

1John 3-5, 2John, 3John, Jude

1. **1John3:1-3**, We now begin a very important subject, "being a child of God." John, the one whom Jesus loved is teaching the Love of God, through the Holy Spirit. John lived to a ripe old age in spite of persecution and prison. They tried to boil him in oil....and he wouldn't boil! He was finally freed and returned to Ephesus where he died in 98-100AD. Jesus died in April3, 33AD. John was born in 6 AD and was 93-94 years old when he died! John calls us, "beloved....children of God." When Jesus is revealed we will.....? (choose all that apply)

- a. we shall be like Him
- b. no one can know for sure
- c. see Him as He is
- d. only hope we are good enough to be saved

2. **1John3:4-8**, Why was Jesus manifested? (choose all that apply)

- a. because we are lawless
- b. to take away our sins
- c. to purify us
- d. to destroy the works of the devil

3. Over and over we now hear "he who practices righteousness." Who does this speak of? (choose all that apply) **verses7-18**

- a. whoever is born of God
- b. the children of God
- c. he who does not love his brother
- d. those who love in deed and in Truth

4. If our hearts condemn us, God is _____ than our _____, and knows all things. If our _____ does not condemn us, we have _____ toward God.

5. **Verses 22-24**, If we keep His commandments we.....? Give 4 things

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____

1John4:1-5, Testing spirits! Read the verses. Based on **the context of these verses**, answer the questions. 6. What "spirits" are we testing?

- a. people
- b. demons
- c. angels

7. How can we know the Spirit of God in someone?

- a. every spirit that says they read the bible

- b. they attend church regularly and seem nice
- c. they talk about spiritual things and say they pray to God
- d. they confess that Jesus Christ came in the flesh

8. Someone does not confess that Jesus came in the flesh, this is the spirit of the _____.

9. Is the spirit of the Antichrist in the world now? Yes No

10. You are of God, who is greater? _____

11. How do we know the spirit of truth versus the spirit of error? _____

12. Read **Romans 12:1-3** and **John 10:10**. Now read **verses 5-6** again. We are not to be conformed to this world. The world speaks death, fear, hate, selfishness, division and racism, dead religion instead of Truth and Faith! So, **what are the proofs someone is "worldly"** (even a believer)? (choose all that apply)

- a. they speak like the world
- b. they speak the Word of God and use the name of Jesus in authority and go forth to preach the gospel
- c. they believe the world, and have fear, doubt and unbelief instead of acting on the Word by faith
- d. the world hears them (agrees with them)

According to the beloved disciple John, the whole of our faith walk is manifested by....? (**1John4: 7-20**)

13. He who does not love does not know God, for _____.

14. How was the love of God manifested? (**manifest**: to display or show by your actions how you strongly feel; to demonstrate or show with proof so it is seen and your desires are made clear to all)

15. How do we know that God abides in us and we abide in Him? (choose all that apply)

- a. because He has given us the promised Holy Spirit
- b. we feel no condemnation and are not in sin
- c. whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God
- d. he who abides in Love abides in God and God in him

16. **1John 4:16-18**, is the high call of God. Jesus is our supreme example. Our identity in Christ is very strong here. John is solid in the Love of God. Holy Spirit is flowing through Love to minister to you and me. It's who God is. John knows we need to understand the Love Jesus has for us. He experienced this Love, He is a person.....Jesus the Firstborn from the dead, our Savior! What are we to believe and

know? (Choose 4 correct answers)

- a. we must believe the love God has for us
- b. He is in heaven and we are lei on earth in fear
- c. as He is, so are we in this world
- d. we can never know the fearless love of God
- e. God's perfect Love casts out all fear
- f. Judgement is coming on those who refuse to love

17. People say that there are no commandments in the new testament. Find the verse with the commandment to love. _____

18. **1John 5:1-3**, How can we know we love the children of God?

- a. we _____
- b. we _____

19. What overcomes the world? (choose all that apply)

- a. repentance
- b. whatever is born of God
- c. victorious faith
- d. a believer in Jesus the Son of God

1John5:6-13 are rarely taught. They are powerful blood covenant testimonies. In these verses we find the Holy Trinity of God... who is One. We also have proof of Jesus being born as a Man and being fully human, born of a woman, clothed in flesh. He came, like us, He is born of water and blood, earthly. The Holy Spirit is Truth, He bears witness that Jesus is fully a man, The Last Adam (a perfect unfallen man). The Holy Spirit bears witness of this to mankind on earth....this is TRUTH. Most denominations do not accept this as Truth, they make the Word of God of no effect with their traditions. Jesus the Son of God shed perfect physical blood as a man. He was born of water from a human mother. He is Lord of Heaven and earth. He is King of kings. His Kingdom rules supreme. "The Witnesses" in heaven and earth prove forever the faithfulness of The Almighty. John said that he heard Him, saw Him, and handled the Word of Life.....Jesus! He experienced Jesus, the Messiah, God's Anointed. Now re-read 1John1:1-4. See Him, hear Him and handle The Word of Life! "The Life" was manifested on earth! There were witnesses in heaven and on earth.....they still exist!

