

Old Testament Law & History – AK 17

COMMENTER'S GUIDE

WRITE IT OUT!

(ON SCANNABLE SINGLE PAGE ANSWER SHEETS ONLY)

These 2 additional questions, not found in the exam booklet are designed to make the student dig into the Biblical text and show they understand the Biblical principles studied throughout the course.

Questions 1 – Describe how the red heifer sacrifice, described in Numbers 19, is a type of Christ.

1 - POSSIBLE ANSWERS

The red heifer was sacrificed to cleanse a person who had become ceremonially unclean due to contact with a dead body or unclean food. Christ's sacrifice on the cross also cleanses our conscience from dead works. Both the red heifer and Jesus were killed outside the camp (Hebrews 13:11).

1 - HELPFUL COMMENTS

1 - VERSES

Questions 2 – Describe the differences between Saul and David that are discussed in ch 7. What can we learn from the failings of Saul?

2 - POSSIBLE ANSWERS

Saul was not completely obedient on several occasions. He was self-willed and often took matters into his own hands. When he was confronted on these issues he made excuses and was not fully repentant. David, on the other hand, sought to be completely obedient and reliant on God's leading. He often refused to take matters into his own hands and when he did, he did not make excuses but repented.

2 - HELPFUL COMMENTS

2 - VERSES

WHAT DO YOU SAY?

These questions are designed to help the student express their thoughts, feelings, and opinions about something they have learned from the chapter.

EXAM 1 – Do you believe in the biblical account of creation or the theory of evolution?

Explain.

1 - COMMENTS

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1 - VERSES

- [Col. 1:16-18](#) By Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth.
- [Rom. 1:20](#) God reveals Himself in creation.
- [Ps. 19:1](#) The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament shows His handiwork.

- [Ps. 148:5](#) He commanded and they were created.
- [Isa. 45:18](#) God's Word says He created all things.
- [Heb. 11:3](#) By faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that the things which are seen were not made of things which are visible.
- [Gen. 1:1-37; 2:7](#) God created all the wonders of the universe, He created all things, both large and small.

EXAM 2 – Which one of the Old Testament patriarchs impressed you the most and why?

2 - COMMENTS

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2 - VERSES

- [Gen. 12:1-3](#) Abraham, the originator of the chosen people.
- [Gen. 25:19–27:46](#) Isaac, the first link in the continuation of the chosen people.
- [Gen. 28:1–36:43](#) Jacob, the family expansion of God's chosen people.
- [Gen. 37:1-50](#) Joseph, God's instrument for the preservation of the Israelites in Egypt. These were all men of faith, endurance, and obedience to God.

EXAM 3 – In what or Whom are you trusting for your redemption from sin?

3 - COMMENTS

- Reference or give to the student the Captive's Corner Jesus Alone Can Save or Salvation Is God's Work

3 - VERSES

- [Eph. 1:7](#) In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace.
- [Rom. 3:24](#) Being justified freely by His grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus.
- [Col. 1:14](#) In whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins.

EXAM 4 – By what means does God guide His children today?

4 - COMMENTS

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4 - VERSES

- [Phil. 4:6](#) Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God.
- [1 John 5:14](#) Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us.
- [2 Tim. 3:16-17](#) All Scripture is given by inspiration of God.
- [Ps. 119:1-176](#) The Word of God and the Holy Spirit, as a means of strength and guidance.

- [Rom. 8:14](#) As many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God.

EXAM 5 – What characteristics and abilities seen in Joshua’s leadership are essential to effective spiritual leadership?

5 - COMMENTS

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5 - VERSES

- [Luke 11:28](#) Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.
- [Josh. 23:6](#) Joshua was careful to obey God in all things.
- [Matt. 25:23](#) Be a faithful servant.
- [Josh. 1:8-9](#) Keep and meditate on God’s Word daily.

EXAM 6 – What great spiritual truth is illustrated by the book of Judges?

6 - COMMENTS

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6 - VERSES

- [2 Tim. 3:1-5](#) Lovers of pleasure more than lovers of God.
- Eph 5:6 Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience.
- [Rom. 1:18-20; 2:9-11](#) God is angry at all sin and will in time pronounce judgment against all of those who practice it.
- [Col. 3:1-4](#) Set your mind on things above, not on things on the earth.

EXAM 7 – What was it that made David such a different man from Saul?

7 - COMMENTS

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7 - VERSES

- [1 Sam. 13:14, Acts 13:22](#) David was a man after God’s own heart. David was also a man of great faith and trust in God.
- [2 Tim. 3:14](#) David remained faithful in all circumstances.
- [Heb. 11:32-34](#) (David who) who through faith subdued kingdoms.
- [James 4:6](#) Saul was prideful and God opposes the proud.

EXAM 8 – What solemn truth about sin do we see in David’s sin with Bathsheba?

8 - COMMENTS

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8 - VERSES

- [Gal. 6:7-8](#) Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap.

- [1 John 1:8-9](#) If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- [Rom. 4:7-8](#) Blessed are those whose lawless deeds are forgiven, and whose sins are covered.

EXAM 9 – What sin led to the decline of Solomon’s reign? What can we learn from this?

9 - COMMENTS

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9 - VERSES

- [1 Kings 11:1](#) Solomon loved many foreign women and some of these wives turned him away from the Lord to worship idols.
- [1 Kings 2:1-4](#); [1 Chron. 28:7-9](#) Solomon, know the God of your father, and serve Him with a loyal heart and with a willing mind; for the Lord searches all hearts and understands all the intent of the thoughts.

EXAM 10 – What qualities of Ezra do you appreciate?

10 - COMMENTS

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10 - VERSES

- [Ezra 7:1-10](#) Ezra set his heart to study God’s Word.
- [Ps. 119:97](#) Meditate on God's Word daily.
- [2 Tim. 2:15](#) Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.
- [John 14:15, 21, 23; 15:10](#) Those who love Him, keep His commandments.

EXAM 11 – What characteristics of Nehemiah impress you?

11 - COMMENTS

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11 - VERSES

- [Neh. 8:10](#) Do not sorrow, for the joy of the Lord is your strength.
- [Neh. 1:4](#) Nehemiah was a man of prayer.
- [Neh. 1:1-10](#); [5:6-11](#); [13:25](#) He was a man of both compassion and anger. He was a man of keen discernment and foresight.
- [Neh. 2:7-8, 11-17](#) He was a man of caution and wisdom.
- [Neh. 2:17-19](#) He was a man of extraordinary motivational powers.
- [Neh. chap. 5 & 13](#) He was a man of righteousness.
- [Neh. chap. 4 & 6](#) He was a man of incredible courage.
- [Neh. 4:1-6](#) He was a man of selflessness and sacrifice.

EXAM 12 – What evidence of God’s providence in the book of Esther is the most

encouraging to you?

12 - COMMENTS

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12 - VERSES

- [Jer. 29:11](#) God thinks of us always.
- [Heb. 13:5](#) I will never leave you nor forsake you.
- [Phil. 1:6](#) He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ.
- [Rom. 8:28](#) We know all things work together for good to those who love God.
- [Rom. 8:35-39](#) (Nothing) shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.