

BIBLE TRIVIA QUESTIONS

50 Questions and Answers From Genesis to Revelation

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ROUND 1: CREATION AND THE PATRIARCHS

- 1 What did God create on the first day?

- 2 Who killed his brother Abel?

- 3 How old was Methuselah when he died?

- 4 What were the names of Noah's three sons?

- 5 What did people try to build on the plain of Shinar, and how did God stop them?

- 6 What was Abraham's name before God changed it?

- 7 What happened to Lot's wife when she looked back at Sodom?

- 8 What did Esau trade his birthright for?

- 9 What did Jacob see in his dream at Bethel?

- 10 How many sons did Jacob have?

ROUND 2: MOSES, THE EXODUS, AND THE WILDERNESS

- 11 What was the tenth and final plague on Egypt?

- 12 What did the Israelites put on their doorframes the night of the first Passover?

13 Who did God appoint to speak for Moses because Moses said he was slow of speech?

14 What idol did the Israelites make while Moses was on Mount Sinai?

15 Which two spies gave a good report about the land of Canaan?

16 How many years did Israel wander in the wilderness as a result of refusing to enter the land?

17 Whose donkey spoke to him on the road?

18 Who led Israel into the Promised Land after Moses died?

ROUND 3: JUDGES, KINGS, AND PROPHETS

19 Who hid two Israelite spies on her roof in Jericho?

20 Which prophet was leading Israel as judge when Barak went out against Sisera?

21 How many men did God leave Gideon to fight the Midianites?

22 Who told her mother-in-law that she would go wherever she went?

23 Who was the first king of Israel?

24 What was the name of Saul's son who became David's close friend?

25 Who built the first temple in Jerusalem?

26 On which mountain did Elijah challenge the prophets of Baal?

27 How was Elijah taken up to heaven?

- 28 Which army commander was healed of leprosy after washing seven times in the Jordan?

- 29 What words did a hand write on the wall at King Belshazzar's banquet?

ROUND 4: THE LIFE OF JESUS

- 30 What was Matthew doing when Jesus called him to follow?

- 31 How long did Jesus fast in the wilderness before the devil tempted Him?

- 32 What are the blessings at the start of the Sermon on the Mount commonly called?

- 33 Which prayer did Jesus give His disciples as a pattern for prayer?

- 34 Which Pharisee came to Jesus at night?

- 35 Which disciple denied knowing Jesus three times?

- 36 How much did the chief priests pay Judas to betray Jesus?

- 37 Which prisoner did the crowd ask Pilate to release instead of Jesus?

- 38 Who was forced to carry the cross for Jesus?

- 39 Who asked Pilate for Jesus's body and laid it in his own new tomb?

- 40 Which disciple said he would not believe Jesus had risen unless he saw and touched the nail marks?

ROUND 5: THE EARLY CHURCH

- 41 What happened when the Holy Spirit came on the day of Pentecost?

42 Which of the seven men chosen to serve the Jerusalem church was stoned to death?

43 Philip explained the Scriptures to an official from which country, then baptized him?

44 In which city were the disciples first called Christians?

45 Who did the Holy Spirit set apart with Saul for the first missionary journey?

ROUND 6: THE LETTERS AND REVELATION

46 Who wrote the letter to the Romans?

47 Of faith, hope, and love, which does Paul call the greatest?

48 Where was John when he received the vision recorded in Revelation?

49 What does Revelation say will no longer exist in the new Jerusalem?

50 How many churches received letters in the opening chapters of Revelation?

ANSWER KEY

Bible Trivia Questions. Every answer includes a Bible reference so you can read the passage.

ROUND 1: CREATION AND THE PATRIARCHS

- 1 Light. God separated the light from the darkness and called the light "day" and the darkness "night." (*Genesis 1:3-5*)
- 2 Cain, Abel's older brother. He attacked Abel in a field after the Lord looked with favor on Abel's offering but not on his. (*Genesis 4:3-8*)
- 3 969 years old. He is the longest-lived person recorded in the Bible. (*Genesis 5:27*)
- 4 Shem, Ham, and Japheth. All three went into the ark with their wives. (*Genesis 6:10; 7:13*)
- 5 A city with a tower reaching to the heavens, known as the tower of Babel. God confused their language so they could not understand each other, and they scattered. (*Genesis 11:2-9*)
- 6 Abram. God renamed him Abraham because He would make him the father of many nations. (*Genesis 17:5*)
- 7 She became a pillar of salt. (*Genesis 19:26*)
- 8 Some bread and lentil stew from his brother Jacob. He came in hungry from the open country and sold the birthright on the spot. (*Genesis 25:29-34*)
- 9 A stairway resting on the earth with its top reaching to heaven, and angels going up and down on it. (*Genesis 28:12, 19*)
- 10 Twelve. Their descendants became the twelve tribes of Israel. (*Genesis 35:22-26; 49:28*)

