

## Life of Christ – Introduction

- 1.) What gospel was written to the Romans?
- 2.) What did Matthew show Jesus as?
- 3.) Who was the gospel of Luke written to?
- 4.) What sacrifice was required in Luke?
- 5.) Who was the gospel of Matthew written to?
- 6.) Which gospel was written to the world in general?
- 7.) What did John show Jesus as?
- 8.) What gospel showed Jesus as a man of wisdom?
- 9.) What was the message of Mark?
- 10.) What was the key word in the book of Matthew?
- 11.) What gospel's message proclaimed Jesus as the Son of God?
- 12.) What was the message of Luke?
- 13.) What gospel's key word was "son of man?"
- 14.) What gospel's message proclaimed the Jesus was the Messiah-King?
- 15.) What gospel's key word was "straightway?"
- 16.) What was the key word in the book of John?
- 17.) What sacrifice was required in Matthew?
- 18.) What gospel required the sacrifice of a lamb?
- 19.) What gospel showed Jesus as a man of action?
- 20.) What gospel required the sacrifice of a bullock or ox?
- 21.) Give the Scripture reference for the verse promising that Eve's seed would bruise the serpents head.
- 22.) What tribe was the Messiah foretold to be from?
- 23.) What does Isaiah chapters 40-46 describe Jesus as?
- 24.) What did Israel mistakenly hope for?
- 25.) What four titles do the gospels give Jesus?
- 26.) What does Jesus have as Son of David?
- 27.) What does Jesus have as Son of Abraham?
- 28.) What does Jesus have as Son of Man?
- 29.) What does Jesus have as Son of God?
- 30.) What are the first three gospels called?
- 31.) Which gospel was written first and serves chronological framework for the other two?
- 32.) How much of the book of Mark is also found in Luke?
- 33.) What is the purpose of the gospels?
- 34.) What nine events does this revelation include?
- 35.) Why do we find no churches being established in the gospels?
- 36.) What is the key to the complete construction of the Bible?
- 37.) What does any attempt to study the Bible without respect to Jesus result in?
- 38.) What is the oldest of the four Gospels?
- 39.) When was the gospel of Mark written?

- 40.) What five points show Peter's influence on the gospel of Mark?
- 41.) What did Mark emphasize rather than the words of the Lord?
- 42.) How many miracles of Jesus were cited in the book of Mark?
- 43.) How many parables were cited in the book of Mark?
- 44.) What is the key verse of Mark?
- 45.) What are the five divisions in the book of Mark?
- 46.) What does the book of Matthew link the New Testament with?
- 47.) What has the book of Matthew often been called?
- 48.) How many of the Old Testament writings are fulfilled in Christ?
- 49.) What are the key verses in the book of Matthew?
- 50.) What did Matthew emphasize about Jesus?
- 51.) What was the immediate purpose of the gospel of Matthew?
- 52.) Name the nine basic sections in the book of Matthew.
- 53.) What has the gospel of Luke been called?
- 54.) Luke contains more references to what than any other book?
- 55.) Luke is a gospel preeminently directed toward what age group?
- 56.) What are the three parables of restoration?
- 57.) What is the difference between how the Romans and the Greeks felt about man?
- 58.) What is the key verse of Luke?
- 59.) What are the five parts of the book of Luke?
- 60.) What does the gospel of Luke begin and end with?
- 61.) Where was the gospel of John written and published?
- 62.) What is the key verse in John?
- 63.) What word, appearing only a few times in the other gospels, is used over sixty times in John?  
What are the five sections John can be divided into?
- 64.) How did Christ refer to God over 100 times in the book of John?

### **Life of Christ – Chapter 1 – The Birth and Childhood of Jesus Christ**

- 1.) In the Bible, what is a "mystery" defined as?
- 2.) What does a "mystery" signify in the New Testament particularly?
- 3.) What is the great mystery revealed through Christ?
- 4.) What does the term "logos" mean in the book of John?
- 5.) The Jews agreed with the Greeks in their interpretation of "logos" but they also went a step further saying what?
- 6.) What word could we substitute for "word", "logos", or "thought"?
- 7.) What are the three reasons the genealogies are introduced in the gospel narratives?
- 8.) What did Matthew validate at the beginning of his gospel before establishing any other facts about Jesus' life?
- 9.) Who are the four women named in the genealogy of Jesus Christ?
- 10.) What do the names of these women identify Christ with?
- 11.) What is the heredity of Jesus?
- 12.) What gospel did not post a genealogy of Christ because the author was more concerned with the Romans?
- 13.) What was considered the highest duty of a priest and could only happen once in a lifetime?

