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CHRISTIAN STUDIES

SERIES TWO

MODULE 3

STUDY 1

STUDY QUESTIONS

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Study Questions

The following questions have been designed to assess how much you have understood and retained from your studies.

We understand that not everyone doing the studies will agree with every single point contained therein. However, students are required to answer the questions in accordance with the study material contained in the study booklets.

Answer and number all questions, giving two or three scriptures with each answer wherever possible. Also give an explanation, whenever possible, of how you arrived at your answer.

*For ease of correction **write/type the actual question on your answer sheet before answering each question.***

- 1 (a) What do some people erroneously think they must do before they can receive from God, and what is wrong with this belief?

(b) What must they do instead?
- 2 (a) As Christians, what is now our relationship with God?

(b) What other positions do we have in Christ, and what is our legal inheritance?
3. From what were we released at the Cross of Calvary?
4. What must be the proper object for our faith and why?
5. As Christians what is the position of the sin nature in our lives, and what is the role that it can play?
6. How do we overcome the desires of the sin nature?

7. What does the word “salvation” mean, and to how many areas of our lives can it be applied?
- 8 (a) According to Colossians 1:12-14, of what have we become partakers, and what does this mean in its fullest context?
 - (b) Explain the meanings of the words “*delivered*,” “*translated*” and “*redemption*,” relating these words to us as Christians.
9. Explain what happens to the spirit of a man at regeneration.
10. Describe the process of ongoing sanctification and explain what it achieves.
11. How do we reap all the benefits of salvation in Christ?
12. In relation to God’s Word, what is “grace,” how is it obtained, and why do we need it?
13. When we have a need, we find an invitation in scripture. Identify that invitation in both Old and New Testaments.
14. What are the four general areas of need which compel us to go to the throneroom for help?
15. What are the primary blessings of the Kingdom of God, and what does Jesus bid us to do in relation to these blessings?
- 16 (a) What steps must we take in order to be delivered from sin in any area of our lives?

- (b) How important is Christ's strength, or Christ's empowerment, in all this, and how is it gained?
17. Define "God's power" in three simple ways.
 18. If we do not allow Jesus to be Lord of every area of our lives, what government are we conducting, who is lord of these areas, and what will this result in?
 19. Comment on your knowledge or experience of Wuest's statement, "... *self dies hard. The Spirit-controlled life is a crucified life.*"
 20. God will not govern our lives unless we give Him permission. What two things must Believers do in order to lead the Spirit-controlled life?
 21. Give a brief explanation of the "smoke in the bottle" principle outlined in this study.
 22. Show how the smoke returning to the bottle relates to the story in Matthew 12:43-45.
 23. Our lives within the Kingdom of God are not supposed to remain static. If this is the case, what is meant to be taking place?
 24. What is the process by which we open doors to areas of our lives so that God's blessings can enter?
 25. In any given area of promise, what will be the result if Christians continue to think as the world thinks (logically or naturally) and still try to operate in faith?
 26. How do we make proper demands on heaven's power?

27. Why do Christians often only have faith (trust) in their senses, what will result from this and what is the answer?
28. What is the pathway to true spiritual abundance?
29. If we lack wisdom in any area, what does the Bible instruct us to do, and in what way is this important for the development of faith?
30. Explain the difference between intellectual knowledge and revelation knowledge, say how each is obtained, and relate your answer to Hosea 4:6.
31. If faith does not come by willpower, how is it developed?

NOTES

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to see people living
in abundant life
by the power of God
through Jesus Christ"*



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