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BIBLE KNOWLEDGE 1
(For Both School and Private Candidates)

01-4/1
Time: 2 Hours 30 Minutes

Friday November 05, 2004 p.m.

Instructions

1. This paper comprises eight (8) questions.
2. Answer five (5) questions.
3. Question number 1 is compulsory.
4. Each question carries 20 marks.
5. Bibles and other religious materials are not allowed in the examination room.
6. Cellular phones are not allowed in the examination room.
7. Write your Examination Number on every page of your answer booklet(s).

1. Answer five (5) items only.

- (a) Why did the men who went to spy the land of Canaan die by plague before the Lord? (Jos. 13:30 – 14:3).
- (b) What made the sons of Jacob to hate their brother Joseph and later to sell him to the Midianites traders?
- (c) In Egypt the Lord was with Joseph, that is why he succeeded in many ways. As a result, his master Potiphar decided to favour him (Gen. 39:1 – 4).
- (i) Who was Potiphar? *an officer of pharaoh, captain of the guard*
- (ii) What was Potiphar's favour to Joseph? *he made him oversee in his house and put him in charge*
- (d) When the people of Israel cried to the Lord on account of the Midianites, the Lord sent a prophet to the people of Israel (Juda. 6:7 – 8).
- (i) Name the person referred to as "a prophet" in the statement above.
- (ii) State the character of the soldiers whom God chose to go to battle with the person you have named above.
- (e) What was the significance of the religious rite that involved the stripping off Aaron's garments and putting them upon Eleazar? (Num. 20:22 – 29).
- (f) "You speak to us, and we will hear, but let not God speak to us, least we die". (Ex. 20:19).
- (i) Who spoke these words? *Israelis*
- (ii) To whom were these words spoken? *Moses*
- (iii) What answer was given by the addressee to the speakers? *Don't do*
- (g) Name the two (2) sons of Joseph and Asenath and give the meaning of their names.
Mannassee, Ephraim
- (h) Identify the speakers of the following statements:
- (i) "Abner, whose son is this youth"? (1 Sam. 17:55). *Saul*
- (ii) "Send men to spy out the land of Canaan, which I gave to the people of Israel; from each tribe of their fathers shall you send a man, every one a leader among them". (Num. 13:2). *Lord*
- (iii) "Oh my God, I am not eloquent, either heretofore or since thou has spoken to thy servant". (Ex. 4:10). *Moses*
- (iv) "The Lord sent me anoint you King over his people Israel, now therefore hearken the words of the Lord". (1 Sam. 15:1). *Samuel*

Match the responses in LIST B with the phrases in LIST A, by writing the letter of the correct response beside the item number.

LIST A

- (i) Did not value his birth-right
- (ii) He was imprisoned after being accused by the wife of an Egyptian official
- (iii) It is at this place that many Israelites lost faith in God
- (iv) This is where the Israelites fought against a very strong alliance of the Amorite Kings
- (v) Before he died, he warned his people that they should not turn away from God
- (vi) They were men inspired by God to lead the tribes in the battle against their enemies
- (vii) The one who brought conflict to the house of Abraham
- (viii) The tribe from which priests were appointed to officiate religious functions among the Israelites
- (ix) He was rejected as the King of Israel
- (x) The place where Abraham lived before he was called by God to move to Canaan

LIST B

- A Ur
- B Haran
- C Danites
- D Levi
- E Judges
- F Kings
- G Saul
- H Gibeon
- I Esau
- J Laban
- K Jacob
- L Joseph
- M Moab
- N Ai
- O Keturah
- P Kadesh
- Q Bitha
- R Hagar
- S Joshua
- T Moses

Explain how Israel won a battle against Amalekites at Raphidim (Ex. 17:8 – 16).

Outline five (5) aspects of Passover Ordinance (Ex. 12:43 – 49).

“Because you did not believe in me to sanctify me in the eyes of the people of Israel, therefore you shall not bring this assembly into the land which I have given them”. (Num. 20:12).

- (a) Explain the event which moved the speaker to say this statement.
- (b) (i) Explain how this statement was realized by the respective individuals.
(ii) State where the above statement was given.

Answer the following questions on sexual immorality and God’s commandments.

- (a) According to Deuteronomy 5:6 – 21, state two (2) commandments that are meant to control human sexual relationships.
- (b) As far as human health is concerned, state the problems that a person may get if he/she transgresses those commandments you stated above.

“The Philistines are upon you, Samson!” (Judg. 16:20).

- (a) Who said those words? *Del*
- (b) How did the Philistines treat Samson? *Find this and other free resources at: <https://maktaba.tetea.org>*

8. (a) Explain how David killed Goliath despite his championship (1 Sam. 17:48 – 51).
- (b) Differentiate the character of David from that of Goliath in their relation to God that made David win the fight and Goliath fail.