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## Unit 3 Test

# God Revealed through Kings and Prophets

### Multiple Choice

Write the letter of the best or most appropriate answer in the space provided before each question.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. According to the First Book of Kings, why does the united kingdom of Israel split into two kingdoms?
- a. The Assyrians invaded Israel.
  - b. There were religious differences among the Israelites.
  - c. Solomon was ineffective as a leader.
  - d. The people were faithless.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. What are the messianic prophecies?
- a. They point to the coming of the ideal Messiah, Jesus Christ.
  - b. They express comfort to those in darkness and despair.
  - c. They offer hope to those in need.
  - d. all of the above
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Why are the prophets often unpopular?
- a. They are usually government leaders and have control over the people.
  - b. They point out people's sins and call for them to change.
  - c. They just repeat what the religious leaders say.
  - d. They rarely practice what they preach.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Which prophet challenges all the prophets of Baal and Asherah in a head-to-head battle of the prophets?
- a. Jezebel
  - b. Elisha
  - c. Elijah
  - d. Jonah
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. What does Hosea's marriage represent?
- a. Judah's greed
  - b. Hosea's personal sins
  - c. Gomer's faithfulness to Hosea
  - d. Israel's lack of faithfulness to God



- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. After Solomon, how are the kingdoms split?
- a. the Babylonians in the north and the Assyrians in the south
  - b. Israel in the north and the Babylonians in the south
  - c. Judah in the north and Israel in the south
  - d. Israel in the north and Judah in the south
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. What does Amos preach against?
- a. false and empty worship
  - b. religious hypocrisy
  - c. the wealthy who ignored the needs of the poor
  - d. all of the above
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. What do Jonah's three days and nights in the fish prefigure?
- a. Jesus calling the fishermen to follow him
  - b. Jesus multiplying the loaves and fishes
  - c. Jesus' death and Resurrection
  - d. Jesus' agony in the garden
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. What is unique about the Book of Isaiah?
- a. It's made up of two main sections: the Book of Prophecy and the Book of Renewal.
  - b. It very likely contains prophecies of three different prophets at three different time periods.
  - c. It continues where the Book of Deuteronomy left off.
  - d. all of the above
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. What event does First Isaiah write about?
- a. the Babylonian Exile
  - b. the return of the exiles in Babylon
  - c. the Assyrian conquest
  - d. the split of the two kingdoms
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. Why does Jeremiah first resist God's call to prophecy?
- a. He thinks he is too young.
  - b. He is not faithful enough.
  - c. He has more important things to do.
  - d. He does not know how to do what God asked.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. When Jeremiah walks through town wearing a yoke around his neck, what is he telling the people to do?
- a. to quit being led around by the Assyrians
  - b. to quit treating the poor like cattle
  - c. to let God lead you like men lead cattle
  - d. to surrender to the Babylonians instead of dying



- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. What or whom do the Babylonians destroy when they capture Jerusalem?
- a. the firstborn sons
  - b. the Temple
  - c. every living animal
  - d. the church
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14. What do Ezekiel's shock tactics include?
- a. building a model of Jerusalem and staring at it for fourteen months
  - b. walking around the city with his bags as if he is ready to be taken away
  - c. refusing to mourn his wife's death
  - d. all of the above
- \_\_\_\_\_ 15. What is one of Ezekiel's hopeful prophecies?
- a. a dream of a rising sun
  - b. a vision of the dry bones coming to life
  - c. a song about soothing rain
  - d. a poem about the chain shackles breaking
- \_\_\_\_\_ 16. Isaiah points to a future highlighted by the coming of what or whom?
- a. Zedekiah
  - b. Jeremiah
  - c. Hezekiah
  - d. Emmanuel
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17. When was Second Isaiah possibly written?
- a. centuries before the Babylonian Exile
  - b. just before the Babylonian Exile
  - c. during the Babylonian Exile
  - d. soon after the Babylonian Exile
- \_\_\_\_\_ 18. Who are the two servants of God Second Isaiah identifies who give hope to the people of Judah?
- a. the Suffering Servant and Cyrus, king of Persia
  - b. King Josiah and Jesus Christ
  - c. the servant of goodness and the servant of discipline
  - d. the prophets Jeremiah and Ezekiel
- \_\_\_\_\_ 19. What do Christians keep in mind when reading the Old Testament?
- a. the Apostles
  - b. the election of a new pope
  - c. Christ's life, death, and Resurrection
  - d. our understanding about slavery



