes ready a people prepared for the Lord. TRUE or FALSE
2. Paul called Timothy, Titus, Elijah, and Onesemus his sons. TRUE or FALSE
3. Your revelation of the love of Christ is incomplete apart from being loved by people. TRUE or FALSE

Session 8: Character Formation

1. The process of becoming more like Christ is called **Sanctification**. TRUE or FALSE
2. Which of the following is true concerning the process of becoming more like Christ in our character?
 - a. Character is given to us completely at salvation.
 - b. It comes when people lay hands on us.
 - c. Gets imputed to us as we eat Arthur Bryant's BBQ.
 - d. Is a co-operation with God and man, whereby He is at work within us, and we "by the Spirit" put to death our carnal flesh.

Session 9: Faith Goals

1. Faith goals are effective in helping us to grow in the grace and knowledge of God.
TRUE or FALSE

2. "Hope deferred makes the heart sick, but a longing fulfilled is a tree of life" Proverbs 13:12
TRUE or FALSE

Session 10: Making Disciples

1. Being a Christian is different from being a disciple. TRUE or FALSE
2. Disciples are only made in small groups. TRUE or FALSE
3. Disciples are only made by preaching. TRUE or FALSE
4. Jesus said that the mark of a disciple is:
 - a. Love for one another.
 - b. Bearing much fruit.
 - c. Holding to Jesus' teaching.
 - d. Carrying your cross.
 - e. Following Jesus.
 - f. Hating your family and your life.
 - g. Giving up everything.
 - h. All of the above.
 - i. None of the above.

DOCTRINE QUESTIONS- 2nd Hour- From the Foundation Book
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Session 1: Inerrant, Inspired, Word of God

1. What criteria were used to authenticate the Old Testament canon?
 - a. The content of the books must be in harmony with the law.
 - b. The books must have been written between Moses and Ezra.
 - c. The language of the original books had to be in Hebrew.
 - d. They had to be written within the geographical boundaries of Israel.
 - e. All of the above.
 - f. None of the above.
2. The Apocrypha is part of the inspired Word of God. TRUE or FALSE
3. If someone speaks a "prophetic word" to you that does not line up with the written word of God, which should you obey: the "prophetic word" or the written Word?

Session 2: Intro to Old Testament

1. The Old Testament has _____ books in it.
2. The Old Testament was originally written in Greek. TRUE or FALSE

Session 3: Intro to New Testament

1. The New Testament has _____ books in it.

2. The New Testament was originally written in Greek. TRUE or FALSE

Session 4: Repentance from Dead Works

1. The true gospel will include the preaching of repentance:
 - a. Always
 - b. Never
 - c. Sometimes
 - d. Depends on the situation
2. True repentance will result in works of righteousness:
 - a. Sometimes
 - b. Always

Session 5: Faith toward God

1. Faith is not sight. TRUE or FALSE
2. To walk by faith means to always live according to the Word of God irrespective of what happens around us. TRUE or FALSE
3. James 2:19 shows us that if you believe in God but do not obey Him, you are no better than:
 - a. An unbeliever.
 - b. Righteous people.
 - c. The demons.
 - d. The angels.

Session 6: Water Baptism

1. A new believer should be baptized in water:
 - a. When he feels like it.
 - b. Never.
 - c. Without delay.
 - d. Only on Sunday.
2. New Testament water baptism is by full immersion. TRUE or FALSE
3. Only believers were baptized in the New Testament. TRUE or FALSE
4. Baptism may be performed by:
 - a. Only a priest.
 - b. Only an ordained minister.
 - c. Only a man.
 - d. Only a pastor.
 - e. Any believer.

Session 7: Baptism in the Holy Spirit

1. The Holy Spirit is an impersonal force, power, and influence. He is not a personality. True or False
2. The Holy Spirit is not God or equal to the Son and Father. True or False
3. The word "baptism" means "to dip". True or False
4. Circle the letters before the statements which are **true** about the Baptism in the Holy Spirit:
 - a. The baptism of the Holy Spirit is optional and not necessary to have a successful Christian life and witness.
 - b. The baptism of the Holy Spirit is only for certain believers who have special callings on their life.
 - c. The baptism of the Holy Spirit is when we are immersed and empowered by the Holy Spirit, so that we can be like Christ and powerfully advance His kingdom.
 - d. The Holy Spirit brings us into the realm of the supernatural power of God.
 - e. The Holy Spirit functions as our Teacher, Leader, and Guide.
 - f. The Holy Spirit is our Comforter and Helper.

Session 8: Laying On Of Hands

1. The laying on of hands is:
 - a. A dead traditional rite.
 - b. Something we should not do.
 - c. Old fashioned and outdated.
 - d. A living, meaningful, effective, Biblical practice.
 - e. Something we should be afraid of.
 - f. Something we should be embarrassed about.
2. In the New Testament, what are the purposes for laying on of hands?
 - a. To impart a blessing.
 - b. The ministry of healing.
 - c. To receive the baptism of the Holy Spirit.
 - d. To impart spiritual gifts.
 - e. To commission ministries.
 - f. To appoint elders in the local church.
 - g. To appoint men for specific acts of service in the church.
 - h. All of the above.
 - i. Some of the above.
3. Any believer can lay hands upon a fellow believer as a point of contact to release faith. TRUE or FALSE

Session 9: Resurrection of the Dead

1. Without Jesus' resurrection there is no salvation. TRUE or FALSE
2. The gospel is the gospel not only of the death of Jesus but also his resurrection. TRUE or FALSE
3. It does not matter whether or not we include Jesus' resurrection in our presentation of the gospel. TRUE or FALSE

Session 10: Eternal Judgment

1. What 2 things are certain to come according to Hebrews 9:27?
1.) _____
2.) _____
2. All men, saved and lost, will be resurrected, and after resurrection, they will face judgment.
True or False

Required 1st Quarter Book Reading

Did you complete "Foundations" by Malcom Webber? Yes or No

Did you complete "Secret to the Christian Life" by Gene Edwards? Yes or No