Now look at **verses 7-8**. There are 3 witnesses in heaven and 3 witnesses on earth. They are different! Using what you know from your study of God's Word match the following.

20. The Father _____

21. The Word _____

22. The Holy Spirit _____

23. The Spirit _____

24. the water _____

25. The Blood _____

- a. The sign of The New Covenant, our Redemption and covering of protection
- b. The water of human birth and our supernatural rebirth
- c. The "Promise of The Father" poured out on earth for us to receive as a sign and impartation of power
- d. "The I Am", reigning in heaven, testifying of His Son
- e. "The Spirit of God's Word" who testifies of Truth
- f. "The Author and Finisher", He baptizes us with His Spirit and Fire, He gives us new life

26. In **verses 13-15**, we see the Law of double mention being used to reinforce something. What is it? (choose all that apply)

- a. John writes to **believers** in "The Name of the Son of God"
- b. people who need Jesus need to say the name twice
- c. the name is to be used here on earth by **believers** for prayer and authority
- d. to **believe** in the name of the Son of God

Verses 16-17 show us another difficult topic, which causes fear to many. Just above in **verse 14**, we are to be confident that our Father hears us! Here are some scriptures that should help. There are more, but you should be able to rightly divide the word using these. Read them and answer the questions. (**Mal 12:31-32, Mark 3:28-30, Acts 7:51, Acts 5:3-4 and 9, 1Tim 1:13, Job 42:8**)

27. Who is the one sinning, in **verse 16**? Me A possible believer/brother

28. Is there sin which does NOT lead to death? Yes No

29. Did you find in reading, a sin that leads to death? What is it? _____

_____ or/and _____

_____ (give at least one example)

30. There is a "wicked one" we are to keep ourselves from. The **whole world** lies under **the sway** (rule or control) of **him**.....who is he? _____

31. **2John**, Read MH notes. What is mentioned 5 times in the first 4 verses?

- a. Gnosticism
- b. Grace, mercy and peace
- c. Jesus

d. Truth

32. A person who does not walk in truth and love, or confess that Jesus Christ came in the flesh is a.....? Remember testing the spirits!

a. _____

b. _____

33. In the MH notes, what Gnostic doctrine was being taught that was against the “doctrine of

Christ? _____

34. According to John, what are we to do when someone **comes to bring you “false doctrine?”**

(choose all that apply)

a. look to yourselves, do not lose those things we worked for!

b. let them come and speak in your church, be open to receive

c. do not greet them

d. do not receive them into your house

3John2, Paul prays for Gaius and calls him “beloved.” There are 3 parts to the prayer and we have 3 part: spirit, soul and body. **God wants us “whole.”** This verse is one of the proofs of that! Match the following.

35. to prosper in all things _____ a. soul

36. be in health _____ b. spirit

37. as your soul prospers _____ c. body

38. According to MH notes, who are Jude (Judas) and James? (choose all that apply)

a. brothers

b. cousins of Jesus

c. half-brothers of Jesus

d. unknown

39. Jude 4 and MH Overview. In Jude 14-15 Enoch foretold the doom of “**apostates**” before the flood. What are the 3 major characteristics of an apostate?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

40. Name 3 example of men who are apostates and what they did, in Jude 11 and MH notes.

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

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41. Jude 20, How can you build up your most holy faith? _____

Answer Sheet 1John 3-5, 2John, 3John, Jude

1. a, c 2
2. b, d 2
3. a, b, d 3
4. greater/ heart/ heart/ confidence 4
5. a. we do what is pleasing in His sight (give 4 answers) 8
- b. whatever we ask we receive of Him
- c. we believe on the name of His Son Jesus Christ
- d. we abide in Him
- e. He abides in us-by His Spirit given us
6. a 1
7. d 1
8. antichrist 1
9. Yes 1
10. He who is in you is greater 2
11. He who knows God hears us &/or he who is not of God does not hear us 2 12.
- a, c, d 3
13. God is Love 1
14. He (God) sent His only Son into the world- that we might live by Him (all or first part) 2
15. a, c, d 3
16. a, c, e 3
17. verse 21 1
18. a. we...love God 2
- b. we...keep His commandments
19. b, c, d 3
20. d 2
21. f 2
22. e 2
23. c 2
24. b 2
25. a 2
26. a, c, d 3
27. a possible believer or brother 1
28. Yes 1
29. lying to the Holy Spirit &/or calling the Holy Spirit "unclean" 4
30. Satan or the devil 2
31. d 1

32. a. deceiver 2

b. antichrist

33. a divine being cannot take on human flesh or form 2

34. a, c, d 3

35. b 2

36. c 2

37. a 2

38. a, c 2

39. a. he is ungodly 2

b. he turns grace into lasciviousness 2

c. he denies Jesus is Lord 2

40. a. Cain (Llter of soil) "the way of Cain"- ignore the shedding of blood 2 b. Balaam (a prophet)"the error of Balaam", allowing money to be more important than God 2 c. Korah (Core KJV, a prince of Israel) "the rebellion of Korah" -was the lust for power 2 41. praying in the Holy Spirit 2