**REVELATION FIRST EXAM**

**CHAPTERS 1-3**

**- Study Guide for Online Exam -**

* This study guide is to be used to prepare for the online exam. Please do not submit this study guide as your exam.
* The number of points for each question is indicated in parentheses ( ).
* The numbers in brackets [ ] after each question are the page numbers in the Course Notes and/or the scripture citation that the question is based upon.
* Exams can be located on the course page under the “Exams” tab. Each online exam can only be submitted once.

1. (2) Go below and fill in the blanks for the missing words exactly as given in the Course Notes in order to be counted correct. (The answers must be spelled correctly.) [5]

*In the book of Revelation (just like the rest of the Bible) no conclusions or teachings should ever be based on any point of history after the \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.*

2. (1) True or False - All apocalyptic literature is cryptic. [6]

3. (2) Go below and fill in the blanks for the missing words exactly as given in the Course Notes in order to be counted correct. (The answers must be spelled correctly.) [6]

*Prophets were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and apocalyptists were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.*

4. (5) Give the first five (5) reasons given in your Course Notes that Christians were hated and persecuted (from the point of view of the non-Christians). [8-9]

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

5. (4) Give four (4) more reasons given in your Course Notes that Christians were hated and persecuted (from the point of view of the non-Christians). [8-9]

a.

b.

c.

d.

6. (1) True or False - The visions in the book of Revelation are literal accounts of things to come. [9]

7. (1) True or False - The visions in the book of Revelation do not all start in the same place and time, but they all lead to the same end and goal. [10]

8. (2) The Christians were reminded in the Revelation that Jesus would return again at the end of time to judge two types of people. What are the two (2) types? [11]

a.

b.

9. (5) Give the five (5) methods (theories) of interpretation explained in the Course Notes that are NOT used in this course. [12-16]

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

10. (1) True or False - In this course the instructor avoided a literal interpretation of visions and symbolic passages. [17]

11. (1) What is the date of writing for the book of Revelation? [18]

a.

12. (1) What is the aim of the teaching of this course as found in the Course Notes? [23]

a.

13. (1) The visions in this book are taking place during the lives of the people to whom the Revelation was written. These visions DO NOT refer to times hundreds or even thousands of years in the future. What is the only exception? [25]

a.

14. (1) True or False - John bore witness to the word of God, the testimony of Jesus and all things he saw. John was an eye-witness, an ear-witness and a touch-witness. [26]

15. (1) True or False - Every Christian is a priest and therefore has access to the Father and does not go through any other priest on earth. [27]

16. (1) True or False - Jesus does not walk among His churches, knowing their every action, including every member’s actions. [29]

17. (2) In Revelation 1:18 Jesus says He has the keys to two things. What are the two (2) things? [30]

a.

b.

18. (1) True or False - Every conceivable category of problem in the church is covered in these letters and by them any congregation can be examined, the trouble diagnosed and the remedy prescribed. [31]

19. (1) True or False - The Ephesian church had lost its first love and as a result all of the good works they had done will not be acknowledged nor credited to them. [34]

20. (1) Go below and fill in the blank for the missing word exactly as given in the Course Notes in order to be counted correct. (The answer must be spelled correctly.) [35]

*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ begins with remembrance.*

21. (1) True or False - If the Gnostic’s teaching had been successful, the world would have changed Christianity, and not Christianity the world. [37]

22. (1) True or False - In Smyrna there was a very large number of Jews there and they were bitter opponents to Christianity in part because many of the converts to the church came from them or from those who had been influenced by them. [38]

23. (1) Go below and fill in the blank for the missing word exactly as given in the Course Notes in order to be counted correct. (The answer must be spelled correctly.) [39]

*Every Christian is not called upon to \_\_\_ for Christ.*

24. (1) What is the first death? [40]

a.

25. (1) What is the second death? [40]

a.

26. (2) In Pergamos some held to the doctrine of Balaam. In what two (2) ways were they putting a stumbling block before their brethren? [41]

a.

b.

27. (1) True or False - God does not just hate sin, He also hates the sinner. [42]

28. (1) Go below and fill in the blank for the missing word exactly as given in the Course Notes in order to be counted correct. (The answer must be spelled correctly.) [44]

*There is some \_\_\_\_\_ in all heresy. There has to be just enough to hold the lies together.*

29. (1) True or False - The Holy Spirit can be doled out (given to you) in parts. [47]

30. (2) Go below and fill in the blanks for the missing words exactly as given in the Course Notes in order to be counted correct. (The answers must be spelled correctly.) [49]

*If we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Him here, He will \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ us there.*

31. (2) Jesus commended the church at Philadelphia saying, they "have kept My word." What two (2) things does keeping God's word entail? [50]

a.

b.

32. (3) Go below and fill in the blanks for the missing words exactly as given in the Course Notes in order to be counted correct. (The answers must be spelled correctly.) [51]

*No one may take your crown- no one may literally take your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and reward from you. But, they may so entice you that you \_\_\_\_. Then you and the deceiver will both be \_\_\_\_.*

33. (1) In Revelation 2:14 Jesus is named as "the Beginning of the creation of God." What does the word "beginning" mean in this context? [53]

a.

34. (2) Give the two (2) scriptures given in the Course Notes which confirm the answer to the previous question. [53]

a.

b.

35. (3) Go below and fill in the blanks for the missing words exactly as given in the Course Notes in order to be counted correct. (The answers must be spelled correctly.) [55]

*Christ is ready to bestow all we lack: True \_\_\_\_\_\_, True \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and True \_\_\_\_\_\_. But, He will not force these on us if we do not want them!*

36. (11) For your memory work the following verses will be included as part of the course exam. The verses will be given with certain words left out. The students will be required to fill in the blanks to complete the verses. The text will be given in the four versions of KJV, NKJV, NASB and ESV. The student will simply fill in the blanks on the version they use for their study. (The answer must be spelled correctly.)

* Revelation 1:4-7
* Revelation 3:3
* Revelation 3:15-17
* Revelation 3:19-21