

THE BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM

WEEK 10 – Exodus 5 - 10 & Matthew 19-20

WEEK 10 – ANSWERS

1. **Sunday** – Worship/Time With Family/Review Answers With Others

2. **Monday** –

1) Exodus 5 – Read & Answer Below

- a) What was Pharaoh’s response when Moses and Aaron told him to let the people go? (Pharaoh said, “Who is the Lord, that I should obey His voice to let Israel go? I know not the Lord, neither will I let Israel go,” vs. 2)
- b) Pharaoh said that Moses and Aaron were making the people to “rest from their _____.” (burdens, vs. 5)
- c) He also said that the people should “go and gather _____ for themselves” in the making of bricks. (straw, vs. 7)
- d) According to Exodus 5:9, Pharaoh said, “let there _____ work be laid upon the men.” (more)
- e) Since the Israelites had to gather straw in addition to their usual workload, were they given more time to perform this extra burden? (No, vs. 8, 13, 19)
- f) What group of Israelites, were beaten? (The officers of the children of Israel, vs. 14)
- g) Did the officers of the children of Israel “thank Moses” or “blame Moses” for coming to bring them out of bondage? (The certainly did not thank him. Due to their harsh treatment from the Egyptians they confronted Moses with their frustrations, vs. 20-21)

2) Matthew 19 – Read Only

3. **Tuesday** –

1) Exodus 6 – Read & Answer Below

- a) What does God remind Moses of per Exodus 6:2? (That He (God) is in charge and that He is the Lord)
- b) What name of God is revealed in Exodus 6:3? (Jehovah)
- c) Regarding the 3 promises originally given to Abraham in Genesis 12 (i.e., Land, Nation and Seed promises), which one is referenced in Exodus 6:4? (The land promise)
- d) God says in Exodus 6:5, “I have _____ my _____.” (remembered; covenant)
- e) Would the Israelites listen to Moses? (No, vs. 9)
- f) How old did Levi live to be? (137 years old, vs. 16)
- g) What was the name of the father and mother of Moses and Aaron? (Amram was their father and Jochebed was their mother, vs. 20)
- h) What was the name of Aaron’s wife? His four sons? (His wife’s name was Elisheba and his four sons were: Nadab, Abihu, Eleazar and Ithamar, vs. 23)

2) Matthew 19 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Were the Pharisees that came to Jesus honest with their inquiries? (No, they were trying to tempt Jesus, vs. 3)
- b) What was the question the Pharisees asked Jesus in Matthew 19:3? (They asked, “Is it lawful for a man to put away his wife for every cause?”)
- c) Regarding marriage and divorce, Jesus said in Matthew 19:8, “Moses because of the _____ of your hearts suffered you to put away you wives: but from the _____ it was _____ so.” (hardness; beginning; not)
- d) Does Jesus give an exception in the area of MDR (marriage, divorce and remarriage) so as to allow one to divorce and remarry? If so, what is that exception? (Yes, Jesus said that the innocent party could put away the guilty fornicator and that the innocent party would not be in adultery if he or she married another eligible party, vs. 9)
- e) If one divorces and remarries wherein the exception is NOT involved, what sin is that person (as well as the one whom they marry) said to be guilty of? (The sin of adultery, vs. 9)
- f) Does Matthew 19:10-12 demonstrate that the disciples understood the difficult nature of Jesus’ teaching? Also, did Jesus clearly say that some would have to make “themselves” eunuchs for the kingdom of heaven’s sake? (Yes—on both accounts!)
- g) What verse teachings that little children are innocent? (Verse 14)
- h) Why did the young man that Jesus talked with, go “away sorrowful?” (Because Jesus told him to sell what he had and he had great possessions and obviously loved them more than he loved the Lord, vs. 20-22)
- i) According to Jesus, who will be first and who will be last? (Jesus said that the “first shall be last; and the last shall be first, vs. 30)

