

MIDDLE / HIGH SCHOOL QUESTIONS

2019 BIBLE BEE

General Bible Questions

1. In how many persons does this one God exist?

God exists in three persons (Matthew 3:16–17; 2 Corinthians 13:14)

2. Why ought you to glorify God?

I ought to glorify God because He made me and takes care of me

(Psalm 104:14–23; 146:5–10; Revelation 4:11).

3. How can you learn to love God and obey Him?

God Himself and the Bible teach me how to love and obey Him (Joshua

1:8; Psalm 119:10–11; Romans 5:5; 1 Thessalonians 4:8–9).

4. What were the first parents made of?

God made Adam out of the dust of the ground and formed Eve from

Adam's body (Genesis 2:7, 21–22).

5. Why did God make Adam and Eve?

God made them to populate the earth and have dominion over it (Genesis

1:26–28).

6. What does it mean for humans to have dominion over the earth?

We are to manage every part of our lives for the benefit of others and for the glory of God.

7. What was the sin of the first parents?

Adam and Eve disobeyed God by eating the fruit that God told them not to eat (Genesis 2:17; 3:6).

8. What does every sin deserve?

Every sin deserves to be punished by God (Psalm 89:30–32; Galatians 3:10).

9. Was Satan ever good?

Yes, Satan was once one of God's greatest angels (Ezekiel 28:12–14).

10. Why is Satan not one of God's angels today?

Satan became proud, sinned, and tried to fight against God, so God cast him out of heaven (Ezekiel 28:15–16; Revelation 12:3–4, 7–9).

11. What does Satan do?

Satan causes us to doubt God's Word, tempts us to sin, and destroys lives (Genesis 3:1; 3:4; Matthew 4:3, 9; John 10:10).

12. What does God require before a person can go to heaven?

God requires that a person accept Jesus as Lord and Saviour. (John 3:3, 16; Acts 4:12).

13. What is another word for being born again?

Regeneration is another word for being born again (Ezekiel 36:26–27; Titus 3:5–6).

14. What is regeneration?

Regeneration is a change of heart whereby God's desires become the sinner's delight.

15. What is meant by the atonement?

The atonement is Christ's satisfying divine justice by His sufferings and death in the place of sinners (Romans 5:8–11; 1 Peter 3:18).

16. What is justification?

Justification is God's forgiving me and treating me just as if I had never sinned. (Romans 3:24–25; Romans 8:1).

17. How am I justified?

I am justified by faith in the work of Christ (Romans 3:25–28; Galatians 2:16).

18. What is sanctification?

Sanctification is the process by which God transforms saved people to be like Christ in heart and behavior (1 Corinthians 6:19–20; Romans 12:1–2).

19. What are the two parts of sanctification?

The two parts of sanctification are dying to sin and living to righteousness (Romans 8:13; 6:11, 13; Galatians 2:20).

20. For whom did Christ obey and suffer?

Christ obeyed and suffered for sinners (Romans 5:8).

21. What did the sacrifices represent?

The sacrifices represented Christ, the Lamb of God, Who was to die for sinners (John 1:29, 36; Hebrews 9:11–14).

22. Did Christ remain in the tomb after His Crucifixion?

No, Christ rose bodily from the tomb on the third day after His death (Matthew 16:21; 28:1–6; 1 Corinthians 15).

23. What are the Ten Commandments sometimes called?

They are called the Decalogue, which means “ten words.”

24. What do the first four commandments teach?

The first four commandments teach our duty to God (Exodus 20:1–11; Matthew 22:37–38).

25. What do the last six commandments teach?

The last six commandments teach our duty to our fellow man (Exodus 20:12–17; Matthew 22:39).

26. What is the first great commandment?

The first great commandment says, “Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind” (Matthew 22:37).

27. What is the second great commandment?

The second great commandment says, “Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself” (Matthew 22:39).

28. What is an ordinance?

An ordinance is a way of remembering Christ’s death, burial, and

Resurrection (Romans 6:3–10; 1 Corinthians 11:23–26).

29. How many ordinances are there in the Bible? What are the two ordinances?

Two ordinances in the Bible (Matthew 28:19; 1 Corinthians 11:23–26). The two ordinances are baptism and the Lord's Supper (Matthew 26:26–28; 28:19).

30. What element is used in baptism?

The element used in baptism is water (Matthew 3:6, 11, 14–17).

31. What are the elements used in the Lord's Supper?

The elements used in the Lord's Supper are bread and the fruit of the vine (Matthew 26:26–28; Mark 14:22–25).

