

What the Bible Teaches – AK 15 & 18

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 – Give several reasons why Jesus came in human form.

1 - POSSIBLE ANSWERS

The course gives 3 reasons why Christ became a man:

1. To show what God the Father is like
2. To put away sin by becoming our substitutionary sacrifice
3. to destroy the works of the devil

1 - HELPFUL COMMENTS

1 - VERSES

John 14:9; Hebrews 9:26; 1 John 3:8

Questions 2 – Discuss how Christ provide salvation in His death and resurrection.

2 - POSSIBLE ANSWERS

Christ took our place on the cross and suffered for my guilt and sin. The judgement of God against us, fell on Him. And, in order to show His acceptance of Jesus' sacrifice, God raised Him up from death.

2 - HELPFUL COMMENTS

2 - VERSES

2 Corinthians 5:21; 1 Peter 2:24; Isaiah 53:5; Romans 5:6-9; Acts 4:10-12; 5:21

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 – How important is the Bible to you, and why?

1 - COMMENTS

- The Word of God is eternal (Matt. 24:36).
- All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and provides us with all that we need to know about God and about ourselves (2 Tim. 3:16-17).

- The men who wrote the Bible did not write their own thoughts, but the very words of God (2 Peter 1:20-21).
- It is living and powerful and is a discerner of our thoughts and intents (Heb. 4:12).
- The Scriptures tell us how to be saved (2 Tim. 3:15).
- We are born again by the Word of God (1 Peter 1:23).
- Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of God (Rom. 10:17).
- We can grow spiritually by the Word of God (1 Peter 2:2).

1 - VERSES

- [Matt. 24:36](#) Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away.
- [2 Tim. 3:16-17](#) All Scripture is given by inspiration of God.
- [2 Peter 1:20-21](#) Knowing this first, that no prophecy of Scripture is of any private interpretation, for prophecy never came by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit.
- [Heb. 4:12](#) The Word of God is living and powerful.
- [2 Tim. 3:15](#)
- [1 Peter 1:23](#)
- [Rom. 10:17](#)
- [1 Peter 2:2](#)
- [John 1:1](#) In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

EXAM 2 – What three things would you pick about God to describe Him to someone who knew nothing about Him?

1 - COMMENTS

- God is a person because He has the same characteristics as we do.
- He can think and reason. (Isa. 55:8-9).
- He has emotions. He grieves and can love (Gen. 6:6; John 3:16).
- He can display anger (Nahum 1:6).
- He is holy and just (Isa. 6:6; Rom. 3:26).
- He is all powerful and our Creator (Gen. 1:1, 26-27; Matt. 19:26).

2 - VERSES

- [Isa. 55:8-9](#)
- [Gen. 6:6](#)
- [John 3:16](#)
- [Nahum 1:6](#)
- [Isa. 6:6](#)
- [Rom. 3:26](#)
- [Gen. 1:1, 26-27](#)
- [Matt. 19:26](#)

EXAM 3 – What evidence do you see in the world to support the Biblical teaching of the fall of man?

1 - COMMENTS

- There is crime and war all over the world. People hate each other and kill one another (2 Tim. 3:1-5; Jer. 17:9).
- All men are sinners and it can be seen in our lives and in the lives of others with the breaking of relationships, lying and deceit (Rom. 3:23).

2 - VERSES

- [2 Tim. 3:1-5](#) In the last days perilous times will come: For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal, despisers of good, traitors, headstrong, haughty, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God.
- [Jer. 17:9](#) The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked.
- [Rom. 3:23](#) All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.
- [Rom 5:12-19](#) We have Adam's sin nature.
- [1 Tim 4:1](#) Now the Spirit expressly says that in latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons..

EXAM 4 – How has what you read in the Bible affected your attitude toward your sin?

1 - COMMENTS

- Sin is more than just disobeying God. It is a lack of faith (Rom. 14:23; Heb. 11:6).
- Sin includes evil thoughts as well as evil deeds (Matt. 5:28). It is very serious.
- The punishment for sin is separation from God forever (Rom. 6:23; Rev. 20:14).
- There is only one way to deal with sin; confess and forsake it. This is true whether I am an unbeliever or a believer (Rom. 3:24; 1 John 1:9).

