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QUESTIONS

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Foundations Course - 34 Multiple Choice Questions with Answers

1. What does the Bible say about our spiritual condition before salvation?

- A) We were spiritually neutral
- B) We were born righteous
- C) We were dead in trespasses and sins
- D) We were partially saved

Answer: C

2. According to the Bible, salvation is received through:

- A) Church attendance
- B) Reading devotionals
- C) Faith in Jesus Christ alone
- D) Water baptism and Spirit baptism

Answer: C

3. What is the first response God expects from a sinner who hears the Gospel?

- A) They must join a church
- B) Repentance from sin
- C) Give money to the church
- D) Get baptized in water

Answer: B

4. According to Romans 10:9-10, what two actions lead to salvation?

- A) Going to church and reading Scripture
- B) Confessing with the mouth and believing in the heart
- C) Serving others and praying daily
- D) Attending Bible school and fasting

Answer: B

5. Why is Jesus' Blood necessary for salvation?

- A) It is only symbolic of greater realities
- B) It fulfilled Old Testament rituals and teachings
- C) It cleanses us from sin and satisfies God's justice

D) It represents forgiveness

Answer: C

6. Which of the following best describes "grace" in the context of salvation?

A) A Divine influence on our emotions

B) God's unearned favour and enabling power

C) Permission to sin without ongoing guilt

D) A feeling of spiritual peace

Answer: B

7. What happens in the spirit of a person who is truly born again?

A) Their personality changes completely

B) They experience only emotional highs not lows

C) Their spirit is made alive and God's Spirit comes to dwell within them

D) They immediately stop all sinful habits

Answer: C

8. What is the purpose of water baptism after salvation?

A) This action will guarantee salvation

B) It is both a public declaration and an act of obedience symbolising the inner change

C) It is a traditional church ritual

D) It is a requirement needed to become a church member

Answer: B

9. What is the significance of communion (the Lord's Supper)?

A) It is a meal for fellowship only

B) It is a reminder of Jesus' death and a proclamation of His return

C) It is a time to share testimonies

D) It is a way to guarantee salvation

Answer: B

10. Who is the Holy Spirit according to the Bible?

- A) An impersonal force or energy
- B) The power of the Church
- C) The third Person of the Godhead Who indwells and empowers Believers
- D) A created being sent to help us

Answer: C

11. What does it mean to be baptized in the Holy Spirit?

- A) This is to be sprinkled with oil
- B) This is to be water baptized again
- C) This is to be immersed in God's Spirit and empowered for service
- D) This is to join a Pentecostal church

Answer: C

12. What was the initial evidence of being baptized in the Holy Spirit in Acts Ch 2?

- A) Joy and dancing
- B) Speaking in other tongues
- C) Crying and weeping
- D) Healing others and performing miracles

Answer: B

13. What is a Believer's ongoing responsibility after receiving salvation?

- A) To immediately become a missionary
- B) To live a holy life, to be transformed by the Word, and to serve others
- C) To memorise the New Testament
- D) To evangelize full-time

Answer: B

14. Which spiritual discipline helps Believers stay strong in faith?

- A) Watching Christian media TV
- B) Doing good works
- C) Regular prayer, Bible reading, and fellowship
- D) Attending Christian conferences

Answer: C

15. Why are students required to answer questions based on the Study Unit content rather than their own personal interpretation?

- a) This is because personal beliefs are not important
- b) In order to ensure that everyone gives the same answers
- c) To maintain consistency in assessment and uphold academic integrity
- d) In order to limit student creativity

Answer: C

16. What does answering according to the Study Unit demonstrate about the student?

- a) It shows that they agree with every doctrine in the course
- b) It demonstrates their ability to memorize Scripture
- c) It reveals their willingness to blindly follow rules
- d) It shows their discipline in learning, humility in receiving instruction, and respect for the educational process

Answer: D

17. What is the ultimate goal of this approach to structured assessment?

- a) To test how well students are able to debate doctrine
- b) To foster both academic excellence and spiritual maturity
- c) To promote uniformity in religious opinion
- d) To prepare students for secular university studies

Answer: B

18. Which of the following best reflects the reason why this assessment approach is used in theological training?

- a) To avoid conflicts between students with different views
- b) To prevent the usage of external textbooks
- c) To support structured learning and prepare students for future ministry
- d) To simplify the marking process for assessors

