Deuteronomy Bible Quiz

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

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1. How are we to love the Lord according to Deuteronomy 6:5?

Ⓐ When convenient
Ⓑ On special occasions
Ⓒ With all your heart, soul, and strength
Ⓓ With our minds only

2. What is the theological theme emphasized by Moses in Deuteronomy regarding obedience?

Ⓐ Obedience is optional
Ⓑ Obedience is essential for blessing and life
Ⓒ Obedience is less important than faith
Ⓓ Obedience is only for priests

3. What warning does Moses give about prosperity in the Promised Land?

Ⓐ Be careful not to forget the Lord who brought you out of Egypt
Ⓑ Save money
Ⓒ Share with others
Ⓓ Build bigger houses

4. What is the central theme of Deuteronomy?

Ⓐ The life of David
Ⓑ Salvation by faith
Ⓒ End times prophecy
Ⓓ Covenant obedience and blessings

5. Which law is explicitly restated in Deuteronomy that was originally given at Sinai?

Ⓐ The Law of Sacrifices
Ⓑ The Ten Commandments
Ⓒ The Law of Levirate Marriage
Ⓓ The Law of Tithing

6. **What is the first commandment as repeated in Deuteronomy 5?**
   - Ⓐ Do not murder
   - Ⓑ You shall have no other gods before me
   - Ⓒ Honor your parents
   - Ⓓ Remember the Sabbath

7. **What should Israel do to their hearts according to Deuteronomy 10:16?**
   - Ⓐ Ignore them
   - Ⓑ Circumcise them
   - Ⓒ Hide them
   - Ⓓ Harden them

8. **What does the Lord require of Israel according to Deuteronomy 10:12?**
   - Ⓐ Temple worship only
   - Ⓑ Perfect obedience
   - Ⓒ Only sacrifices
   - Ⓓ To fear the Lord, walk in his ways, love him, and serve him

9. **What does Deuteronomy say about the role of prophets?**
   - Ⓐ Prophets will be kings
   - Ⓑ They are the only authorized teachers
   - Ⓒ Prophets are forbidden
   - Ⓓ God will raise up prophets among the people

10. **What does Moses' reminder about Israel being 'stiff-necked' teach about covenant relationship?**
   - Ⓐ God chooses perfect people
   - Ⓑ God's covenant is based on grace, not human merit
   - Ⓒ Israel earned their position
   - Ⓓ Righteousness comes naturally

11. **How does the blessing and curse ceremony (Deuteronomy 27-28) function?**
   - Ⓐ Covenant renewal ceremony outlining consequences of obedience or disobedience
   - Ⓑ Empty threats
   - Ⓒ Superstitious rituals
   - Ⓓ Magic formulas

12. **What is the main purpose of Deuteronomy as expressed in its opening chapters?**
   - Ⓐ To record the conquest of Canaan
   - Ⓑ To restate the law and renew the covenant
   - Ⓒ To list genealogies
   - Ⓓ To describe the creation of the world

13. **How does the law of the king (Deuteronomy 17:14-20) limit royal power?**
    - Ⓐ Kings are above law
    - Ⓑ Kings have absolute power
    - Ⓒ Kings must be subject to God's law and avoid pride, foreign alliances, and excess
    - Ⓓ People choose any king

14. **What is the significance of the 'covenant renewal' in Deuteronomy?**
    - Ⓐ It describes the construction of the Tabernacle
    - Ⓑ It reaffirms Israel's commitment to God's law before entering Canaan
    - Ⓒ It predicts the exile
    - Ⓓ It marks the beginning of the law

15. **How does the sabbatical year (Deuteronomy 15:1-11) address economic justice?**
    - Ⓐ Only benefits the wealthy
    - Ⓑ Promotes permanent debt
    - Ⓒ Eliminates all commerce
    - Ⓓ Prevents permanent poverty through debt forgiveness and care for the poor

16. **What does 'circumcision of the heart' (Deuteronomy 10:16) represent?**
    - Ⓐ Cultural ritual only
    - Ⓑ Educational process
    - Ⓒ Internal spiritual transformation and submission to God
    - Ⓓ Physical surgery

17. **What does Deuteronomy say about the future kings of Israel?**
    - Ⓐ They are above the law
    - Ⓑ They will never exist
    - Ⓒ They must follow God's law and not consider themselves above it
    - Ⓓ They should be divine