ROUND 2: MOSES, THE EXODUS, AND THE WILDERNESS

- 11 The death of every firstborn in Egypt, from Pharaoh's firstborn to the firstborn of the livestock. (*Exodus 11:4-5; 12:29*)
- 12 The blood of a lamb. When the Lord saw the blood, He passed over that house. (*Exodus 12:7, 13*)
- 13 His brother Aaron. (*Exodus 4:10-16*)
- 14 A golden calf. Aaron made it from gold earrings the people gave him. (*Exodus 32:1-4*)
- 15 Joshua son of Nun and Caleb son of Jephunneh. They urged the people to trust the Lord and go in. (*Numbers 14:6-9*)
- 16 Forty years, one year for each of the forty days the spies explored the land. (*Numbers 14:33-34*)
- 17 Balaam's. The donkey saw the angel of the Lord blocking the road before Balaam did. (*Numbers 22:22-28*)

- 18 Joshua. Moses had laid his hands on him, and the Lord commissioned him to lead the people across the Jordan. *(Deuteronomy 34:9; Joshua 1:1-2)*
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ROUND 3: JUDGES, KINGS, AND PROPHETS

- 19 Rahab. She hid them under stalks of flax and later let them down from her window with a rope. *(Joshua 2:1-6, 15)*
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- 20 Deborah. She held court under a palm tree in the hill country of Ephraim. *(Judges 4:4-7)*
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- 21 Three hundred, the men who lapped water from their hands. *(Judges 7:6-7)*
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- 22 Ruth, speaking to Naomi. She also said Naomi's people would be her people and Naomi's God her God. *(Ruth 1:16)*
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- 23 Saul son of Kish, from the tribe of Benjamin. Samuel anointed him. *(1 Samuel 9:1-2; 10:1, 24)*
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- 24 Jonathan. He made a covenant with David because he loved him as himself. *(1 Samuel 18:1-3)*
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- 25 King Solomon, son of David. He began in the fourth year of his reign. *(1 Kings 6:1, 14)*
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- 26 Mount Carmel. Fire from the Lord fell and burned up Elijah's sacrifice. *(1 Kings 18:19-20, 38)*
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- 27 In a whirlwind, after a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated him from Elisha. *(2 Kings 2:11)*
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- 28 Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram. *(2 Kings 5:1, 10, 14)*
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- 29 "This is the inscription that was written: mene, mene, tekel, parsin." Daniel explained that God had numbered the days of Belshazzar's reign, weighed him and found him wanting, and divided his kingdom. *(Daniel 5:25-28)*
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ROUND 4: THE LIFE OF JESUS

- 30 Sitting at the tax collector's booth. He got up and followed Jesus. *(Matthew 9:9)*
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- 31 Forty days and forty nights. *(Matthew 4:1-2)*
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- 32 The Beatitudes. Each one pronounces a blessing on a certain kind of person, such as the poor in spirit or the merciful. *(Matthew 5:1-12)*
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- 33 The Lord's Prayer, which begins by addressing God as Father in heaven. *(Matthew 6:9-13)*
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- 34 Nicodemus, a member of the Jewish ruling council. Jesus told him he must be born again. *(John 3:1-7)*
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- 35 Peter. After the third denial a rooster crowed, and he went outside and wept bitterly. *(Luke 22:54-62)*
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- 36 Thirty pieces of silver. *(Matthew 26:14-15)*
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- 37 Barabbas. *(Matthew 27:15-21)*
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- 38 Simon of Cyrene, the father of Alexander and Rufus. *(Mark 15:21)*
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- 39 Joseph of Arimathea, a rich man who had become a disciple of Jesus. (*Matthew 27:57-60*)
- 40 Thomas. A week later Jesus appeared to him, and Thomas called Him his Lord and his God. (*John 20:24-28*)
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ROUND 5: THE EARLY CHURCH

- 41 A sound like a violent wind filled the house, what seemed to be tongues of fire rested on each believer, and they began to speak in other languages. (*Acts 2:1-4*)
- 42 Stephen. The witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. (*Acts 6:5; 7:58-60*)
- 43 Ethiopia. The man was an official in charge of the treasury of the Kandake, queen of the Ethiopians, and he was reading from Isaiah. (*Acts 8:27-38*)
- 44 Antioch. (*Acts 11:26*)
- 45 Barnabas. The church at Antioch placed their hands on them and sent them off. (*Acts 13:2-3*)
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ROUND 6: THE LETTERS AND REVELATION

- 46 Paul, who introduces himself as a servant of Christ Jesus, called to be an apostle. (*Romans 1:1*)
- 47 Love. (*1 Corinthians 13:13*)
- 48 On the island of Patmos, where he was because of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus. (*Revelation 1:9*)
- 49 Death, mourning, crying, and pain. God will wipe every tear from their eyes. (*Revelation 21:4*)
- 50 Seven: Ephesus, Smyrna, Pergamum, Thyatira, Sardis, Philadelphia, and Laodicea. (*Revelation 1:11*)
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