

Mid-Term Examination

The Genesis

1. Why did God create the heavens and the earth? (the simple answer)
2. Who are we to God? What special attributes does mankind have that set us apart and that indicate the kind of relationship God wanted with us?
3. True or False God has enacted His plan and has been able to experience His desired relationship with mankind. (Think specifically of the time frame of Genesis 1 – 11)
4. Who was God talking to when He made the promise of “the seed of the woman?”
5. True or False God dropped His original plan with creation after the world wide flood and tower of Babel incident.
6. God’s plan with the nation of Israel, as promised and explained to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, is:
 - a. To make them a hippy, world-peace kind of nation that encourages the rest of us to give up our arms and be at peace with all.
 - b. To use them as a decoy nation to attract Satan’s attention while God really raises up the United States to be the nation to establish His kingdom.
 - c. To create a great nation, one that will have dominion over the earth, occupy God’s chosen land, and through whom God will bless the rest of the families of the earth.
 - d. All of the above.

The Exodus

1. What did God teach the nation of Israel specifically about Himself when he delivered them from Egypt?
 - a. That He is so powerful, no one should mess with Him.
 - b. That God has an excellent memory and that He knows the future.
 - c. That God can be implicitly trusted no matter the circumstances, no matter the odds.
 - d. That God is Jehovah.
 - e. All of the above.

2. What does Jehovah mean?
 - a. God and Father.
 - b. Eternally Powerful
 - c. God Almighty.
 - d. I AM THAT I AM, and I AM _____.

3. True or False Having signed on to the law contract, Israel now enjoys a closer, more intimate relationship with God.

4. What is the law contract?
 - a. Israel agreeing to do their best to be good and try real hard.
 - b. A covenant that states Israel will make themselves righteous based on their performance.
 - c. A contract that Israel signed which they really have no hope of ever fulfilling on their own.
 - d. b and c

5. True or False The law contract is God's way of implementing the principle of Him being Jehovah for Israel.

6. Read Deuteronomy 28. Of what other chapter in the Bible does it remind you?
(Hint: It is found in one of the first five books of the Bible.)

Israel's History

1. So far in the history of Israel, what have they deserved as outlined in Leviticus 26, the blessings or the curses? What part of the blessings or curses have they experienced?
2. So far in the narrative, has the nation of Israel expressed faith in God like Abraham did?
3. Does Israel need a king? _____ Did they need any old person to be their king? _____ Who does God intend to make the everlasting king of Israel? _____
4. Consider the contracts/promises that God has made during the history of the Bible thus far. Name them if you can. Which ones are promises of God accomplishing something, and which ones demand people to accomplish something?
5. True or False God has enacted His plan and has been able to experience His desired relationship with Israel. (Think specifically of the time frame of Genesis 12 – I Kings 9)