

BIBLE QUIZ QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS FOR ADULTS

50 Questions With References

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THE LAW AND THE HISTORICAL BOOKS

- 1 Which king of Salem, described as priest of God Most High, brought out bread and wine and blessed Abram?

- 2 Which two sons of Aaron died after offering unauthorized fire before the Lord?

- 3 The daughters of Zelophehad asked Moses for what?

- 4 What did Moses make to heal Israelites bitten by venomous snakes?

- 5 Who succeeded Aaron as high priest?

- 6 What were the cities of refuge for, and how many were there?

- 7 Whose theft from Jericho caused Israel's defeat at Ai?

- 8 Which tribe received no territory of its own when the land was divided?

- 9 Which left-handed judge killed Eglon, king of Moab?

- 10 Who prayed so intensely at Shiloh that the priest Eli thought she was drunk?

- 11 How was Ruth related to King David?

- 12 Where did King Saul go to consult a medium before his final battle?

- 13 Which prophet confronted David with a story about a rich man who took a poor man's lamb?

- 14 Which son of David led a revolt and was left hanging in midair when his hair caught in a tree?

- 15 During whose reign did the ten northern tribes break away from the house of David?

- 16 What did Jeroboam set up at Bethel and Dan?

- 17 Which king of Judah was granted fifteen more years of life, with a shadow moving back ten steps as a sign?

- 18 During which king's temple repairs was the Book of the Law found?

- 19 Which prophet did Josiah's officials consult about the Book of the Law that had been found?

- 20 Which Persian king allowed the Jewish exiles to return and rebuild the temple?

- 21 How long did it take to rebuild Jerusalem's wall under Nehemiah?

- 22 What was Esther's Hebrew name?

- 23 What festival did the Jews establish to remember their deliverance in the book of Esther?

WISDOM AND POETRY

- 24 Name Job's three friends who came to comfort him.

- 25 Which chapter of the Bible has 176 verses?

- 26 Which psalm is titled "A prayer of Moses the man of God"?

27 To whom are Proverbs 30 and Proverbs 31 attributed?

28 Which book says there is a time for everything and a season for every activity under the heavens?

29 According to Proverbs, what is the beginning of knowledge?

THE PROPHETS

30 Which prophet saw the Lord on a throne and had his lips touched with a live coal?

31 Which prophet was lowered into a muddy cistern, and who rescued him?

32 Which prophet saw a valley full of dry bones come to life?

33 Which prophet was told to marry Gomer?

34 Which prophet said he was a shepherd who also took care of sycamore-fig trees?

35 Which Old Testament book has only one chapter of 21 verses and is directed against Edom?

36 Which prophet named Bethlehem Ephrathah as the place a ruler over Israel would come from?

37 Which prophet complained to God about violence in Judah and was told God would raise up the Babylonians?

38 Which prophet said God would send the prophet Elijah before the day of the Lord?

NEW TESTAMENT BIBLE QUIZ QUESTIONS FOR ADULTS

39 What was the name of the high priest's servant whose ear Peter cut off?

- 40 Who was high priest the year Jesus was crucified, and who was his father-in-law?

- 41 To whom are the Gospel of Luke and the book of Acts addressed?

- 42 Who was chosen by lot to replace Judas among the apostles?

- 43 Which married couple died after lying about the price of land they had sold?

- 44 In Philippi, which dealer in purple cloth from Thyatira believed Paul's message and was baptized?

- 45 Which couple worked as tentmakers with Paul in Corinth?

- 46 What was the name of the man who fell from a third-story window while Paul was speaking late into the night?

- 47 Which slave, who became a believer through Paul, is the subject of Paul's letter to Philemon?

- 48 Which chapter lists Old Testament believers who acted by faith, including Abel, Noah, Abraham, Moses, and Rahab?

- 49 Which letter says faith that is not accompanied by action is dead?

- 50 Which letter mentions the archangel Michael disputing with the devil about the body of Moses?

ANSWER KEY

Bible Quiz Questions and Answers for Adults. Every answer includes a Bible reference so you can read the passage.

