

HOME BIBLE STUDY

~ Questions For Lesson 9 ~

WHERE DID ALL THE CHURCHES COME FROM?

1. When Jesus warned against "ravening wolves", what did He say they come (Matt. 7:15-16)? How can these disguised wolves be properly identified?
2. Paul predicted that wolves would arise from among what group in the church (Acts 20:28-31)?
3. How could this problem be resisted (Acts 20:32)?
4. When the "falling away occurred, how would the man of sin present himself (2 Thess. 2:3-4)?
5. In the first century, how did the Holy Spirit restrain the trend toward apostasy (2 Thess. 2:5-7)? When did this restraining effort end?
6. (T) (F) Satan is able to work wonders which are realistic and convincing (2 Thess. 2:9-10).
7. Why is it important to love the Truth (2 Thess. 2:10-13)?
8. When did the first "Universal Bishop" or "Pope" arise?
9. What did Jesus say about taking religious titles; such as "Father" (Matt. 23:9)?
10. (T) (F) Peter expected men to bow before him and kiss his feet (Acts 10:25-26).
11. What was the aim behind Luther's 95 Theses?
 - A. Start his own church.
 - B. Destroy the Catholic church.
 - C. Reform the Catholic church.
12. Luther's view on authority was that anything not specifically forbidden was permissible. What principle does this view ignore?
13. How did Luther view denominational names?
14. Who started the Church of England? Why?
15. Give one scripture that answers each of John Calvin's doctrinal views:
 - A. Inherited sinful nature -
 - B. Unconditional election -
 - C. Limited atonement -
 - D. Irresistible Holy Spirit -
 - E. Impossibility of falling from grace -

16. When John Wesley reformed the Church of England, what did he say about party names, phrases and forms?

17. Even though Charles Spurgeon was a "Baptist", how did he view using such denominational names?

18. What movement arose in the 1800's?

19. How do we know that the "church of Christ" existed before Alexander Campbell?

20. When Jesus prayed for unity, how did He say it would be accomplished (John 17:17-23)?

21. To whom should we conform (Rom. 8:29)? To whom should we not conform (Rom. 12:2)?

22. Why is it wrong to follow creeds (1 Thess. 5:21; 1 John 4:1-6)?

23. Which of the following is Biblically correct (1 Cor. 14:33, 37; Matt. 16:18)?

- A. Choose the church of your choice.
- B. It doesn't matter which church you attend.
- C. Attending church is not important.
- D. Choose the church of God's choice.

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