2 - VERSES

- [Rom. 14:23](#)
- [Heb. 11:6](#)
- [Matt. 5:28](#)
- [Rom. 6:23](#)
- [Rev. 20:14](#)
- [Rom. 3:24](#)
- [1 John 1:9](#)
- [Rom. 4:7-8](#) Blessed are those whose lawless deeds are forgiven, and whose sins are covered; Blessed is the man to whom the LORD shall not impute sin.
- [1 John 1:8-10](#) If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us

from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make Him a liar, and His word is not in us.

- [Rom. 12:9](#) Let love be without hypocrisy. Abhor what is evil. Cling to what is good.
- [Ps. 51:3-4](#) Against You, You only, have I sinned, and done this evil in Your sight-that You may be found just when You speak, and blameless when You judge.
- [1 Cor. 11:30-32](#) If we would judge ourselves, we would not be judged. But when we are judged, we are chastened by the Lord, that we may not be condemned with the world.
- [2 Peter 3:14](#) Be diligent to be found by Him in peace, without spot and blameless.
- [Col. 3:5-6](#) Put to death your members which are on the earth ... because of these things the wrath of God is coming upon the sons of disobedience.

EXAM 5 – In your own words who is Jesus Christ?

1 - COMMENTS

- Christ is God and has the same attributes as God (Isa. 9:6; John 10:30; Heb. 1:8).
- He came into the world born of a virgin (Matt. 1:21). He came in human form so that He could die for our sins (Heb. 10:12; 1 Cor. 15:3).
- God raised Him from the dead and He ascended to heaven (1 Thess. 1:10).
- He now lives in heaven and intercedes for us (Heb. 7:25).
- He is a prophet, priest and a king (John 1:18; Heb. 4:14; 1 Tim. 6:15-16).

The Bible presents Christ as:

- God: Isa. 9:6; Heb. 1:8; Mark 1:24; John 10:30
- Prophet: John 1:18
- Priest: Heb. 4:14-16
- King: Ps. 72
- The Son of the living God: Matt. 16:16
- God and Savior: 2 Pet. 1:1
- Eternal: John 8:58; 17:5
- Omnipresent: Matt. 28:20; Ps. 139:7-12
- Omnipotent: Matt. 28:18; Rev. 1:8; Ps. 139:13-18
- Omniscient: John 21:17; Ps. 139:1-6
- Unchangeable: Heb. 13:8
- Creator of all things: John 1:3

2 - VERSES

- [Isa. 9:6](#)
- [John 10:30](#)
- [Heb. 1:8](#)
- [Matt. 1:21](#)
- [Heb. 10:12](#)
- [1 Cor. 15:3](#)
- [1 Thess. 1:10](#)

- [Heb. 7:25](#)
- [John 1:18](#)
- [Heb. 4:14](#)
- [1 Tim. 6:15-16](#)

EXAM 6 – What question would you have asked Jesus about being born from above?

1 - COMMENTS

- Is it necessary? (John 3:3, 5)
- How does it happen? (1 Peter 1:23; Rom. 10:17)
- What does He mean by being born of the Spirit? (John 1:12-13; 3:6)

2 - VERSES

- [John 3:3, 5](#)
- [1 Peter 1:23](#)
- [Rom. 10:17](#)
- [John 1:12-13; 3:6](#)
- [John 3:1-21](#) We must be born again because without the new birth we cannot see the kingdom of God, the new birth gives us a new spiritual or divine nature.
- [1 Peter 1:23](#) Born of the Word of God.

EXAM 7 – In what or whom are you trusting for salvation from your sin?

1 - COMMENTS

- There is salvation only in Jesus Christ (Acts 4:12; John 14:6).
- We can be saved by believing in Him and accepting Him as our Savior (Acts 16:30,31; John 1:12).
- We can only be saved by faith in Christ. We are saved by grace through faith in Jesus and not by our good works (Eph. 2:8-9).

2 - VERSES

- [Acts 4:12](#) There is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.
- [John 14:6](#) I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.
- [Acts 16:30, 31](#)
- [John 1:12](#)
- [Eph. 2:8-9](#)
- [Acts 16:30-31](#) Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved.
- [John 3:18](#) He who believes in Him is not condemned; but he who does not believe is condemned already, because he has not
- believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.
- [John 5:24](#) I say to you, he who hears My word and believes in Him who sent Me has everlasting life, and shall not come into

- judgment, but has passed from death into life.
- [John 6:37](#) All that the Father gives Me will come to Me, and the one who comes to Me I will by no means cast out.
- [John 6:47](#) He who believes in Me has everlasting life.

