KINGDOM BIBLE QUIZ

Acts Bible Quiz

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

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1. Where was Saul (Paul) blinded and converted to Christianity?

Ⓐ Rome
Ⓑ Antioch
Ⓒ Jerusalem
Ⓓ Damascus

2. What altar inscription did Paul use in Athens?

Ⓐ To Caesar
Ⓑ To an unknown god
Ⓒ To Zeus
Ⓓ To Apollo

3. Who fell asleep during Paul's long sermon and fell from a window?

Ⓐ Epaphroditus
Ⓑ Eutychus
Ⓒ Timothy
Ⓓ Tychicus

4. What happened to Saul on the road to Damascus?

Ⓐ A light from heaven flashed around him
Ⓑ He met other travelers
Ⓒ He was robbed
Ⓓ His horse fell

5. What did Jesus tell the disciples to wait for in Jerusalem?

Ⓐ New instructions
Ⓑ The gift of the Holy Spirit
Ⓒ More disciples
Ⓓ His return

6. Where did the believers scatter after Stephen's death?

Ⓐ Only to Galilee
Ⓑ Judea and Samaria
Ⓒ To Egypt
Ⓓ To Rome

7. On the day of Pentecost, what miraculous event drew a crowd in Jerusalem?

Ⓐ A loud wind and tongues of fire
Ⓑ A bright light
Ⓒ A great storm
Ⓓ An earthquake

8. Who accompanied Paul on his first missionary journey?

Ⓐ Barnabas
Ⓑ Luke
Ⓒ Silas
Ⓓ Timothy

9. How did Barnabas help Saul in Jerusalem?

Ⓐ Hid him
Ⓑ Gave him money
Ⓒ Brought him to the apostles and vouched for him
Ⓓ Found him lodging

10. What caused the split between Paul and Barnabas?

Ⓐ Theological disagreement
Ⓑ Disagreement over taking John Mark on the second journey
Ⓒ Money issues
Ⓓ Leadership disputes

11. Why did Paul circumcise Timothy?

Ⓐ Timothy requested it
Ⓑ Required by law
Ⓒ For health reasons
Ⓓ Because of the Jews in the area who knew Timothy's father was Greek

12. Which city is considered the first major center of Christian growth outside Jerusalem, as recorded in Acts?

Ⓐ Corinth
Ⓑ Ephesus
Ⓒ Antioch
Ⓓ Philippi

13. What happened to the magic books in Ephesus?

Ⓐ Publicly burned after many believed
Ⓑ Given to the poor
Ⓒ Sold cheaply
Ⓓ Hidden away

14. What was Paul's approach at the Areopagus in Athens?

Ⓐ Remained silent
Ⓑ Condemned their religion
Ⓒ Quoted only Scripture
Ⓓ Found common ground through their altar to the unknown God

15. What was Simon the Sorcerer's mistake?

Ⓐ Offering money for the power to give the Holy Spirit
Ⓑ Being jealous
Ⓒ Not believing
Ⓓ Practicing magic

16. How did Paul gain the attention of the mob in Jerusalem?

Ⓐ Shouted loudly
Ⓑ Spoke in Aramaic
Ⓒ Remained silent
Ⓓ Used Greek

17. How does the selection of Matthias demonstrate early church decision-making principles?

Ⓐ Prayer, Scripture, qualifications, and divine guidance through lots
Ⓑ Apostolic authority only
Ⓒ Random selection
Ⓓ Pure democracy

18. How do the miracles in early Acts function in establishing apostolic authority?

Ⓐ Magic tricks
Ⓑ Anyone can do them
Ⓒ Just random events
Ⓓ Signs authenticate apostolic ministry and new covenant message

19. How does Acts end?

Ⓐ With the destruction of Jerusalem
Ⓑ With Peter's imprisonment
Ⓒ With Paul's death
Ⓓ With Paul in Rome under house arrest

Answer key: Acts Bible Quiz

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

1. **D. Damascus**

Acts 9 recounts Saul's conversion on the road to Damascus, where he was blinded and converted.

2. **B. To an unknown god**

Acts 17:23 - 'For as I walked around and looked carefully at your objects of worship, I even found an altar with this inscription: TO AN UNKNOWN GOD.'

3. **B. Eutychus**

Acts 20:9 - 'Seated in a window was a young man named Eutychus, who was sinking into a deep sleep as Paul talked on and on. When he was sound asleep, he fell to the ground from the third story and was picked up dead.'

4. **A. A light from heaven flashed around him**

Acts 9:3 - 'As he neared Damascus on his journey, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him.'

5. **B. The gift of the Holy Spirit**

Acts 1:4 - 'Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about.'

6. **B. Judea and Samaria**

Acts 8:1 - 'On that day a great persecution broke out against the church in Jerusalem, and all except the apostles were scattered throughout Judea and Samaria.'

7. **A. A loud wind and tongues of fire**

Acts 2 describes the Holy Spirit coming as a rushing wind and tongues of fire resting on the apostles.

8. **A. Barnabas**

Acts 13:2 - 'While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them.'

9. **C. Brought him to the apostles and vouched for him**

Acts 9:27 - 'But Barnabas took him and brought him to the apostles. He told them how Saul on his journey had seen the Lord and that the Lord had spoken to him.'

10. **B. Disagreement over taking John Mark on the second journey**

Acts 15:37-39 - 'Barnabas wanted to take John, also called Mark, with them, but Paul did not think it wise to take him... They had such a sharp disagreement that they parted company.'

11. **D. Because of the Jews in the area who knew Timothy's father was Greek**

Acts 16:3 - 'Paul wanted to take him along on the journey, so he circumcised him because of the Jews who lived in that area, for they all knew that his father was a Greek.'

12. **C. Antioch**

Acts 11 describes Antioch as the first major Gentile church and a key missionary hub.

13. **A. Publicly burned after many believed**

Acts 19:18-19 - 'Many of those who believed now came and openly confessed what they had done. A number who had practiced sorcery brought their scrolls together and burned them publicly.'

14. **D. Found common ground through their altar to the unknown God**

Acts 17:22-23 - 'Paul then stood up in the meeting of the Areopagus and said: People of Athens! I see that in every way you are very religious... TO AN UNKNOWN GOD. So you are ignorant of the very thing you worship—and this is what I am going to proclaim to you.'

15. **A. Offering money for the power to give the Holy Spirit**

Acts 8:18-19 - 'When Simon saw that the Spirit was given at the laying on of the apostles' hands, he offered them money and said, Give me also this ability.'

16. **B. Spoke in Aramaic**

Acts 22:2 - 'When they heard him speak to them in Aramaic, they became very quiet.'

17. **A. Prayer, Scripture, qualifications, and divine guidance through lots**

Acts 1:15-26 - The process included prayer (v24), biblical qualifications (v21-22), and seeking divine will through lots, showing balanced decision-making.

18. **D. Signs authenticate apostolic ministry and new covenant message**

Acts 2:43; 5:12; 8:6-7 - The concentration of signs and wonders around apostolic ministry serves to authenticate their message and establish church authority.

19. **D. With Paul in Rome under house arrest**

Acts concludes with Paul under house arrest in Rome, awaiting trial (Acts 28:30-31).

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