

These bible study questions were created to provide assistance to those who wish to engage in a study of God's will directly from the word of God.

Instructions: Please answer each question with a response of Yes or No based upon the information obtained from studying the verses given.

Lesson 4

ON SIN AND ITS SOLUTION

1. Isaiah 59: 1-2; Romans 3: 23. Does sin separate man from God and His favor? Have all sinned?
2. Luke 19: 10; Romans 1: 16. Did Jesus, the Son of man, come to save man from sin?
3. Mark 16: 15-16. Is the gospel for all nations and races? Does the gospel say man must both believe and be baptized to be saved?

ON BAPTISM

4. Acts 2: 36-41. Does being "pricked in their hearts" indicate they believed? When these sinners asked what they must do, were they told that there was nothing they could do? Were they commanded to repent and be baptized for the remission of their sins? Did those who gladly received the word refuse to be baptized?
5. Acts 22: 16; 1 Peter 3: 18-21. Was baptism commanded because sin was already washed away? Does baptism have anything to do with saving a person?
6. Acts 8: 36-39. Did this man confess faith in Jesus before being baptized? Was this example of Bible baptism a baptism in water? Did both Philip and the eunuch both go down into the water? Does this indicate that Philip immersed the eunuch?
7. Romans 6: 3-4; Colossians 2: 12. Was Paul buried with Christ in baptism? Would you be pleasing God to be baptized as Paul and the eunuch were? Is it God's will for men to substitute sprinkling or pouring for baptism?

8. Acts 2: 41, 47. Does the Lord immediately add those who are baptized to the saved?
9. James 2: 24; Acts 2: 47. Since "faith only" does not justify, would the Lord add anyone to His church who claims salvation by "faith only?"

ON DIVISIONS AND DENOMINATIONS

10. Ephesians 4: 4-6. Does the Bible teach there are many valid baptisms? Does the Bible teach there is one body, just as there is one Lord and one God?
11. Ephesians 1: 22-23. Is the one body the same as the church?
12. John 17: 20-21. Were God and Jesus divided in any way? Is Jesus concerned when there is division in His church?
13. 1 Corinthians 1: 10-13. Are we permitted to speak different things in religious matters from that which was spoken by the authority of Christ? Was Christ pleased when some called themselves after Paul, Apollos, and Cephas? Is Christ pleased with the division of the denominational system today where some are called after men and others after various doctrines rather than after Christ?

ON CORRECT DESIGNATIONS

14. Acts 11: 26; 26: 28; 1 Peter 4: 16. Were the disciples called Christians in the New Testament? Is it right to be called a Paulite Christian, an Apollosite Christian, or a Cephasite Christian?
15. Matthew 16: 18; Acts 20: 28; Romans 16: 16. Does the church belong to Christ? Have any group of men paid a purchase price for the church so that it belongs to them? Were several congregations called "churches of Christ?"

16. Acts 2: 36-41, 47. When these believed, repented and were baptized, did the Lord save and add them to His church? Did He add them to some man-made denomination? If you believe, repent, confess and are immersed for the remission of sins, will the Lord save and add you to His church? Would he add you to some man-made denomination?

ON THE LORD'S SUPPER, GIVING

17. Matthew 26: 26-29. Does Jesus indicate that the Lord's Supper would be in His kingdom (or church)? Were the disciples to partake of both "the bread" and "the fruit of the vine?"

18. 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26. Will His church proclaim the Lord's death by observing this supper "till he comes" again? If you were in His church, is it God's will that you regularly partake of the Lord's supper?

19. Acts 20: 7. Did the early Christians observe the Lord's Supper on the first day of the week (Sunday)? Should Christians today fail to observe this supper or change it to another day?

20. 1 Corinthians 16: 1-2. Did the church at Corinth meet and give into the treasury on the same day, the first day of the week? Was this a regular day of assembling for the church?

