

BIBLE CUSTOMS AND CULTURES
FINAL EXAM

Name _____

Write the letter of the answer in the space provided (45 possible / 5 bonus).

- _____ 1. The first occupation of people was (A) prostitution; (B) potters; (C) carpenters; (D) agriculturists.
- _____ 2. The first metal worker recorded in the Bible was (A) Tubalcain; (B) Zillah; (C) Naamah; (D) Smith.
- _____ 3. Jeremiah described Israel as a rebellious nation that God would destroy (A) with a rod of iron; (B) as one breaks a potter's vessel; (C) like burning reeds; (D) with a wooden mallet.
- _____ 4. Carpenters (A) fell trees; (B) cut boards from logs; (C) constructed items; (D) all of the above.
- _____ 5. Malachi prophesied (3:2-3) that God would come like a (A) carpenter's tool; (B) fuller's soap; (C) physician; (D) farmer's plow.
- _____ 6. Numbers 21:14 mentions (A) the "book of Jasher;" (B) the "book of remembrance;" (C) the "book of the wars of the Lord;" (D) the "book of life."
- _____ 7. Beginning with (A) Abraham; (B) Joshua; (C) Saul; (D) David, Israel had a regular army.
- _____ 8. The (A) foot soldier; (B) archer; (C) engineer; (D) cavalryman was the key to victory in Bible times.
- _____ 9. The principle base for the Roman army in Palestine during the first century was in the city of (A) Jerusalem; (B) Tyre; (C) Joppa; (D) Caesarea.
- _____ 10. Generally, the Roman army in Palestine during the first century was made up of (A) Romans and Jews; (B) Italians and Syrians; (C) only Romans; (D) only Jews.
- _____ 11. Plants were created on the (A) second; (B) third; (C) fourth; (D) fifth day of the creation week.
- _____ 12. While riding on a mule, Absalom caught his hair in the branches of an (A) gopher tree; (B) cedar tree; (C) oak tree; (D) sycamore tree.
- _____ 13. (A) Mint, anise, and cummin; (B) Aloes; (C) Myrrh was used in the Israel's holy anointing oil (Exodus 30:23-33).
- _____ 14. To show the power of even small faith, Jesus used the example of a (A) olive tree; (B) birds of the air; (C) the flowers of the field; (D) mustard seed.
- _____ 15. Jesus used thorns and thistles to illustrate (A) false teachers; (B) the trials of life; (C) man's rebellion; (D) He did not use thorns and thistles to illustrate anything.
- _____ 16. The behemoth and leviathan were (A) wild goats; (B) dinosaurs; (C) hippopotamus and crocodile; (D) mystical creatures.
- _____ 17. Samson and David each killed a (A) bear; (B) wolf; (C) leopard; (D) lion.