32. What do the bread and fruit of the vine symbolize?

The bread symbolizes Christ's body, which was crucified for us, and the cup symbolizes His blood, which was shed for us (Matthew 26:26–28; Mark 14:22–25; Luke 22:17–20).

33. What guide has Christ given us to teach us how to pray?

Christ has given us the Lord's Prayer (Matthew 6:9–13).

34. What happens to people at death?

The body returns to dust, and the spirit goes to either heaven or hell (Genesis 3:19; Psalm 9:17; Luke 16:22–23; Romans 6:23).

35. How many books are in the Bible? 66

36. How many sons did Jacob (Israel) have? 12

37. What did their names form? 12 Tribes of Israel

38. Which tribe of Israel looked after the religious aspects of life? Levi

39. In which prophecy did we read about the valley of dry bones? Ezekiel

40. How were sins forgiven in the Old Testament? Animal sacrifice

41. What is the name commonly given to the first five books of the Old Testament? The Pentateuch

42. What was the name of Abraham's nephew? Lot

43. What did God ask Abraham to sacrifice to him on Mount Mariah? His only son Isaac

44. Why does Cain kill his brother Abel? Because God was more pleased by Abel's sacrifice than by Cain's
45. What was Cain's punishment for the murder of Abel? He was banned from his occupation and made a restless wanderer of the earth.
46. How does Jacob steal his brother, Esau's inheritance rights? By tricking his father with the help of his mother.
47. What object did God give Moses that allows him to perform signs and wonders? A wooden staff.
48. Why does Moses break the stone tablets inscribed with God's commandments at Mount Sinai? Because the people are worshipping a golden idol.
49. Who betrays Samson to the Philistines? Delilah
50. This woman remained with her mother-in-law, Naomi, after Naomi's husband and sons died. Ruth
51. This woman was turned into a pillar of Salt because she looked back as Sodom and Gomorrah were being destroyed. Lot's Wife
52. People look on the outward appearance, but what does God look on? The heart
53. Who were the first apostles? Peter and Andrew
54. What is the shortest book in the New Testament? 2 John
55. To what city was Saul traveling when he encountered a great and blinding light? Damascus
56. After Jesus fed 5000+ people with two fish and five loaves of bread, how many baskets were left over? 12
57. Who is Stephen in Acts of the Apostles? The first Christian martyr
58. According to the Gospel of Matthew, where does Jesus's first public sermon take place? On the Mount.
59. When Christians observe Palm Sunday, what biblical events are they celebrating? Jesus's entry into Jerusalem before his death
60. According to the Gospels, what is the unique literary genre Jesus employs to preach in his message? Parables
61. Who was the tax collector that climbed up a tree so he could see Jesus? Zacchaeus
62. How was Jesus revealed by the one who betrayed him in the garden? With a kiss
63. On what island was Paul shipwrecked as he made his way to Rome? Patmos
64. What happened to Jesus after the resurrection? He ascended into heaven.
65. How was it possible for the Son of God to suffer?
Christ, the Son of God, became human so that He could obey and suffer

in our place (Philippians 2:7–8; Hebrews 2:9).

BIBLE SCRIPTURES TO MEMORIZE

Psalm 100

66. Make a joyful noise unto the LORD, all ye lands.

²Serve the LORD with gladness: come before his presence with singing.

³Know ye that the LORD he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture⁴Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name.

Romans 8:28

67. “And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.”

Galatians 5:16

68. “But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh.

Philippians 4:6-7

69. “Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.”

Philippians 4:19

70. And my God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus.

Roman 12: 1-2

71. I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect

Romans 8:38-39

72. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Matthew 22:37-39

73. Jesus replied: “Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’

Galatians 5:22-23

74. But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.

Matthew 28:19-20

75. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.

John 8:31-32

76. If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.

Proverbs 27:17

77. “As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another.”

Psalms 119:105

78. “Your word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.”

Psalms 150:6

79. Let everything that has breath praise the LORD. Praise the LORD.

Philippians 2:14

80. “Do everything without grumbling and arguing.”

Deuteronomy 5:7

81. “You shall have no other gods before me.”

Proverbs 3:5

82. “Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not unto thine own understanding;”

Matthew 5:14

83. “You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden.”

Jeremiah 29:11

84. “For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”

Matthew 6:19-21

85. Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal. But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven where neither moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through and steal. For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

The Beatitudes (Matthew 5: 3-12)

86. Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be filled.

Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.

Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