4. Wednesday –

- 1) Exodus 7 – Read & Answer Below
 - a) In Exodus 7:2, God tells Moses to “speak _____ that I command thee.” (All)
 - b) Exodus 7:5 says, “And the Egyptians shall _____ that I am the Lord, when I stretch forth mine hand upon _____, and bring out the children of _____ from among them.” (know; Egypt; Israel)
 - c) Did Moses and Aaron do what the Lord commanded them to do? (Yes, vs. 6)
 - d) How old was Moses and Aaron when they spoke to Pharaoh? (Moses was 80 and Aaron was 83, vs. 7)
 - e) What happened to the “serpents” or rods of the false sorcerers of Egypt? (They were eaten by the serpent or rod of Aaron, vs. 11-12)
 - f) The text says that God hardened Pharaoh’s heart (vs. 3, 13), but it also says, of Pharaoh, in Exodus 7:14, that “_____ refuseth to let the people go.” (he)
 - g) Also, Exodus 7:22 says, “...and Pharaoh’s _____ was hardened, neither did he _____ unto them; as the Lord had said.” (heart; hearken)
 - h) Also, speaking of Pharaoh, Exodus 7:23 says, “... neither did _____ _____ heart to this also.” (he; set; his)
 - i) What was the first plague upon Egypt? (Turning water into blood, vs. 17, 20)
 - j) What was the purpose of the miracle/plague according to Exodus 7:17? (So that everyone would KNOW that He (God) was the Lord. Obviously, it was to the extent that Pharaoh would let the Israelites go)
 - k) Was the water turned to blood “secretly at night” or “in the sight of Pharaoh?” (It was “in the sight of Pharaoh, vs. 20)

- 1) Regarding the sorcerers or magicians of Pharaoh being able to perform some “seemingly similar” acts in relation to the true miracles of Moses and Aaron, what “key word” does Exodus 7:11 and Exodus 7:22 contain that helps explain this situation? (The word, “enchantments.” It is obvious from the context that whatever “enchantments” or tricks these false prophets used, they could not be compared with the power of God’s TRUE miracles worked through Moses and Aaron)
- 2) Matthew 19 – Read & Word Study/Research
 - a) What Old Testament passage did Jesus quote from in Matthew 19:4? (Genesis 1:27; Cf., Genesis 5:2)
 - b) What Old Testament passage did Jesus quote from in Matthew 19:5? (Genesis 2:24)
 - c) What Old Testament passage is under consideration in Matthew 19:7-8? (Deuteronomy 24:1)
 - d) In light of Matthew 19:9, will Jesus simply “overlook” adultery? (No)
 - e) What “word” in Matthew 19:9 lets us know that “every person” is amenable to the teaching of Christ? (The term “whosoever.” Also, compare the fact that Jesus said in the verse before, “...from the beginning it was not so,” and compare this with, “And I say unto you...”)
 - f) Jesus quotes a number of the “ten commandments” from the Law of Moses in Matthew 19:18ff. What two chapters in the Old Testament will you find the “ten commandments” listed in? (Exodus 20 and Deuteronomy 5)
 - g) Did Jesus say it was “impossible” or “difficult” (i.e., hard) for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God? (Jesus did not say that it was impossible, but rather difficult. Remember, “with God all things are possible,” vs. 22-26. Riches seem to cause problems for most. Compare, 1 Timothy 6:6-19)

5. Thursday –

- 1) Exodus 8 – Read & Answer Below
 - a) What would the second plague consist of? (A plague of frogs, vs. 2)
 - b) Regarding the Egyptian magicians bringing forth frogs, what is the “key word” used again in describing their unauthentic miracles? (It refers to their “enchantments,” vs. 7)
 - c) What did Pharaoh do when faced with the severity of the plague of frogs? (He entreated Moses and Aaron and asked them to ask God to take away the plague of frogs. He (Pharaoh) also promised to let the children of Israel go sacrifice, vs. 8)
 - d) What happened in the land due to the heaps of dead frogs when God removed the plague? (The land stank, vs. 14)
 - e) Who hardened “his heart” per Exodus 8:15? (Pharaoh!! The text says, regarding Pharaoh, “he hardened his heart, and hearkened not unto them.” Thus, it is said that “God hardened his heart” and it is also said that “he (i.e., Pharaoh) hardened his [own] heart.” In other words, God hardened Pharaoh’s heart when He gave Pharaoh a message that Pharaoh did not want to adhere to. Likewise, Pharaoh hardened his own heart when he chose to reject the message of God. To put it simply, God did NOT violate Pharaoh’s free-will, but instead God gave Pharaoh a choice to adhere to His command or reject it. Sadly, Pharaoh chose to reject it.)