- 14.) What does the name “John” mean?
- 15.) What was the sign of confirmation given to Zacharias because he doubted the angels words?
- 16.) What did the angel relate to Mary as a sign that she could believe him?
- 17.) How long did Mary stay with Elisabeth?
- 18.) How was God “with us?”
- 19.) What did Matthew interpret Jesus’ birth and name as a fulfillment of?
- 20.) What were the three annunciations that heralded the Messiah’s coming?
- 21.) Where is the annunciation to Zacharias found in Scripture?
- 22.) Where is the annunciation to Mary found in Scripture?
- 23.) Where is the annunciation to Joseph found in Scripture?
- 24.) Why do the gospels omit many biographical facts about Jesus Christ?
- 25.) What is the most important fact concerning the birth of Jesus?
- 26.) List the four reasons to believe that Jesus was born in 5 BC.
- 27.) What was the first divine message to Israel in over 400 years?
- 28.) Why were shepherds despised by their fellow Jews?
- 29.) When did Jesus’ parents bring him to the temple?
- 30.) What two aged people prophesied over Jesus at the temple?
- 31.) While others saw Jesus as a temporal Messiah King, what did Simeon see Him as?
- 32.) Instead of kings, what were the wise men in all likelihood?
- 33.) What was the first gift the wise men gave?
- 34.) Where did Mary and Joseph flee when Joseph was warned in a dream?
- 35.) What does Luke 2:40 say?
- 36.) What was basic to every Jewish child?
- 37.) When did Jewish children begin formal education?
- 38.) How many children did Mary and Joseph have?
- 39.) Which of Jesus’ brothers became His followers and later penned some General Epistles?
- 40.) How old was Jesus when He was found conversing with the elders in the temple?
- 41.) What commentary concerning Jesus childhood is found in Luke 2:52?

### **Life of Christ – Chapter 2 – The Ministry of John the Baptist**

- 1.) When did John the Baptist appear on the scene?
- 2.) What were the 8 signs that the time was right for John’s appearance?
- 3.) Which group of religious leaders did not believe in life after death?
- 4.) At what age did John probably begin his ministry?
- 5.) What was John’s mission?
- 6.) John was a voice crying out in the wilderness. What was the voice saying?
- 7.) What did John the Baptist preach?
- 8.) What did he reply to those who asked “what shall we do?”

### **Life of Christ – Chapter 3 – The Beginning of the Ministry of Jesus**

- 1.) Where do we find that Jesus was about thirty years of age when He began His ministry?
- 2.) What are the four reasons Jesus was baptized?
- 3.) What are the three common misconceptions regarding Jesus’ baptism?
- 4.) What does the word “tempt” mean?
- 5.) What was the first temptation?

- 6.) How did Jesus answer it?
- 7.) What was the second temptation?
- 8.) How did Jesus answer it?
- 9.) What was the third temptation?
- 10.) How did Jesus answer it?
- 11.) Could the man Jesus Christ have yielded to the temptations in the wilderness the same as any other mortal?
- 12.) In what passage of Scripture does John identify the root of all temptation?
- 13.) Is temptation ever a sin?
- 14.) The manifestation of the Messiah to Israel came through what four things?
- 15.) Who did the Pharisees think John the Baptist was since he wasn't the Christ?
- 16.) How did John answer the Pharisees question about baptism?
- 17.) Who prophesied about the sinless lamb of God who would take away the sins of the world?
- 18.) What was the title of highest respect given to Jews who interpret the law?
- 19.) What verse brings us to the conclusion that the Messiah would be able to interpret the law to the nations?
- 20.) What did Jesus change Simon's name to?
- 21.) What does the name "Peter" mean?
- 22.) What was Nathanael's response to Philip's enthusiasm about Jesus?
- 23.) Where did Jesus say that he saw Nathanael before Philip called him?
- 24.) Where was Cana located?
- 25.) Were the disciples present with Jesus at the wedding in Cana?
- 26.) What was the first miracle Jesus performed?
- 27.) Wine in Jesus' time was one part wine and two parts what other liquid?
- 28.) What are the five lessons that Jesus' first miracle teaches?
- 29.) Who went with Jesus' to Capernaum?
- 30.) What place became Jesus' headquarters in Galilee?
- 31.) At what age did Jesus start attending Passover celebrations in Jerusalem?
- 32.) What was the yearly temple tax each Jew and proselyte was required to pay to the temple?
- 33.) What was any foreign money referred to as?
- 34.) What did Jesus use to "cleanse" the temple?
- 35.) If the Jews did not question the action of cleansing the temple or the fact that it should have been taken care of – what did they question?
- 36.) What does John 2:19 say?
- 37.) What did Jesus use the cleansing of the temple to do?
- 38.) What are the two reasons Nicodemus might have come to Jesus tonight?
- 39.) How did Jesus sidestep the question of when the kingdom of God would be established when Nicodemus came to Him to ask Him?
- 40.) What are four preconceived ideas that Nicodemus may have had about the kingdom?
- 41.) As far as the Pharisees went, there was no connection made between the rigorous outward observances of the law and what?
- 42.) The "believing" in John 3:16 is the counterpart to "looking" in what verse?
- 43.) What are the four important facts that Christ presented when He called attention to Himself?
- 44.) What do those who build their entire salvation doctrine around John 3:15-18 interpret "believe" as?

