

Bible Quiz 7

Questions on Ezra, Nehemiah, & Esther

1. Who did Jerusalem fall to?

- a) The Babylonians
- b) The Assyrians
- c) The Egyptians
- d) The Narnians

2. Why did King Cyrus send Ezra to Jerusalem?

- a) To rebuild the walls
- b) To rebuild the Temple
- c) For a holiday
- d) To take a census

3. Why did Ezra lay on the floor and cry?

- a) Jerusalem United had lost a crucial game
- b) Most of the people wanted to go back to Persia
- c) Many of the Jews were guilty of intermarriage
- d) The rebuilt temple didn't look right

4. How long did the exile last?

- a) 70 years
- b) 40 years
- c) 400 years
- d) Until Pentecost

5. What issue caused a mass outcry to Nehemiah?

- a) A lack of tools
- b) The rich were exploiting the poor
- c) Disease
- d) Their enemies were stealing building materials

6. What did Ezra do in public?

- a) Busked
- b) Read the Law
- c) Demolished shrines to pagan gods
- d) Passionately kissed his wife.

7. How was Mordecai related to Esther?

- a) He was her Granddad
- b) He was her cousin
- c) He was her uncle
- d) He was her brother

8. At Mordecai's instruction what did Esther not do?

- a) Eat pork
- b) Reveal her nationality
- c) Reveal her surname
- d) Sunbathe

9. What did Mordecai do that really wound up Haman?

- a) Picked his nose
- b) Said hello to him
- c) Mocked his gods
- d) Wouldn't bow down to him

10. How did Esther risk her life?

- a) Entered the kings presence without being summoned
- b) By being related to Mordecai
- c) Tried tightrope walking
- d) Uncovered Haman's plot

11. What edict did Xerxes allow Haman to issue?

- a) Use the Jews for forced labour
- b) The annihilation of all Jews
- c) To build a high gallows
- d) A tax on beards

12. What happened to Mordecai?

- a) He became a civil servant
- b) He became Finance Minister
- c) Took up farming
- d) Moved to Jerusalem

Answers

- 1. A
- 2. B
- 3. C
- 4. A
- 5. B
- 6. B
- 7. B
- 8. B
- 9. D
- 10. A
- 11. B
- 12. B