

Lesson Quiz 1-3

Rome and the Rise of Christianity

DIRECTIONS: Matching Match each item with its definition.

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| _____ 1. a story that uses everyday life events to teach a religious idea | A. apostle |
| _____ 2. an early Christian follower of Jesus who helped spread his message | B. disciple |
| _____ 3. the act of rising from the dead | D. resurrection |
| _____ 4. being saved from sin and allowed to enter heaven | E. salvation |
| _____ 5. one of the first 12 followers of Jesus | |

DIRECTIONS: Multiple Choice Indicate the answer choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

- _____ 6. Which of the following empires conquered the people of Judah in 63 B.C.E.?
A. Israel **C.** Spain
B. Jerusalem **D.** Rome
- _____ 7. During the time of cruel control by the Romans, what did some Jews hope would happen?
A. The Romans would replace the Jewish governor with a procurator.
B. The Jews could establish communities far away from Jerusalem.
C. God would send a deliverer to rescue the Jews from the Romans.
D. God would send more commandments as a guide.
- _____ 8. One group of Jews called Zealots believed they should
A. avoid conflict with their rulers.
B. establish communities away from Roman rule.
C. fight the Romans for their freedom.
D. ignore the Romans completely.
- _____ 9. What resulted from the unsuccessful rebellion by the Jews against the Romans in 132 C.E.?
A. Jews established communities outside of Jerusalem.
B. Jews stopped studying and following their religious laws.
C. Jews refused to leave Jerusalem.
D. Jews captured an ancient Greek fortress called Masada.

Lesson Quiz 1-4

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DIRECTIONS: Matching Match each item with the correct statement below.

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| _____ 1. regular church members | A. clergy |
| _____ 2. the official church teaching | B. doctrine |
| _____ 3. a person willing to die for his or her beliefs | C. hierarchy |
| _____ 4. the organization of different levels of authority | D. laity |
| _____ 5. leaders of the church | E. martyr |

DIRECTIONS: Multiple Choice Indicate the answer choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

- _____ 6. Which group of people did the Romans view as a threat to the empire?
- A.** Christians **C.** martyrs
B. Jews **D.** patriarchs
- _____ 7. Which of the following Roman emperors accepted Christianity in 312 C.E.?
- A.** Augustine **C.** Nero
B. Constantine **D.** Theodosius
- _____ 8. Which group is found at the top of the early Christian Church hierarchy?
- A.** archbishops **C.** patriarchs
B. bishops **D.** priests
- _____ 9. Christians could communicate the message of Jesus because most people in the Roman Empire spoke
- A.** English and Spanish.
B. Greek and Hebrew.
C. Hebrew and Latin.
D. Latin and Greek.
- _____ 10. The Gospels, which are written accounts of the life and teachings of Jesus, together form part of
- A.** the Edict of Milan. **C.** *The City of God.*
B. the writings of Paul. **D.** the New Testament.

Lesson Quiz 1-5

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DIRECTIONS: Completion Enter the appropriate word(s) to complete the statement.

1. The _____ developed their own Christian Church, which became known as the Eastern Orthodox Church.
2. In the 700s C.E. a dispute over _____ divided the Eastern Orthodox Church.
3. The _____ was the head of the Roman Catholic Church and claimed to be the ruler of all Christian churches, but the Byzantines rejected his claim.
4. Devout Christian women in the Eastern Roman Empire who established religious communities were called _____.
5. _____, a Byzantine missionary, developed an alphabet that allowed the Byzantines to bring their religion and culture to the Slavs.

DIRECTIONS: Multiple Choice Indicate the answer choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

6. The Byzantines believed that this person, as God's earthly representative, controlled both the Church and the government.
 - A. emperor
 - B. governor
 - C. pope
 - D. priest
7. Which was a list of regulations followed in Eastern Orthodox monasteries and convents?
 - A. Benedictine Rule
 - B. Basilian Rule
 - C. Cyrillic Code
 - D. Ethelbert Code
8. Germanic tribes who invaded much of England later united and became known as
 - A. Anglo-Saxons.
 - B. Celts.
 - C. Serbs.
 - D. Slavs.
9. After the Franks successfully defended Italy against invaders, the pope crowned this Frankish king emperor in 800 C.E.
 - A. Basil
 - B. Charlemagne
 - C. Ethelbert
 - D. Gregory I
10. This pope was a former monk and excellent administrator who tried to bring about reforms in the church.
 - A. Augustine
 - B. Constantine
 - C. Gregory I
 - D. Leo III

What Do You Know?

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Anticipation Guide

Directions Read each statement. If you agree with the statement, write a ✓ on the A. If you disagree with the statement, write a ✓ on the D. Be ready to explain your choices.

Before You Read Agree/Disagree	Statement	After You Read Agree/Disagree
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	1. The <i>Pax Romana</i> is the name for 200 years of peace and prosperity in the history of the Roman Empire.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	2. Roman ideas influenced the governments of the United States and other countries.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	3. Constantinople was one of the world's most advanced cities in the 500s C.E.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	4. Life in the Byzantine Empire was influenced only by Roman ideas.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	5. The Romans occupied the land where Jesus was born and raised.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	6. Jews and Romans got along with one another during the Roman occupation.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	7. The twelve apostles were the first followers of Jesus.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	8. The first Christian churches were actually gatherings in people's homes.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	9. The Roman Empire never stopped trying to destroy Christianity.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D
<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D	10. Christian monks and nuns played an important role in the spread of Christianity.	<input type="radio"/> A <input type="radio"/> D