

biblical literature

Quarter Exam Study Guide AND Answers!!!!

Know These Terms

1. Adonai
2. Aman
3. anti-Semitism
4. Biblos
5. Catholic
6. Canon
7. Christos
8. Ehad
9. Essene
10. Ex Cathedra
11. Impeccable
12. Incarnation
13. Inerrant
14. Inspired
15. Infallible
16. Magisterium
17. Messiah
18. Monotheism
19. MSS
20. Papyrus
21. Parchment
22. Pentateuch
23. Protohistory
24. Salvation History
25. Sh'ma
26. Sinai
27. Sola Fide
28. Sola Scripture
29. Tradition
30. Zealot

These meanings

1. "Lord" (replacement word for YHWH)
2. Means both "faith" and "trust"
3. Bigotry against Jews
4. Greek word meaning "Book," source word for "Bible."
5. Means "universal"
6. The official list of the inspired books of the Bible. Note: it also means "measuring rod."
7. Greek word meaning "anointed one" we get the title "Christ" from this.
8. "One" and "Only"
9. Jewish monks who copied scrolls at Qumran. They awaited the coming of two messiahs.
10. "From the Chair" (of St. Peter) Pope must speak "Ex Cathedra" in order for a statement to be considered infallible. (One of four conditions of infallibility)
11. Refers to a person who is incapable of making mistakes. Note: Catholics DO NOT believe the Pope is impeccable.
12. The Word of God becomes flesh in the person of Jesus Christ. God becomes man in Jesus.
13. Making no mistakes or errors
14. Comes from a word meaning "breathed in"
15. Incapable of failing
16. The teaching authority of the Church
17. Hebrew word for Anointed One.
18. Belief in the existence of only one supreme being "God"
19. Abbreviation for "manuscripts" Note: Ms = manuscript.
20. Most common material upon which ancient scrolls were written.
21. Writing material made from the skin of an animal (goat, sheep or cow)
22. First five books of the Bible are called this
23. The first eleven (11) chapters of Genesis.
24. The story of God's plan to save humanity
25. The central prayer of Judaism; it means "listen up!" or "hear!"
26. The mountain of the Hebrew or "Old" Covenant. Also known as "Horeb"

27. "Faith Alone" Martin Luther held that faith alone was what made a person right before God. However, the only place these two words are ever found together in the Bible is James 2:24 in which the Scriptures say that "...a man is NOT justified by faith alone."

28. "Scripture Alone" Martin Luther adopted this teaching holding that the Bible alone is all a person needs as the guide for salvation. (This teaching is contradicted by 2 Thess 2:15) and the fact that nowhere does the Bible teach this doctrine.

29. The living transmission of the Gospel of the Church

30. Jewish sect of freedom fighters. They staged an unsuccessful rebellion that led to the destruction of Jerusalem and its Temple 70 AD.

Bib lit Study Guide Part II

- 1.The New Testament covers how many years of Covenantal history?
- 2.The Dead Sea scrolls brought us how many years closer to the first manuscripts of the Bible?
- 3.How many books in the Catholic Old Testament?
- 4.According to Jewish law, you are Jewish if you are?
- 5.According to Jewish teaching, a Jew stops being a Jew if he ...?
- 6.Who discovered the Dead Sea Scrolls?
- 7.The Christian Church stayed united and was called "catholic" for approximately how many years before the first split?
- 8.How does one become Catholic?
- 9.How do Catholics view the Old Covenant?
- 10.The New Covenant is given through _____ and is meant for _____.
- 11.What do The Dead Sea Scrolls reveal regarding the copying process?
- 12.What was the Bible for Jesus and his followers?
- 13.Do we have essentially the same Old Testament that Jesus considered authoritative? How do we know this?
- 14.What is the metaphor we will be using most often in class to talk about the Jewish / Christian Covenants?
- 15.How many caves produced how many manuscripts of the Dead Sea Scrolls?
- 16.How many manuscripts of the Old Testament were found at the Dead Sea?
- 17.What are the three vows that Franciscans take?
- 18.Regarding Franciscans what does OFM stand for?
- 19.What does "friars minor" mean and why did Francis call his order an order of "Friars Minor?"
- 20.For the first 15 centuries of Christianity, Christian Tradition in both the East and the West taught what regarding the Holy Eucharist?
- 21.Most of the wars in history were caused by religion (t/f)?
- 22.What historical evidence contradicts the idea that religion causes war?

1.110 yrs.

2.1,000 yrs.

3.46 books

4.born of a Jewish mother or convert to Judaism.

5.believes that Jesus is the Messiah,

6.an Arab shepherd boy

7.1,000 yrs.

8.Through baptism,you cannot be "born" a Catholic OR any "Christian"

9.The "Old" covenant is ongoing and valid, as it is observed by Jews throughout the world. It is the foundation of the New Covenant.

10.Jesus, All (hence, "catholic")

11.The Scriptures were copied with amazing accuracy.

12.What we now call the "Old Testament"

13.Yes, it is essentially the same; we know this from doing a comparison of the Dead Sea Scrolls to current translations.

14. Marriage

15. eleven, 900

16. over 200

17. Poverty, Chastity and Obedience

18. Order of Friars Minor

19." Lesser Brothers" In Francis' time, people were divided into two categories - lesser and major. The majors or "Majores" were the upper middle -upper class people. They had influence, power and money. The lesser or "minores" were the rest. Francis' love of Christ who became poor for us led him to be like him.