Answer: C

19. Why is tithing taught in the Christian life?

- A) So Believers can earn more blessings

- B) So Believers can become rich
- C) It is taught as an act of obedience, so we can honour God with our increase
- D) So Believers can impress the church leaders

Answer: C

20. According to 2 Timothy 3:16, what is Scripture useful for?

- A) Worship and decoration
- B) Entertainment in the churches
- C) Teaching, rebuking, correcting, and training in righteousness
- D) Creating songs

Answer: C

21. What is the Biblical view of God's authorship of the Bible?

- A) Many men wrote the Bible independently
- B) God dictated every word robotically
- C) Holy men of God wrote as they were moved by the Holy Spirit
- D) The books of the Bible were assembled randomly

Answer: C

22. What does Jesus say in Matthew 4:4 about the Word of God?

- A) The Word of God is only for teachers
- B) Man shall live by bread alone
- C) Man shall live by every Word that proceeds from the mouth of God
- D) Only priests can explain and interpret the Word

Answer: C

23. According to Romans 10:17, faith comes by what?

- A) Reading theology books
- B) Seeing miracles and healings
- C) Hearing the Word of God
- D) Personal experience

Answer: C

24. What key event secured our salvation according to Scripture?

- A) Jesus' teachings
- B) Jesus' miracles and healings
- C) Jesus' death and resurrection
- D) Jesus' baptism

Answer: C

25. In John 3:16, what is required to receive eternal life?

- A) Many good works are required
- B) Regular Church attendance is needed
- C) Belief in Jesus is essential
- D) Praying on a daily basis is necessary

Answer: C

26. What is one of the signs of a true Believer according to Mark 16:17-18?

- A) Wealth and financial prosperity
- B) Perfect memory and recall
- C) Speaking in new tongues
- D) Popularity in church circles

Answer: C

27. What does the Bible call our body in 1 Corinthians 6:19?

- A) A shell which will eventually decay
- B) A temporary vessel
- C) The temple of the Holy Spirit
- D) A machine, strong and capable

Answer: C

28. What is the role of the Holy Spirit according to John 14:26?

- A) To convict only Pastors and other ministers
- B) To entertain Believers and keep everyone happy
- C) To teach us all things and remind us of Jesus' Words
- D) To control our actions so we don't stray

Answer: C

29. In Ephesians 6, what is the Word of God referred to as?

- A) The shield of faith

- B) The sword of the Spirit
- C) The helmet of peace
- D) The sandals of fire

Answer: B

30. What must accompany hearing the Word for it to benefit us according to Hebrews 4:2?

- A) Fasting
- B) Excitement
- C) Faith
- D) Music

Answer: C

31. What does Romans 12:2 tell us not to conform to?

- A) Religious tradition
- B) This world
- C) Old covenant laws
- D) Angels' teachings

Answer: B

32. How are we transformed according to Romans 12:2?

- A) By working hard
- B) By renewing our minds
- C) Through family teaching
- D) By Church tradition

Answer: B

33. What is the purpose of spiritual gifts according to 1 Corinthians 12?

- A) To glorify the individual
- B) To build up the Church
- C) To amaze unbelievers
- D) To inspire people to give offerings

Answer: B

34. What does Galatians 5:22-23 describe?

- A) The qualifications required of Pastors
- B) The signs of end times

- C) The fruit of the Spirit
- D) The works of the flesh

Answer: C

35. What is the greatest commandment, according to Jesus, in Matthew 22:37-38?

- A) To love your neighbour
- B) To keep the Sabbath
- C) To tithe faithfully
- D) To love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and mind

Answer: D

36. What is the second greatest commandment?

- A) To go to church weekly
- B) To love your neighbour as yourself
- C) To keep the commandments
- D) To offer up sacrifices to God

Answer: B

37. According to Matthew 28:19-20, what is the mission of all Disciples?

- A) To become Pastors
- B) To go into business and make money for the Kingdom
- C) To make Disciples of all nations, baptizing and teaching them
- D) To build churches

Answer: C

38. What does 2 Timothy 3:16 say about Scripture?

- A) It makes a good suggestions only
- B) It is for pastors only
- C) It is God-breathed and useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting, and training
- D) It is outdated and not modern enough for today

Answer: C

39. Do you wish to do the Module Course?

- A) Yes
- B) No

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