THE LAW AND THE HISTORICAL BOOKS

- 1 Melchizedek. Abram gave him a tenth of everything. (*Genesis 14:18-20*)
- 2 Nadab and Abihu. Fire came out from the presence of the Lord and consumed them. (*Leviticus 10:1-2*)
- 3 Their father's property. He had died with no sons, and the Lord told Moses their request was right and they should receive his inheritance. (*Numbers 27:1-7*)
- 4 A bronze snake on a pole. Anyone who was bitten and looked at it lived. Centuries later King Hezekiah broke it into pieces because the people were burning incense to it. It was called Nehushtan. (*Numbers 21:8-9; 2 Kings 18:4*)
- 5 His son Eleazar. Moses removed Aaron's garments and put them on Eleazar on Mount Hor, and Aaron died there. (*Numbers 20:25-28*)
- 6 They were places where a person who killed someone accidentally could flee and be protected until trial. There were six. (*Numbers 35:11-15*)
- 7 Achan's. He took a robe from Babylonia, silver, and a bar of gold and hid them in the ground inside his tent. (*Joshua 7:1, 20-21*)
- 8 The tribe of Levi. The Lord and the offerings made to Him were their inheritance. (*Joshua 13:14, 33*)
- 9 Ehud son of Gera, a Benjamite. He hid a double-edged sword on his right thigh. (*Judges 3:15-21*)
- 10 Hannah. She was praying for a son, and she later gave birth to Samuel. (*1 Samuel 1:12-14, 20*)
- 11 She was his great-grandmother. Ruth's son Obed was the father of Jesse, and Jesse was the father of David. (*Ruth 4:13, 17*)
- 12 Endor. He disguised himself and went at night. (*1 Samuel 28:7-8*)
- 13 Nathan. When David grew angry at the rich man, Nathan told him that he was the man in the story. (*2 Samuel 12:1-7*)
- 14 Absalom. His mule kept going, Joab plunged javelins into him, and Joab's armor-bearers struck him down. (*2 Samuel 18:9, 14-15*)
- 15 Rehoboam son of Solomon. The northern tribes made Jeroboam their king. (*1 Kings 12:16-20*)
- 16 Two golden calves, so the people would not go to Jerusalem to worship. (*1 Kings 12:26-29*)
- 17 Hezekiah. The prophet Isaiah delivered the message. (*2 Kings 20:1-11*)

- 18 Josiah's. Hilkiah the high priest found it, and when the king heard it read he tore his robes. (*2 Kings 22:8-11*)
- 19 Huldah the prophet, the wife of Shallum, who lived in the New Quarter of Jerusalem. (*2 Kings 22:12-14*)
- 20 Cyrus. (*Ezra 1:1-3*)
- 21 Fifty-two days. The wall was finished on the twenty-fifth of Elul. (*Nehemiah 6:15*)
- 22 Hadassah. Her cousin Mordecai raised Esther after her father and mother died. (*Esther 2:7*)
- 23 Purim, named after the pur (lot) that Haman cast. (*Esther 9:24-26*)

WISDOM AND POETRY

- 24 Eliphaz the Temanite, Bildad the Shuhite, and Zophar the Naamathite. A younger man, Elihu, speaks later in the book. (*Job 2:11; 32:2*)
- 25 Psalm 119. It is divided into 22 sections of eight verses, each headed by a letter of the Hebrew alphabet. (*Psalms 119*)
- 26 Psalm 90. (*Psalms 90, title*)
- 27 Proverbs 30 is attributed to Agur son of Jakeh, and Proverbs 31 to King Lemuel, who recorded what his mother taught him. (*Proverbs 30:1; 31:1*)
- 28 Ecclesiastes. (*Ecclesiastes 3:1*)
- 29 The fear of the Lord. (*Proverbs 1:7*)

THE PROPHETS

- 30 Isaiah. A seraph took the coal from the altar. (*Isaiah 6:1-7*)
- 31 Jeremiah. Ebed-Melek, a Cushite official in the royal palace, had him pulled out with ropes. (*Jeremiah 38:6-13*)
- 32 Ezekiel. (*Ezekiel 37:1-10*)
- 33 Hosea. (*Hosea 1:2-3*)
- 34 Amos, who was from Tekoa. (*Amos 1:1; 7:14*)
- 35 Obadiah. (*Obadiah 1:1, 21*)
- 36 Micah. The chief priests quoted this prophecy to Herod. (*Micah 5:2; Matthew 2:4-6*)
- 37 Habakkuk. (*Habakkuk 1:2-6*)
- 38 Malachi, in the closing verses of the Old Testament. (*Malachi 4:5*)

NEW TESTAMENT BIBLE QUIZ QUESTIONS FOR ADULTS

- 39 Malchus. (*John 18:10*)
- 40 Caiaphas was high priest, and Annas was his father-in-law. Jesus was taken to Annas first. (*John 18:13*)
- 41 Theophilus. (*Luke 1:3; Acts 1:1*)
- 42 Matthias. (*Acts 1:23-26*)
- 43 Ananias and Sapphira. (*Acts 5:1-10*)
- 44 Lydia. The Lord opened her heart, and her household was baptized with her. (*Acts 16:14-15*)
- 45 Aquila and Priscilla, who had recently come from Italy. (*Acts 18:1-3*)
- 46 Eutychus. Paul went down, put his arms around him, and he was taken home alive. (*Acts 20:9-12*)
- 47 Onesimus. Paul sent him back to Philemon, asking him to receive Onesimus no longer as a slave but as a dear brother. (*Philemon 1:10-16*)
- 48 Hebrews 11. (*Hebrews 11:4, 7-8, 24, 31*)
- 49 James. (*James 2:17*)
- 50 Jude. (*Jude 1:9*)

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