- f) What was the third plague? (The plague of lice, vs. 16-17)
- g) Did the enchantments of the magicians of Egypt work with the third plague? (No, vs. 18)
- h) What did these magicians tell Pharaoh when their enchantments did not work? (They said, “This is the finger of God.” Yet even then, “Pharaoh’s heart was hardened, and he hearkened not unto them,” vs. 19)
- i) What was the fourth plague? (The plague of flies, vs. 21, 24)
- j) Did the “swarm of flies” come upon the land of Goshen and the Israelites? (No, vs. 22-23)
- k) Exodus 8:32 says, “And Pharaoh _____ his _____ at this time also, neither would ____ let the people go.” (hardened; heart; he)

2) Matthew 20 – Read Only

6. **Friday** –

1) Exodus 9 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Exodus 9:1 refers to God as the “God of the _____.” (Hebrews)
- b) What was the fifth plague? (It was the disease of murrain upon the livestock, vs. 3)
- c) Would the children of Israel’s livestock die with this disease? (No, vs. 4)
- d) What is the sixth plague? (The plague of boils, vs. 9)
- e) Per Exodus 9:14, the purpose of the miracles, As God said, is so “that thou mayest _____ that there is none like me in all the earth.” (know)
- f) Speaking of Pharaoh, Exodus 9:17 says, “As yet _____ thou _____ against my people, that thou wilt not let them go?” (exaltest; thyself)
- g) What is the seventh plague? (Hail, vs. 18)
- h) What was mingled with the hail that fell upon Egypt? (fire, vs. 23-24)
- i) What does Pharaoh confess in Exodus 9:27? (He confesses that he has sinned and that the Lord is righteous and that he and his people (i.e., the Egyptians) are wicked)
- j) Per Exodus 9:23, 28 and 33-34 what was also included with the hail and fire? (mighty thunderings and rain)

2) Matthew 20 – Read & Answer Below

- a) In Matthew 20:1, the kingdom of heaven is likened unto what? (a man that is an householder who hired laborers for his vineyard)
- b) How much money a day did the householder agree to pay the laborers? (A penny a day, vs. 2)
- c) During the eleventh hour when the householder went out to find more workers, what did he find some doing? (Standing idle, vs. 6)
- d) What did the laborers do against “the goodman of the house,” per Matthew 20:11? (They murmured against him)
- e) What is the second question that the householder asks the laborers in Matthew 20:15? (He asks, “Is thine eye evil, because I am good?”)
- f) How many are called? How many are chosen? (Jesus said, “...many are called, but few chosen,” vs. 16. In other words, many are called to obey God’s plan of salvation, but few actually obey it. Compare, Matthew 7:13-14, 21)
- g) Jesus said in Matthew 20:27, “And _____ will be chief among you, let him be your _____.” (whosoever; servant)

- h) Did Jesus have compassion on the two blind men or did he ignore them? (He had compassion on them and healed them, vs. 34)

7. **Saturday** –

1) Exodus 10 – Read & Answer Below

- a) What was Pharaoh’s real problem, according to Exodus 10:3? (He would not humble himself)
- b) What was the eighth plague? (The plague of locusts)
- c) Where any of the crops left after the hail? (Yes, some – vs. 12, 15; Compare, 9:32)
- d) What did God do with all the locusts when the plague of locusts was removed? (They were cast into the Red Sea, vs. 19)
- e) What was the ninth plague? (The plague of darkness, vs. 21)
- f) In the end of this chapter, what did Pharaoh say would happen to Moses if Moses came before him again? (He said Moses would die, vs. 28-29)

2) Matthew 20 – Read & Word Study/Research

- a) What time was the “third hour?” (9 am)
- b) What about the “sixth hour?” (12 pm)
- c) What about the “ninth hour?” (3 pm)
- d) What about the “eleventh hour?” (5 pm)
- e) What did the householder say he would pay the workers that he hired in the eleventh hour? (He said, “...and whatsoever is right, that shall ye receive, vs. 7)
- f) Who did Jesus take “apart” and talk with per Matthew 20:17? (The twelve disciples)
- g) What are the names of the two brothers (i.e., the sons of Zebedee) that are under consideration in Matthew 20:20-24? (James and John. Compare, Mark 10:35)
- h) Is Christianity about “prestige” and “promotion” or is it about serving others? (It is about service, vs. 25-28)