18. **Which famous biblical phrase is found in Deuteronomy 6:16?**
    - Ⓐ Love your neighbor
    - Ⓑ Do not put the Lord your God to the test
    - Ⓒ Remember the Sabbath day
    - Ⓓ Honor your father and mother

19. **How does Deuteronomy describe the future kings of Israel?**
    - Ⓐ They should not acquire many horses or wives
    - Ⓑ They will be all from the tribe of Levi
    - Ⓒ They must be prophets
    - Ⓓ They must build temples

20. What does the prosperity warning (Deuteronomy 8:11-20) teach about the spiritual dangers of success?

Ⓐ Success proves righteousness

Ⓑ Material success can foster spiritual pride and self-reliance that displaces dependence on God

Ⓒ Prosperity is sinful

Ⓓ Poverty is better

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Answer key: Deuteronomy Bible Quiz

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

1. **C. With all your heart, soul, and strength**

Deuteronomy 6:5 - 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength.'

2. **B. Obedience is essential for blessing and life**

Deuteronomy stresses that obedience to God's commandments leads to blessing, while disobedience leads to curses (Deuteronomy 30:15-20).

3. **A. Be careful not to forget the Lord who brought you out of Egypt**

Deuteronomy 8:11-14 - 'Be careful that you do not forget the Lord your God... Otherwise, when you eat and are satisfied... your heart will become proud and you will forget the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt.'

4. **D. Covenant obedience and blessings**

Deuteronomy emphasizes obedience to God's law and the blessings or curses that follow (Deuteronomy 28).

5. **B. The Ten Commandments**

Deuteronomy reiterates the Ten Commandments, emphasizing their importance (Deuteronomy 5:6-21).

6. **B. You shall have no other gods before me**

Deuteronomy 5:7 - 'You shall have no other gods before me.'

7. **B. Circumcise them**

Deuteronomy 10:16 - 'Circumcise your hearts, therefore, and do not be stiff-necked any longer.'

8. **D. To fear the Lord, walk in his ways, love him, and serve him**

Deuteronomy 10:12 - 'And now, Israel, what does the Lord your God ask of you but to fear the Lord your God, to walk in obedience to him, to love him, to serve the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul.'

9. **D. God will raise up prophets among the people**

Deuteronomy 18:15-22 speaks of God raising up prophets like Moses to guide the people.

10. **B. God's covenant is based on grace, not human merit**

Deuteronomy 9:4-6 explicitly states that Israel's inheritance is not due to their righteousness but God's promise to the patriarchs and judgment of Canaanite wickedness.

11. **A. Covenant renewal ceremony outlining consequences of obedience or disobedience**
Deuteronomy 27-28 establishes a covenant renewal ceremony where Israel acknowledges the inevitable consequences of their covenant choices.

12. **B. To restate the law and renew the covenant**
Deuteronomy serves as a renewal of the covenant between God and Israel before entering Canaan (Deuteronomy 5:2-3).

13. **C. Kings must be subject to God's law and avoid pride, foreign alliances, and excess**
Deuteronomy 17:16-20 restricts the king from multiplying horses, wives, or wealth, and requires daily reading of God's law to maintain humility and obedience.

14. **B. It reaffirms Israel's commitment to God's law before entering Canaan**
Deuteronomy emphasizes renewing the covenant to ensure Israel's obedience as they prepare to settle in the land (Deuteronomy 29-30).

15. **D. Prevents permanent poverty through debt forgiveness and care for the poor**
Deuteronomy 15:1-11 mandates debt cancellation every seven years and generous giving to prevent permanent economic oppression.

16. **C. Internal spiritual transformation and submission to God**
Deuteronomy 10:16 calls for heart circumcision, representing the removal of spiritual barriers and stubborn resistance to God's will.

17. **C. They must follow God's law and not consider themselves above it**
Deuteronomy 17:14-20 sets standards for kings, emphasizing humility and adherence to God's law.

18. **B. Do not put the Lord your God to the test**
Deuteronomy 6:16 warns against testing God, recalling the Israelites' testing at Massah (Exodus 17:7).

19. **A. They should not acquire many horses or wives**
Deuteronomy 17:16-17 instructs kings to avoid excessive wealth, horses, and wives to prevent pride and idolatry.

20. **B. Material success can foster spiritual pride and self-reliance that displaces dependence on God**
Deuteronomy 8:17-18 warns that prosperity tempts people to credit their own power for success, forgetting God as the source of ability and blessing.

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