**COLOSSIANS EXAM**

**- 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) List the two (2) comments we find concerning Paul's apostleship in Colossians 1:1. [1:1]

a.

b.

2. (3) List the three (3) descriptions found in the Course Notes concerning Timothy from Acts 16:1-2. [8]

a.

b.

c.

3. (1) What does it mean to be a saint? [9]

a.

4. (1) True or False - If we are truly thankful for the faithfulness of others we will be evangelistic and have concern for our brethren who have fallen away. [9-10]

5. (1) True or False - The Bible teaches our prayers should be addressed to the Father and through Mary or a Christian saint. [10]

6. (4) List the four (4) phrases used by Paul to describe Epaphras. [11-12]

a.

b.

c.

d.

7. (1) True or False - The words: knowledge, wisdom and understanding are used interchangeably in the Bible. [13]

8. (6) List the six (6) characteristics of the Christian's walk given in the Course Notes. [13-14]

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

f.

9. (5) List the five (5) benefits of the knowledge of God's word given in the Course Notes. [14]

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

10. (2) List the correct response for each difficult situation. [15]

When confronted by certain circumstances we need - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

When confronted by certain people we need - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

11. (1) True or False - A Christian's joy comes by chance and is dependent on one's condition or circumstance (happenstance). [15]

12. (1) True or False - God’s word teaches we are saved by faith only. [16]

13. (1) True or False - God’s word teaches we are saved by works only. [16]

14. (1) True or False - God’s word teaches we are saved when faith and works combine. [16]

15. (3) Provide the three (3) significant points concerning redemption listed in the Course Notes. [17]

a.

b.

c.

16. (2) List the two (2) answers which explain the sense in which Jesus is the "firstborn over all creation" found in Colossians 1:15. [17-18]

a.

b.

17. (1) True or False - The "body" of Christ is another way of saying the "church" of Christ. [18]

18. (1) True or False - Christ is the one head of the one body (church). [18]

19. (1) List the correct explanation for the "mystery" mentioned by Paul in both Colossians 1:26 and Ephesians 3:3-6. [21]

a.

20. (1) True or False - The preaching of Christ involves both warning and teaching. [21]

21. (1) True or False - The Godhead means three distinct Persons (Father, Son and Holy Spirit) in one distinct God. [27]

22. (1) True or False - Jesus shares fully in the divine nature. [27]

23. (1) True or False - The "circumcision made without hands" in Colossians 2:11 is a physical operation. [27]

24. (1) True or False - Baptism is a necessary part of God's plan for our salvation. [28]

25. (1) True or False - The phrase "handwriting of requirements" in Colossians 2:14 refers to the old law. [29]

26. (1) True or False - The Sabbath is not a part of Christ's covenant (New Testament). It has nothing to do with following the law of Christ today. [30]

27. (1) True or False - The worship of angels is strictly forbidden in the scriptures. [31]

28. (5) List the five (5) things the Colossians were told to put to death in Colossians 3:5. [34-35]

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

29. (1) List the one thing named in Colossians 3:14 which is to be "put on" above all the things. [39]

a.

30. (1) True or False - The Greek word PSALLŌ which is translated as "psalms" in Colossians 3:16 is defined as "to twitch or twang, that is, to play on a stringed instrument." [40]

31. (1) List the instrument the Bible clearly designates for us to use when we sing praises to God (Ephesians 5:19). [40]

a.

32. (1) True or False - If PSALLŌ includes the use of mechanical instruments of music, then all members of the congregation would be required to play. [42]

33. (1) True or False - We must abandon all man-made traditions, creeds, doctrines and practices not found in the New Testament to be guided completely by the authority of the New Testament. [43]

34. (1) Paul asks the Colossians to pray that "that God would open to us a door" (Colossians 4:3). What does the word "door" represent? [48]

a.

35. (2) Go below and fill in the blank for the missing words. [49]

Salt has the power to both \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

36. (1) Which of the following phrases was NOT used to describe Tychicus? [50]

a. a beloved brother

b. faithful minister

c. fellow servant

d. cousin of Barnabas

37. (1) Select the correct description of Onesimus. [49-50]

a. a slave of Philemon

b. a native of Corinth

c. converted by Luke

d. from the region of Pamphylia

38. (1) Paul described this individual as being useful (profitable) to him for ministry in 2 Timothy 4:11. [50]

a.

39. (1) This individual was a citizen of Colossae, and one of their faithful ministers. He is described as a "fellow servant" and "faithful minister of Christ" in Colossians 1:7. [50]

a.

40. (1) This individual is described as "the beloved physician" in Colossians 4:14. [51]

a.

41. (1) This individual was a companion of Paul during the Apostle's first imprisonment in Rome. Later we find him mentioned as having forsaken Paul, "having loved this present world" in 2 Timothy 4:10. [51]

a.

42. (4) Arrange the outline for Colossians with the correct scripture citations. [6]

Chapter 1:1-2 Paul's Greeting

Chapter 1:3-2:7 The Preeminence of Christ

Chapter 2:9-2:23 The Preeminence of Christ Under Attack

Chapter 3:1-4:6 The Preeminence of Christ Experienced

Chapter 4:7-4:18 Final Salutations

43. (10) 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.)

* Colossians 1:18
* Colossians 1:23
* Colossians 2:9
* Colossians 2:12
* Colossians 2:14
* Colossians 2:16
* Colossians 3:2
* Colossians 3:16
* Colossians 3:17
* Colossians 4:5