- _____ 18. Jeremiah used a (A) bear; (B) wolf; (C) leopard; (D) lion to symbolize Israel's impenitent attitude.
- _____ 19. The most common domestic animal mentioned in the Bible is (A) camels; (B) donkeys; (C) oxen; (D) sheep.
- _____ 20. Taken from an ox (Deuteronomy 22:10), Paul in 2 Corinthians 6:14 teaches about (A) fellowship; (B) heavy burdens; (C) support; (D) labor.
- _____ 21. The government in Palestine was unique because (A) it was under Jewish control; (B) it was dualistic in that it was under Palestinian and Roman control; (C) it was dualistic in that it was under both Jewish and Roman control; (D) it was under Syrian, Jewish, and Roman control.
- _____ 22. In 63 BC (A) Augustus; (B) Pompey; (C) Pax Romana; (D) Herod the Great conquered Palestine bringing it under Roman dominion.
- _____ 23. Herod the Great was a descendent of (A) Ishmael; (B) Joseph; (C) Jacob; (D) Esau.
- _____ 24. The person in Palestine responsible to collect taxes for Rome, command the military, and judge important judicial cases was called a (A) governor; (B) procurator; (C) king; (D) mayor.
- _____ 25. (A) Agrippa 1; (B) Agrippa 2; (C) Antipas; (D) Philip died by being eaten of worms.
- _____ 26. The title "Dominus et Deus" was given to (A) kings of Syria; (B) pope; (C) caesar; (D) kings of Judea.
- _____ 27. Jesus was born in the reign of (A) Augustus; (B) Tiberius; (C) Caligula; (D) Claudius.
- _____ 28. (A) Augustus; (B) Tiberius; (C) Caligula; (D) Claudius was the first caesar to demand to be worshiped as a god.
- _____ 29. (A) Augustus; (B) Tiberius; (C) Caligula; (D) Claudius ordered his image to be erected in the temple at Jerusalem though it was never accomplished.
- _____ 30. According to tradition, Peter and Paul were killed during the reign of (A) Nero; (B) Vitellius; (C) Vespasian; (D) Domitian.
- _____ 31. During the first century, the Jews regarded the wealthy as (A) thieves; (B) blessed of God; (C) money hungry; (D) fortunate.
- _____ 32. During the first century, most people in Palestine were (A) rich; (B) middle class; (C) poor; (D) slaves.
- _____ 33. Slaves made up a (A) very small; (B) small; (C) medium; (D) large portion of the Roman empire.
- _____ 34. Much of the art during the Roman empire centered around (A) religion; (B) common men; (C) pretty women; (D) emperors.

- _____ 35. Fortunate Jewish boys often studied (A) in public schools; (B) under great rabbis; (C) in universities.
- _____ 36. One of the most prominent religious customs in Palestine during the first century concerned (A) the Sabbath; (B) women's fashions; (C) meals which were ate; (D) fasting.
- _____ 37. To the Jews, the term "Gentile" was a term of (A) endearment; (B) exclusiveness; (C) reproach; (D) uncleanness.
- _____ 38. To the Jews, the Samaritans were seen as (A) friends; (B) neighbors; (C) good; (D) foreigners.
- _____ 39. Marriage engagement for a maiden lasted (A) three; (B) six; (C) eight; (D) ten months.
- _____ 40. Marriage ceremonies usually took place on (A) Monday; (B) Wednesday; (C) Friday; (D) Sabbath.
- _____ 41. Pantheon is (A) worship of all gods; (B) a building in Rome; (C) worship of the gods of nature; (D) the patron god of a city.
- _____ 42. As he was dying (A) Nero; (B) Vitellius; (C) Vespasian; (D) Domitian said, "Alas! I think that I am about to become a god!"
- _____ 43. Mystery religions were mostly of (A) Roman; (B) Greek; (C) Ukrainian; (D) Eastern origin.
- _____ 44. Magicians, sorcerers, witches, and horoscope are associated with (A) Pantheon worship; (B) emperor worship; (C) mystery religions; (D) the occult.
- _____ 45. Many of the philosophies of the first century made (A) the planets; (B) knowledge; (C) philosophers; (D) Plato their god.
- _____ 46. The Jews had (A) one; (B) two; (C) three; (D) four temples in Jerusalem at different times.
- _____ 47. The last one was built by (A) Solomon; (B) Zerubbabel; (C) Daniel; (D) Herod.
- _____ 48. The middle wall of partition was a stone wall that separated (A) the court of the Gentiles from the court of women; (B) the court of the Gentiles from the court of Men; (C) the Portico of Solomon from the court of the Gentiles; (D) the court of the Gentiles from the castle of Antonia.
- _____ 49. (A) Mattathias Maccabaeus; (B) Jonathan Maccabaeus; (C) Antiochus Maccabaeus; (D) Philip Maccabaeus led the "Maccabean Rebellion."
- _____ 50. The term "Synagogue" means (A) place of teaching; (B) gathered together; (C) influence; (D) who knows.