- 45.) Where was John the Baptist as Jesus was preaching and teaching in the Judean countryside?
- 46.) Why Aenon?
- 47.) Why did the Jews seek to drive a wedge between Jesus and John?
- 48.) What were the three doctrines Jesus and John were teaching that were the same?
- 49.) What was the controversy that arose between the disciples of Jesus and John?
- 50.) What were the five truths that John imparted about Jesus?
- 51.) About how many months did Jesus minister in Judea?
- 52.) **How did Jesus prevent the division between Himself and the disciples of John the Baptist?**
- 53.) **Whose marriage did John publically denounce?**
- 54.) **What people intermarried with the Israelites to form the Samaritans?**
- 55.) **Out of all of their differences, what did Nicodemus and the woman at the well have in common?**
- 56.) **What did Jesus do by asking for a drink of water?**
- 57.) **How did Jesus awaken her consciousness?**
- 58.) **What did the woman's testimony lead to?**

#### **Life of Christ – Chapter Four – The Galilean Ministry**

- 1.) How long did Jesus spend in Samaria?
- 2.) What word was the central point of the ministry of John the Baptist?
- 3.) What words keynoted the ministry of Jesus?
- 4.) Where did Jesus initiate His work of healing?
- 5.) Why was Jesus reluctant at first, to heal the nobleman's son?
- 6.) What was Jesus' rebuke to the nobleman?
- 7.) After Galilee, where did Jesus return to?
- 8.) What passage did He read in the synagogue?
- 9.) How did the people wish for Jesus to prove that He was the son of God?
- 10.) Why did they choose the method of pushing Jesus off a cliff to kill Him?
- 11.) Where did Jesus relocate His headquarters to after this incident?
- 12.) Were the disciples with Jesus during His time in Nazareth?
- 13.) What were James and John doing when Jesus called them?
- 14.) How would a normal Rabbi have explained Scriptures?
- 15.) How did Jesus teach?
- 16.) How many preaching tours did Jesus have in Galilee?
- 17.) What was the only recorded miracle Jesus performed during the second preaching tour?
- 18.) Why is it so significant that Jesus reached out and touched the leper?
- 19.) What were people with leprosy required to shout if they were going to be anywhere near others?
- 20.) In keeping with Mosaic law, what did Jesus command the leper to do after He healed him?
- 21.) Why (besides the fact that it was the law) did Jesus tell him to do this?
- 22.) How did the paralytic's friends finally get him in to see Jesus?
- 23.) What did Jesus say in response to this great act of faith?

- 24.) What did rabbinical theology teach about physical infirmity?
- 25.) What was the punishment for blasphemy?
- 26.) What did Jesus demonstrate when He healed the man whose friends had lowered him through the roof?
- 27.) What profession (included in the same class as harlots, gamblers, and thieves) excluded those who worked in that field from religious fellowship?
- 28.) What was the tax collector Matthews' other name?
- 29.) What did Jesus say in response to the query: "Why does He eat with sinners?"  
(List reference)
- 30.) Who did Jesus teach that the door of new life was open to?
- 31.) What question was asked in Matthew 9:14?

### Life of Christ – Chapter Five – The Sabbath Controversy

- 1.) What was the unnamed feast that marked the beginning of Jesus' second year of ministry most likely?
- 2.) Why was the antagonism of the Pharisees contained mostly in Galilee?
- 3.) What did the conflict of Christ and the Pharisees center on?
- 4.) How many works, if done on the Sabbath, could result in death by stoning?
- 5.) Where was the paralytic lying?
- 6.) What question did Jesus ask the paralytic in John 5:6?
- 7.) What was the command of Jesus to the paralytic?
- 8.) Instead of rejoicing in his healing, what was the reaction of those who witnessed it?
- 9.) What was the paralytic doing when Jesus found him in the temple?
- 10.) What could have been the sin to which Jesus was referring when He rebuked Him?
- 11.) What did the identification of Jesus as a miracle worker lead to?
- 12.) What was Jesus' reply to their questions?
- 13.) It was bad enough that Jesus disregarded the Sabbath, but what was far worse in the Pharisees opinion?
- 14.) What two things did Jesus use this opportunity to do?
- 15.) What three prerogatives that God has did Jesus also claim?
- 16.) Jesus' claim to deity so enraged the Pharisees that they began to plot to do what?
- 17.) Name the five witnesses Jesus gave to substantiate His claim.
- 18.) What blinded the eyes of Jesus' enemies?
- 19.) What was the real reason for their rejection?
- 20.) What five points did Jesus defend the disciples with when they picked corn on the Sabbath?
- 21.) How did Jesus trap the Pharisees in their own laws in the case of the withered hand?
- 22.) What two people groups did Christ's acts in Jerusalem enrage?
- 23.) Where did Jesus go after Jerusalem?
- 24.) What Scripture does Matthew say that Christ's ministry to the gentiles fulfills?
- 25.) What three things did the Jews expect the Messiah to do?
- 26.) When He did appear, what did He proclaim about His kingdom?

