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Chapter 11 Quiz

Write the letter of the correct answer in the space provided.

- _____ 1. When do we become holy?
- a. We are not holy until we die and go to Heaven.
 - b. Holiness is an impossible goal; only God is holy.
 - c. We become holy at the moment of conception, at the moment of Baptism, and whenever we avoid sin and serve others.
 - d. We are always holy; it is a given fact of being human.
- _____ 2. What is God's supernatural gift to help us respond to his love, to restore us to original holiness and justice, and to help us live holy lives?
- a. peace
 - b. grace
 - c. justice
 - d. truth
- _____ 3. What role do our intellect and free will play in the path to holiness?
- a. They are gifts from God that help us weigh decisions, evaluate outcomes, and make good moral choices.
 - b. They lead us to a strict interpretation of the Law, which Jesus condemns.
 - c. They are corrupted; they lead us to rebel against God and sin.
 - d. They heal our human nature wounded by sin.
- _____ 4. Who is called to holiness?
- a. only saints and angels
 - b. priests, saints, and angels
 - c. those called to religious life, priests, saints, and angels
 - d. everyone
- _____ 5. What is needed to become a disciple of Christ?
- a. Only the Twelve Apostles (plus Saint Paul) were called to be disciples by Jesus, who said to them, "Follow me."
 - b. Only angels, saints, and the Apostles are considered disciples.
 - c. Accepting Jesus' teachings as true and putting them into practice is what makes one a disciple.
 - d. Simply calling Jesus "Lord" makes a person a disciple.



- _____ 6. What does the poem “Dark Night of the Soul” represent?
- a. the unknowable dimension of God
 - b. the abandonment of one’s faith
 - c. the victory of sin and death
 - d. the grueling practice of self-denial

Write the letter of the description matching the person in the space provided.

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| _____ 7. Thomas Merton | a. This person had a mystical vision of wintertime, in which they saw a bare tree and considered that soon new leaves, flowers, and fruit would appear again, and became overwhelmed by the power and wisdom of God. This person became known for being humble and wise; many people reached out for this person’s advice. |
| _____ 8. Brother Lawrence | |
| _____ 9. Saint John of the Cross | b. This person had visions in which they felt blessed by Christ’s physical presence, and in which a fiery angel pierced their heart with a spear. This person also had illnesses that caused terrible physical pain but also brought a spiritual bliss never before experienced. |
| _____ 10. Saint Teresa of Ávila | c. This person had a mystical experience while standing on a street corner and was suddenly overwhelmed with the realization that they loved all the people they saw walking around the town. |
| | d. This person’s mystical experiences were gained through lengthy, grueling punishment received for attempting to reform their religious order. This person came to intimately know the sufferings of Christ and began to understand the mystical connection between suffering and loss and the search for God. |

