KINGDOM BIBLE QUIZ

1 John Bible Quiz

15 questions. Choose the best answer for each question. The answer key is on the last pages.

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1. What does John say about perfect love?

Ⓐ Perfect love casts out fear
Ⓑ Perfect love creates fear
Ⓒ Perfect love ignores fear
Ⓓ Perfect love requires fear

2. Who is traditionally believed to be the author of 1 John?

Ⓐ John the Evangelist
Ⓑ The Apostle Paul
Ⓒ James
Ⓓ Peter

3. Which other biblical book is most closely connected in theme to 1 John?

Ⓐ Revelation
Ⓑ Romans
Ⓒ The Gospel of John
Ⓓ Psalms

4. How does John conclude his letter regarding eternal life?

Ⓐ These things I have written to you that you may know you have eternal life
Ⓑ Work hard to earn eternal life
Ⓒ Eternal life is uncertain
Ⓓ Hope you might receive eternal life

5. Which biblical concept is closely linked to the idea of 'walking in the light' in 1 John?

Ⓐ Living in obedience
Ⓑ Prophetic visions
Ⓒ Performing rituals
Ⓓ Gaining secret knowledge

6. According to 1 John, what cleanses us from all sin?

Ⓐ Water baptism
Ⓑ The blood of Jesus Christ His Son
Ⓒ Regular confession
Ⓓ Our good works

7. In 1 John, what does the author say about those who claim to know God but do not keep His commandments?

Ⓐ They are weak in faith
Ⓑ They are confused
Ⓒ They are truly saved
Ⓓ They are liars

8. How does 1 John describe Jesus Christ in terms of His nature?

Ⓐ A created being
Ⓑ Fully human and fully divine
Ⓒ A prophet
Ⓓ A divine spirit

9. According to John, what is the confidence we have in prayer?

Ⓐ If we ask for material things
Ⓑ If we ask anything according to His will, He hears us
Ⓒ If we ask repeatedly
Ⓓ If we ask with enough faith

10. How does John define sin in this letter?

Ⓐ Sin is weakness
Ⓑ Sin is lawlessness
Ⓒ Sin is immaturity
Ⓓ Sin is ignorance

11. What does John say about those who claim to have fellowship with God but walk in darkness?

Ⓐ They lie and do not practice the truth
Ⓑ They will eventually understand
Ⓒ They need more teaching
Ⓓ They are confused but sincere

12. What is the primary theme emphasized in 1 John?

Ⓐ Faith and Works
Ⓑ The Second Coming
Ⓒ Love and Light
Ⓓ End Times Prophecy

13. What are the three that bear witness in earth according to 1 John?

Ⓐ Faith, hope, and love
Ⓑ The Father, Son, and Spirit
Ⓒ The Spirit, the water, and the blood
Ⓓ Past, present, and future

14. How does John test the spirits to see if they are from God?

Ⓐ Every spirit that confesses Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is of God
Ⓑ Every spirit that speaks eloquently
Ⓒ Every spirit that performs miracles
Ⓓ Every spirit that claims to be divine

15. What is a distinctive feature of 1 John's structure?

Ⓐ Poetry interlaced with prose
Ⓑ Repeated themes and summary statements
Ⓒ Chapters dedicated to parables
Ⓓ A detailed historical timeline

Answer key: 1 John Bible Quiz

Each answer has a short explanation and the Bible passage to read.

1. **A. Perfect love casts out fear**

1 John 4:18 teaches that perfect love casts out fear because fear involves torment.

2. **A. John the Evangelist**

Traditionally, the Apostle John is regarded as the author of 1 John, likely the same John who authored the Gospel of John and Revelation (1 John 1:1).

3. **C. The Gospel of John**

1 John shares theological themes such as the Word becoming flesh, love, and eternal life, which are also prominent in the Gospel of John (John 1:1-14; 1 John 1:1-3).

4. **A. These things I have written to you that you may know you have eternal life**

1 John 5:13 states the purpose of the letter: so believers may know they have eternal life.

5. **A. Living in obedience**

Walking in the light involves living in obedience to God's commandments and truth, as opposed to walking in darkness (1 John 1:6-7).

6. **B. The blood of Jesus Christ His Son**

1 John 1:7 declares that the blood of Jesus Christ cleanses us from all sin.

7. **D. They are liars**

1 John 2:4 states that anyone who claims to know God but does not keep His commandments is a liar and the truth is not in them.

8. **B. Fully human and fully divine**

1 John affirms the incarnation, stating that Jesus came in the flesh and is both fully human and divine (1 John 4:2-3).

9. **B. If we ask anything according to His will, He hears us**

1 John 5:14 gives this assurance about prayer according to God's will.

10. **B. Sin is lawlessness**

1 John 3:4 provides this clear definition: sin is lawlessness.

11. **A. They lie and do not practice the truth**

1 John 1:6 states that claiming fellowship with God while walking in darkness is a lie.

12. **C. Love and Light**

1 John emphasizes the importance of loving one another and walking in the light of God, highlighting love as a key Christian virtue (1 John 4:7-8, 1 John 1:5-7).

13. **C. The Spirit, the water, and the blood**

1 John 5:8 mentions these three witnesses that agree in one.

14. **A. Every spirit that confesses Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is of God**

1 John 4:2 provides this test for discerning spirits.

15. **B. Repeated themes and summary statements**

1 John often repeats key themes and includes summaries, emphasizing core truths for the readers.

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