EXAM 8 – Are you saved? If so, write briefly about how you received Christ.

1 - COMMENTS

- We need to be saved because we are sinners (Rom. 5:12).
- Christ has died for our sins and paid the price (1 Peter 2:24; Rom. 5:6-9).
- Hearing the Word of God and believing in Christ results in having eternal life (John 3:16; 5:24).
- Receiving Christ means we receive the right to become children of God (John 1:12).

2 - VERSES

- [Rom. 5:12](#)
- [1 Peter 2:24](#)
- [Rom. 5:6-9](#)
- [John 3:16; 5:24](#) God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.
- [John 1:12](#)
- [1 John 5:13](#) These things have I written to you who believe in the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that you have eternal life, and that you may continue to believe in the name of the Son of God.
- [Acts 16:31](#) Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved.

EXAM 9 – How has God shown grace to you?

1 - COMMENTS

- There is grace in salvation (Eph. 2:8-9).
- He gives to us that we may give to others of our materials goods (2 Cor. 9:8-9).
- We are given grace to use our gifts for the benefit of the body of Christ (Eph. 4:7-8).
- Grace teaches us to live godly lives and enables us to do so (Titus 2:11-12; Rom. 6:13-14).

2 - VERSES

- [Eph. 2:8-9](#) For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast.
- [2 Cor. 9:8-9](#)
- [Eph. 4:7-8](#) But to each one of us grace was given according to the measure of Christ's gift.
- [Titus 2:11-14](#) Christ gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless deed and purify for Himself His own special people, zealous for good works.
- [Rom. 6:13-14](#)

- [Rom. 5:8](#) God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

EXAM 10 – How has this lesson helped you understand more about faith?

1 - COMMENTS

- Faith is generated by hearing the Word of God (Rom. 10:17).
- It is not enough just to have faith, but our faith must be in Christ (Acts 16:31).
- We may know all the facts about Christ and still not believe in Him and be saved. James says that even the demons believe there is one God and tremble (James 2:19).
- We can believe all that the Bible says about Christ and still not trust Him personally (John 5:39-40).

2 - VERSES

- [Rom. 10:17](#)
- [Acts 16:31](#)
- [James 2:19](#)
- [John 5:39-40](#)
- [Heb. 11:6](#) Without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.
- [Rom. 10:17](#) Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

EXAM 11 – Where will you spend eternity?

1 - COMMENTS

- We can be sure that we are going to heaven (John 5:24; 6:47; 1 John 5:11-13).

2 - VERSES

- [John 5:24; 6:47](#)
- [1 John 5:11-13](#)
- [John 5:24](#) Most assuredly, I say to you, he who hears My word and believes in Him who sent Me has everlasting life, and shall not come into judgment, but has passed from death into life.
- [John 6:37](#) All that the Father gives Me will come to Me, and the one who comes to Me I will by no means cast out.
- [John 6:47](#) Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me has everlasting life.
- [John 14:1-4](#) Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me. In My Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also. And where I go you know, and the way you know.
- [Phil. 3:20-21](#) For our citizenship is in heaven, from which we also eagerly wait for the Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, who will transform our lowly body that it may be

conformed to His glorious body, according to the working by which He is able even to subdue all things to Himself.

- [Eph. 2:4-6](#) But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), and raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus
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EXAM 12 – What are you doing to be ready for the Lord’s return?

1 - COMMENTS

- Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and you will be saved (Acts 16:30-31).
- 1 Thessalonians 4:14, 16 states that those who are in Jesus will be caught up with the Lord. Therefore, we must be in Christ to be ready whether we have died or are alive when He returns.

2 - VERSES

- [Acts 16:30-31](#)
- [1 Thess. 4:14, 16](#) But I do not want you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning those who have fallen asleep, lest you sorrow as others who have no hope...the Lord Himself will descend from heaven...Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air.
- [John 12:26](#) If any one serves Me, let him follow Me; and where I am, there my servant will be also: If any man serves Me, him my Father will honor.
- [John 14:1-3](#) Christ will bring the raptured church to the place He prepared.