

**Bible Quiz 1 – Questions on Genesis – 8<sup>th</sup> February 2009**

1. What type of fruit was forbidden?

- a. a pear
- b. an apple
- c. a banana
- d. we don't know

2. What benefits did the woman see in the forbidden fruit? ....

- a. It looked good, & was good for food and knowledge
- b. It looked good, was good for food & was within it's sell by date
- c. It was in reach & looked good
- d. It was an apple, & was good for food and knowledge

3. What does 'crushing the serpents head' refer to?

- a. Moses turning his staff into a snake and back again
- b. Jesus defeating Satan at the Cross
- c. The ongoing battle between God and man in the hearts of mankind
- d. Hezekiah destroying the brass snake

4. Why was Cain's offering not acceptable to God?

- a. it was only vegetables and not an animal sacrifice
- b. it wasn't the best that was available
- c. it wasn't offered with a right attitude of faith
- d. it was only vegetables, but God wanted fresh, crisp M & S vegetables.

5. What caused Abram to go to Egypt?

- a. War
- b. Curiosity
- c. Famine
- d. God had told him to

6. Why did Abram and Lot separate?

- a. The size of their respective herds
- b. Famine
- c. To reduce the risk of attack by bandits
- d. Each thought the other had got body odour

7. How does Abram try to help God fulfil his covenant?

- a. He prayed and fasted
- b. He rescued Lot
- c. He tithed to Melchizedek
- d. He slept with Hagar

8. What does God show to Abram to illustrate how many descendants he would have?

- a. Rabbits
- b. Stars
- c. Ants
- d. Graves

9. How did Abraham react when God told him Sarah was going to have a son?

- a. Scratched his head and frowned
- b. Was completely speechless
- c. Fell face down and laughed
- d. Fell off his mule

10. What did Abraham do when Isaac was weaned?

- a. Circumcised him
- b. Threw a great feast
- c. Threw away unused tins of baby milk powder
- d. Went to Egypt

11. When God told Abraham to go and sacrifice Isaac how soon did he set out on the journey?

- a. About a week later
- b. That same day
- c. The following morning
- d. Just before Easter

12. According to Genesis what was the first thing Esau despised?

- a. His birthright
- b. His lifestyle
- c. His brother
- d. His general appearance

13. Who did Jacob run to when Esau threatened his life?

- a. The Police
- b. Abraham
- c. Laban
- d. Melchizedek

14. What happened to Jacob on the journey when he left home?

- a. He had a dream
- b. He married Rachel
- c. He tripped over a rock
- d. He was circumcised

15. What did it actually cost Jacob to gain Rachel's hand in marriage?

- a. 14 weeks work
- b. 7 months work
- c. 7 years work
- d. 14 years work

16. Who told Jacob to return to Canaan?

- a. Rachel
- b. Leah
- c. Laban
- d. God

19. Potiphar was so impressed with Joseph he:

- a. threw him in prison
- b. gave him a pay rise
- c. got him a wife
- d. put him in charge of everything he owned

22. Which of Joseph's dreams came true in Egypt?

- a. That he would be Prime Minister
- b. That his brothers would bow down to him
- c. That he would marry an Egyptian
- d. That he would become rich

17. What injury did Jacob have after wrestling with God?

- a. A black eye
- b. A ripped tendon near his hip
- c. Cuts and bruises on his body
- d. A dislocated shoulder

20. Who did Joseph meet in prison who was the key to his eventual release?

- a. the cupbearer
- b. the baker
- c. the butcher
- d. the candlestick maker

23. In what historical period did Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob live?

- a. About 2500 – 2200 BC
- b. About 2100 – 1800 BC
- c. About 1800 – 1500 BC
- d. About 1500 – 1200 BC

18. Jacob loved Joseph more than any of his other sons because he:

- a. could interpret dreams
- b. wore a 'richly ornamented robe'
- c. cooked the food Jacob liked
- d. was born when Jacob was reaching old age

21. According to scripture what did the Egyptians stop doing during the years of plenty?

- a. worrying
- b. keeping records of stored grain
- c. paying taxes to Pharaoh
- d. building pyramids

### Answers

- 1. D
- 2. A
- 3. B
- 4. C
- 5. C
- 6. A
- 7. D
- 8. B

- 9. C
- 10. B
- 11. C
- 12. A
- 13. C
- 14. A
- 15. D
- 16. D

- 17. B
- 18. D
- 19. D
- 20. A
- 21. B
- 22. B
- 23. B