**ESTHER**

**- 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. (5) Arrange the Five Scrolls with the correct annual holidays they are read by Jews. [47]

a. *Song of Songs – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.*

b. *Ruth – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.*

c. *Ecclesiastes – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.*

d. *Lamentations – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.*

e. *Esther – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.*

2. (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 answer must be spelled correctly.) [48]

The events of Esther take place totally in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

3. (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.) [49]

Esther gives the historical background for \_\_\_\_\_.

4. (1) True or False - The major purpose of the book of Esther is to show the providence of God in action. [49]

5. (1) Select the correct definition for providence as given in the Course Notes. [50]

a.

6. (2) Select the two outstanding Bible examples of providence as given in the Course Notes. [50]

a.

b.

7. (4) Select the four (4) New Testament scripture citations given in the Course Notes which clearly state the doctrine of providence. [50]

a.

b.

c.

d.

8. (1) Select the correct number of provinces in Persia as given in the Course Notes. [52]

a.

9. (1) Select the other name for Susa. [52]

a.

10. (1) True or False - According to Persian law drinking at these feasts was to be done in excess and at the bidding of the host. [53]

11. (1) True or False - Two possible meanings given in the Course Notes for the phrase "to see her beauty" (Esther 1:11) could either be fully dressed but without her veil (a great insult to her) or nude except for the crown. [53]

12. (1) True or False - Vashti's rebellion could spread as an example if the wives of the princes were at the Queen's banquet when she re­fused. [53]

13. (1) What was the family relationship between Esther and Mordecai? [54]

a.

14. (1) Who discovered a plot to kill the king? [55]

a.

15. (1) True or False - The hate Haman had for Mordecai shows that when you hate someone they own you, your thoughts, your sleep, your actions and ultimately with the same results as if they owned your soul. [58]

16. (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 answer must be spelled correctly.) [55]

Mordecai could not show \_\_\_\_\_ to Haman which was due to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ only.

17. (1) True or False - Haman projected Mordecai's acts to the whole Jewish race because he knew Mordecai was the king of the Jews. [56]

18. (1) True or False - The king told Haman to keep the spoils from the slain Jews because he would not have anyone say he had approved of this for his own personal gain. [56]

19. (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 answer must be spelled correctly.) [57]

Esther will do her duty and approach the king even if it \_\_\_\_\_ her, her \_\_\_\_.

20. (2) Select the two (2) comments about fasting found in the Course Notes. [57]

a.

b.

21. (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 answer must be spelled correctly.) [60]

Haman was executed according to his own \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_.

22. (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.) [60]

When one is evil it is very easy to suspect the \_\_\_\_\_ of them.

23. (1) How many of the Jew’s enemies were killed in the provinces according to Esther 9:16? [61]

a.

24. (1) True or False - According to Esther 9:16 after the Jews slew their enemies they took booty (spoils of war). [61]

25. (8) Arrange the outline for Esther with the correct scripture citations. [51]

*I. Ch 1 The Feast of Ahasuerus*

*II. Ch 2 Esther Becomes Queen*

*III. Ch 3 Haman's Plot*

*IV. Ch 4 Mordecai Persuades Esther to Intervene*

*V. Ch 5‑7 Esther's Success*

*VI. Ch 8:1 ‑ Ch 9:16 The Downfall of Haman*

*VII. Ch 9:17 ‑ 32 The Feast of Purim*

VIII. Ch 10 The Prominence of Mordecai

26. (1) Yes or No - Did you read the book of Esther twice?

a.

27. (2) 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.)

* Esther 4:14
* Esther 7:10