- 27.) In order for Jesus' kingdom to continue – what would have to happen?
- 28.) What four chapters of Scripture list the twelve apostles?
- 29.) List the twelve apostles.
- 30.) How many of the twelve apostles were most likely cousins of Jesus?
- 31.) What was the greatest of all sermons ever recorded in History?
- 32.) Where was The Sermon on the Mount located in Scripture?
- 33.) What did Christ do in the Sermon on the Mount?
- 34.) How many sections can the Sermon on the Mount be divided into?

List each section of the outline, along with the sub point for each section. (35-42)

- 43. Where did Jesus go after completing the Sermon on the Mount?
- 44. Who met Him there?
- 45. What did the centurion show by sending the leaders to Jesus instead of himself?
- 46. What was the Gentiles request?
- 47. The centurion had great faith in Jesus and also understood what?
- 48. What was Jesus' reply to the centurion? (List reference)
- 49. What village, located 25 miles from Capernaum, did Jesus visit next?
- 50. What were Jesus and those with Him met with at the town gate?
- 51. What did Jesus say to the mother of the deceased?
- 52. What was the fact that Jesus raised the young man from the dead evidence of?
- 53. Who had imprisoned John the Baptist?
- 54. Where had he imprisoned him?
- 55. What question did John send his disciples to ask Jesus?
- 56. Instead of being considered a loss of faith that Jesus was the Messiah – what should we view John's question to be?
- 57. What was Jesus' answer to John's disciples.
- 58. Near what sea did Jesus do most of His works?
- 59. What three cities did Jesus begin to upbraid because of their lack of repentance?
- 60. Why were the people in these cities subject to greater judgment than the Gentiles?
- 61. Why did the Jews reject Christ?
- 62. What did Jesus end His upbraiding of the cities with?
- 63. What was the name of the Pharisee that invited Jesus home for dinner?
- 64. What (supposedly) was Simon's motivation behind this invitation?
- 65. What did a woman's unbound hair testify to?
- 66. What illustration did Jesus use to speak to Simon's thoughts?
- 67. What was Jesus' tour of Galilee underwritten by?
- 68. What three women headed this "ladies auxiliary."
- 69. What slander were the people from Jerusalem spreading about Jesus?
- 70. What three afflictions was the man the Pharisees brought to Jesus facing?
- 71. What question did the miracle cause the people to ask?
- 72. What accusation did the Pharisees make to Jesus?
- 73. What three explanations did Jesus offer to prove this accusation false?
- 74. What was Jesus' word of caution to the Pharisees?
- 75. What did their attitude toward Him determine?
- 76. Who probably pushed the local Pharisees to ask Jesus to substantiate His claims with miracles?
- 77. What did Jesus give them instead of the miracle they had requested?
- 78. How did Jesus declare His future judgment on them?

79. What was the name Jesus' siblings called him in John 7:5?
80. What did Jesus indicate about human relationships?

### Life of Christ – Chapter 6 – The First Group of Parables

1. When did Jesus adapt His style of teaching and begin to use parables a lot more frequently?
2. What is the description of a parable?
3. Why did Jesus teach in parables?
4. What does it take to understand the truth brought out in parables?
5. What four things did Jesus accomplish by giving simple stories that were easily understood?
6. What are the two things one must be cautioned about regarding parables?
7. What five truths do the kingdom parables communicate?
8. What would perhaps be a better name for the Parable of the Sower?
9. What did Christ liken the soil to?
10. What did the seed represent?
11. What were the four types of soil mentioned?
  - Rocky
  - Shallow
  - Thorny
  - Good
12. What factor determines the harvest?
13. What parable does Mark record that is supplemental to the parable of the Sower?
14. What is the kingdom likened to in the Parable of the Tares?
15. The tares look just like wheat until what happens?
16. What did Jesus do with this parable that made it different from the rest?
17. What does the field represent?
18. What does the good seed represent?
19. What do the tares represent?
20. What is the harvest?
21. What do the reapers represent?
22. What does the parable of the mustard seed show?