20.That Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist in body, blood, soul and divinity.

21.No. Of the thirteen or so wars fought by the United States, none were over disputes about religious doctrine. There were many, many wars fought before the births of the major religions.

22.The 20th century has been the bloodiest so far and has coincided with a rise of atheistic governments, such as Nazi Germany, Russia (USSR), China, North Korea, North Vietnam etc. If religion were the cause of war, we would expect violence to decrease as governments became less religious or more agnostic, but the opposite has happened. Those governments which deny that people are "made in the image and likeness of God"

23. Know the ancient invaders of Israel in order
(Answer: remember "A Beautiful Persian Girl Seeks Romance")

24. What are the books of the Pentateuch in order?

turn out to have produced the most violence.

23. Assyria, Babylon, Persia, Greece, Syria, and Rome

24. Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy.

A few Dates to Remember:

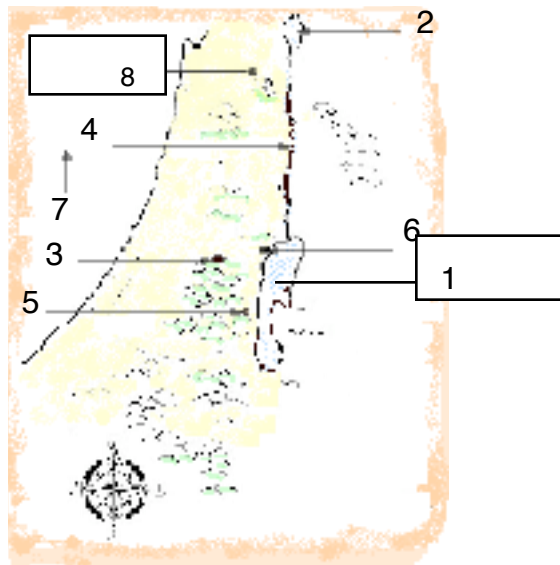
- 25. David establishes Israel with capital in Jerusalem
- 26. Jewish Monks begin living in Qumran
- 27. Jesus' Birth
- 28. Destruction of Qumran and Masada, Dead Sea Scrolls buried
- 29. Jewish council at Jamnia to decide Jewish Bible, Jews expel followers of Jesus from synagogue
- 30. New Testament is finished
- 31. Francis of Assisi born
- 32. Francis Dies
- 33. Shepherd discover Dead Sea Scrolls
- 34. Dead Sea Scrolls recognized AND Israel recognized as a nation again

Dates to Remember

- 25. 1,000 BC
- 26. 250 BC
- 27. 3-5 BC
- 28. 70 -72 AD
- 29. 90 AD
- 30. 110 AD
- 31. 1181 AD
- 32. 1226 AD
- 33. Fall of 1946
- 34. Nov 29, 1947

Test Map

- 1 Dead Sea
- 2. Sea of Galilee
- 3. Jerusalem
- 4. Jordan River
- 5. Masada
- 6. Qumran
- 7. Mediterranean Sea
- 8. Nazareth



Scripture Passages to Know; What they say and where they are.

- 1) Deut 6:4
- 2) Jn 3:16
- 3) 2 Thess 2:15

1) "Hear, Oh Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is ONE.

This is the heart of the Old Testament, the Hebrew Covenant. It is the expression of the marriage between God and his people, i.e. God is Israel's one and only (EHAD)

2) For God so loved the world that he gave us his only son so that everyone who believes in him might not perish, but might have eternal life.

This is the heart of the New Testament, the Christian Covenant. It is the expression of the "Gospel" or "Good News" i.e., that God loved us to the point of death in the person of Jesus Christ so that all might have eternal life with Him.

Scriptures Passages continued: Know where they are and why they are important.

1) Matt 16:13-20

Jesus makes Peter the rock of the Church and promises that his Church will endure even the “gates of hell.” This scripture is one of the basis for the belief in Papal Infallibility. If the rock foundation of the Church fails, the church fails and Jesus is proven a liar. Thus, Catholics believe that Peter and his successors are guarded from leading the Church into errors, NOT because they are good men, but because of the promise of Christ to us.

See your text pp. 488-489

2) Matt 24:1-2, 15-20

Jesus prediction of the destruction of Jerusalem and the Temple is an example of an oral tradition which was handed down through the Church, historically, it actually saved the lives of Christians who did not go into the city, but hid in the country, when the Romans showed up. [See your text pp. 505-507. picture and caption on page 512.](#)

Franciscan Studies: Vocab



1. Alverno
2. Bernard of Quintavalle
3. Capuchin
4. Damiano
5. Diocesan
6. Friar
7. Greccio
8. Habit
9. Perugia
10. Poor Claires
11.. Stigmata
12. Tonsure
13. Walter Brienne

1. Place where Francis received the Stigmata
2. First follower of Francis
3. An Order of Franciscan reformers recognized by their distinctive hoods.
4. Chapel where Francis heard the crucifix speak (Note: It is Also the name of the crucifix “San Damiano Cross”).
5. Kind of priest who is not a religious but works for the Bishop of a Diocese.
6. “Brother”
7. Place where Francis created the first Nativity scene.
8. Special tunic; Francis’ was that of a poor hermit.
9. Town Assisi fought; Francis was captured here.
10. Second Order of Francis
11. Miraculous wounds of Christ. Francis was the first to receive these in history.
12. Special hair cut signifying the taking of vows.
13. Francis wanted to follow him in battle, but returned early because of a dream he had.