

Bible Trivia Questions

1. Q. How many books are in the Bible?
A. 66
2. Q. How many books are in the Old Testament?
A. 39
3. Q. How many books are in the New Testament?
A. 27
4. Q. What was the name of the shepherd boy who became the second king in Israel?
A. David
5. Q. How many brothers did Joseph have?
A. 11, He also had 1 sister.
6. Q. Who were the parents of Cain and Abel?
A. Adam and Eve
7. Q. Noah sent out 2 different kinds of birds from the Ark. What were they?
A. Raven and Dove
8. Q. After the flood, what sign did God give that He would not destroy the earth with a flood again?
A. Rainbow
9. Q. Who did Boaz marry?
A. Ruth
10. Q. Abraham traveled with his nephew. What was his nephew's name?
A. Lot
11. Q. What was the name of Joseph's baby brother?
A. Benjamin
12. Q. Who found baby Moses in the river?
A. Pharaoh's daughter

13. Q. What was the name of the mountain where Moses was given the 10 Commandments?
A. Mt. Sinai
14. Q. When Lot's wife turned around and looked at the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah, what did she turn into?
A. A pillar of salt
15. Q. What were Gideon's weapons when he fought the Midianites?
A. Trumpets, pitchers and lamps.
16. Q. What did King Solomon ask God to give him?
A. Wisdom
17. Q. What river was Jesus baptized in?
A. Jordan River
18. Q. What was the first miracle of Jesus recorded in the Bible?
A. Turning the water into wine.
19. Q. What kind of work did Zacchaeus do?
A. Tax collector
20. Q. When Jesus was on the Mount of Transfiguration, who were the Old Testament men who appeared with Him?
A. Moses and Elijah
21. Q. Who was in prison with Paul in Philippi when they were singing and there was an earthquake?
A. Silas
22. Q. How many of each animal did Moses bring into the Ark (trick question)?
A. None. Moses led the people of Israel out of Egypt. It was Noah who was on the Ark.
23. Q. In what city was Jesus born?
A. Bethlehem

24. Q. What type of insect did John the Baptist eat in the desert?
A. Locusts
25. Q. Who were the first apostles called to follow Jesus?
A. Peter and Andrew
26. Q. How many people did Jesus feed with five loaves of bread and two fish?
A. about 5000 men
27. Q. After Jesus was arrested, which apostle disowned him three times?
A. Peter
28. Q. Who recognized Jesus as the Messiah when he was presented at the Temple as a baby?
A. Simeon
29. Q. Who asked Pilate for Jesus' body after the crucifixion?
A. Joseph of Arimathea
30. Q. Paul was shipwrecked on what island?
A. Malta
31. Q. What is the shortest book in the New Testament?
A. 2 John
32. Q. Who is the author of the Book of Revelation?
A. John
33. Q. Matthew was a _____.
A. Tax collector
34. Q. To what city was Saul traveling when he encountered a great and blinding light?
A. Damascus
35. Q. Who was the first person to come upon the injured man in the parable of the Good Samaritan?
A. Priest

36. Q. Whose example does Paul say Christians should follow in Chapter 5 of Ephesians?
A. Christ's
37. Q. After Jesus fed 5,000+ people with two fish and five loaves of bread, how many baskets were left over?
A. 12
38. Q. What does Paul say may "abound more and more in knowledge and in all judgment?"
A. Love
39. Q. What tribe is Paul from?
A. Benjamin
40. Q. According to the Beatitudes who will be filled?
A. Those who hunger and thirst for righteousness
41. Q. What does Simon Peter do for a living before he becomes an apostle?
A. He was a fisherman.
42. Q. In the Gospel of Mark, how does the Virgin Mary learn of her pregnancy?
A. From the angel Gabriel
43. Q. Who is Stephen in Acts of the Apostles?
A. The first Christian martyr
44. Q. By what name is Paul of Tarsus known before he begins his missionary activity?
A. Saul
45. Q. According to Paul's formulation in 1 Corinthians, which is the greatest of the imperishable qualities?
A. Love
46. Q. Who is the high priest of Jerusalem who put Jesus on trial?
A. Caiaphas

47. Q. In the Gospel According to John, which of the apostles doubts Jesus's resurrection until he sees Jesus with his own eyes?
A. Thomas
48. Q. According to the Gospel of Matthew, where does Jesus's first public sermon take place?
A. On the mount
49. Q. How does Judas signal Jesus's identity to the Roman officials?
A. He kisses him.
50. Q. Who murders John the Baptist?
A. Herod Antipas
51. Q. If Christians observe Palm Sunday, what biblical narrative are they celebrating?
A. Jesus's entry into Jerusalem before his death
52. Q. According to the Gospels, what is the unique literary genre Jesus employs to preach his message?
A. The parable
53. Q. Which Gospel is most concerned with the mystery and identity of the person of Jesus?
A. John
54. Q. Who baptizes Jesus?
A. John the Baptist
55. Q. Who takes Jesus's body off the cross?
A. Joseph of Arimathea
56. Q. Who is the first apostle to deny Jesus?
A. Peter
57. Q. Which Gospel is written by a doctor?
A. Luke

58. Q. What is the common name given to the first four books of the New Testament?
A. The Gospels
59. Q. Who wrote most of the books in the New Testament?
A. Paul
60. Q. Who wrote the Acts of the Apostles?
A. Luke
61. Q. Which book comes last in the New Testament?
A. Revelation
62. Q. What does the word gospel mean?
A. Good news
63. Q. Who was the king of Judea at the time of Jesus' birth?
A. Herod the Great
64. Q. Who was the tax collector that climbed up a tree so he could see Jesus?
A. Zacchaeus
65. Q. Which two Old Testament characters appeared with Jesus at the transfiguration?
A. Elijah and Moses
66. Q. How did Jesus reveal the one who would betray him?
A. Dipped a piece of bread and passed it to him
67. Q. Where was Jesus crucified?
A. Golgotha (place of a skull)
68. Q. For how many days did Jesus appear to his disciples after his resurrection?
A. 40
69. Q. Who went with Paul on his first missionary journey?
A. Barnabas

70. Q. Paul and Silas were imprisoned during the second missionary journey, but in what city did this happen?
A. Philippi
71. Q. During Paul's third missionary journey, roughly for how long did he minister in the school of Tyrannus at Ephesus?
A. 2 years
72. Q. How many churches of Asia Minor were there?
A. Seven
73. Q. On what island was John when he was given the vision of Revelation?
A. Patmos
74. Q. In the New Jerusalem described in Revelation, what are the twelve gates made from?
A. Pearl
75. Q. Why did Joseph take Mary and Baby Jesus to Egypt?
A. To escape from King Herod, who wanted to kill Jesus
76. Q. Where did Jesus grow up after returning from Egypt?
A. Nazareth
77. Q. As Jesus and His disciples were crossing the Sea of Galilee in a boat, a big storm arose. Jesus rebuked the wind and waves and the storm disappeared. What was Jesus doing when the storm arose?
A. Sleeping
78. Q. Jesus miraculously broke just a few loaves of bread and fishes and fed 5000 men, along with women and children. How many loaves and fishes did he start with?
A. 5 loaves and 2 fishes
79. Q. What language was most of the New Testament originally written in?
A. Greek
80. Q. What is John the baptizer's father's name?
A. Zacharias

81. Q. What is the first book of the New Testament?

A. Mathew

82. Q. For how many days and night was Jesus fasted?

A. 40

83. Q. Which wood has been used by Noah to build the ark?

A. Gopher