- \_\_\_\_\_ 20. When Jesus quotes the Psalms, what does he refers to himself as?
- a. "the stone the builders rejected"
  - b. "the Way, the Truth, and the Life"
  - c. "May my name be forever; as long as the sun"
  - d. "the Son of God"
- \_\_\_\_\_ 21. What does Israel suffer from?
- a. numerous rebellions
  - b. leaders who encourage idolatry
  - c. civil wars
  - d. all of the above
- \_\_\_\_\_ 22. At our Baptism, all Christians are anointed to share in Christ's ministry as what?
- a. priest, prophet, and king
  - b. leaders in our local churches
  - c. preachers
  - d. baptizers
- \_\_\_\_\_ 23. The relationship between Elijah and Elisha has numerous parallels to the relationship between whom?
- a. Adam and Cain
  - b. Abraham and Jacob
  - c. Moses and Joshua
  - d. Jesus and the Apostles
- \_\_\_\_\_ 24. To what does Jeremiah compare the people and why?
- a. his shoes, because they walk on the poor
  - b. a cart with a broken wheel, because they are good for nothing
  - c. a rotten loincloth, because they worship other gods
  - d. the Temple, because they will be destroyed
- \_\_\_\_\_ 25. To show the depths of which the people will suffer, what does Ezekiel use to cook his food?
- a. cow manure
  - b. pig fat
  - c. human dung
  - d. thistles



## Matching

Match the description in column A with the name in column B by writing the letter of the correct answer in the space provided.

### Column A

- \_\_\_\_\_ 26. A Hebrew word meaning “anointed one.”
- \_\_\_\_\_ 27. The Greek translation of the Hebrew word meaning “anointed one.”
- \_\_\_\_\_ 28. The Greek form of the Hebrew name that means “God saves.”
- \_\_\_\_\_ 29. Started the Catholic Worker Movement which provided shelter, food, and clothing to those in need.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 30. Used his marriage as a metaphor to describe God’s relationship with his people.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 31. Good king of Judah who trusts in the Lord.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 32. Discovers the book of the Law in the Temple and begins a great religious reform.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 33. A Hebrew word meaning “God is with us.”
- \_\_\_\_\_ 34. A shepherd and tree trimmer who prophesied that the wealthy must care for the poor and vulnerable.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 35. Spoke up for the El Salvadorans suffering from numerous human rights violations at the hands of the Salvadoran regime.

### Column B

- a. Messiah
- b. Hosea
- c. Josiah
- d. Amos
- e. Oscar Romero
- f. Dorothy Day
- g. Jesus
- h. Hezekiah
- i. Emmanuel
- j. Christ



## True or False

Circle "T" if the statement is true and "F" if the statement is false. If it is false, correct the statement by crossing out the underlined word or phrase and writing the correct word or phrase in the space provided.

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| T | F | 36. The <u>kings</u> were people chosen by God to call the people to repentance and hope.   | _____ |
| T | F | 37. <u>Beatification</u> refers to a declaration that a deceased person may be called "blessed" because of their holy life and so has been granted the happiness of Heaven. | _____ |
| T | F | 38. Ezekiel and Jesus were both called " <u>Son of Man</u> ."   | _____ |
| T | F | 39. <u>Classification</u> is the discernment of God's work in the Old Testament as a prefiguration of what he accomplished through Jesus Christ.                            | _____ |
| T | F | 40. Nebuchadnezzar was the king of <u>Judah</u> when the Babylonians conquered Jerusalem.   | _____ |

## Essay

Respond to one of the following questions in complete sentences.

- A. Read Jeremiah, chapter 1, and use it to show how Jeremiah displays at least four of the general characteristics of a prophet. Include references to specific verses to support your answer.
- B. How does the Babylonian Exile motivate the Israelites to write many books that become part of the Old Testament? Include at least four supporting details.
- C. Choose one of the following Old Testament figures: Elisha, Jeremiah, Moses, Joshua, or King David. Give at least three specific supporting examples to explain how this person prefigured Jesus.

