

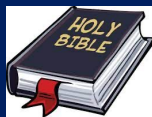


Big Bible Questions

Q16: What is sin?

Sin is rejecting or ignoring God in the world he created.

1 John 3:4

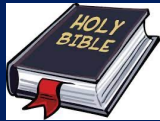


Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness.

Q20: Who is the Redeemer?

The only Redeemer is the Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Timothy 2:5



For there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus.

Q24: Why did Christ the Redeemer have to die?

Christ died willingly in our place to save us from sin and bring us back to God.



Colossians 1: 22

He has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him.

Q25: Does Christ's death mean all our sins can be forgiven?

Yes, because Christ's death fully paid the penalty for us, God will remember our sins no more.

2 Corinthians 5:21

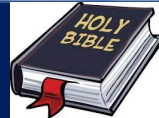


For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

Q29: How can we be saved?

Only by faith in Jesus Christ.

Ephesians 2 : 8-9

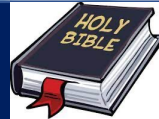


For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

Q30: What is faith in Jesus Christ?

Receiving and resting on him alone for salvation.

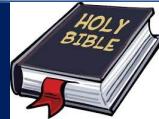
Galatians 2 : 20



I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

Q35: Where does faith come from?

From the Holy Spirit.



Titus 3: 5

He saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit

Q36: What do we believe about the Holy Spirit?

That he is God, coeternal with the Father and the Son.

John 14 : 16-17



And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you.

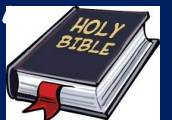
Q37: How does the Holy Spirit help us?

The Holy Spirit convicts us of our sin. He helps us pray and understand God's word.

Ephesians 6 : 17-18

Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit which is the word of God.

And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests.



Q38: What is prayer?

Prayer is pouring our hearts out to God.

Psalm 62:8



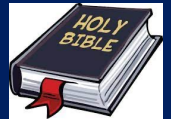
Trust in him at all times, O people; pour out your heart before him; God is a refuge for us.

Q39: With what attitude should we pray?

With love, perseverance and gratefulness.

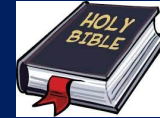
Philippians 4:6

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.



Q41: What is the Lord's prayer?

Matthew 6:9-13



Pray then like this:

"Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil."

Q44: What is baptism?

Baptism is the washing with water in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Matthew 28:19



Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit...

Q45: Is baptism with water the washing away of sin itself?

No, only the blood of Christ can cleanse us from sin.

Luke 3:16

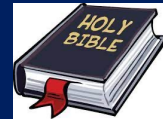


John answered them all saying, "I baptize you with water, but he who is mightier than I is coming, the strap of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire."

Q46: What is the Lord's Supper?

Christ commanded all Christians to eat bread and to drink from the cup in thankful remembrance of him.

1 Corinthians 11 : 23-26



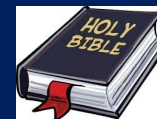
For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Q48: What is the church?

A community elected for eternal life and united by faith to worship God.

2 Thessalonians 2:13

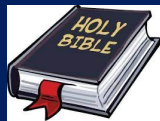
But we ought always to give thanks to God for you, brothers beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the firstfruits to be saved, through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth.



Q49: Where is Christ now?

Christ rose boldly from the grave and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

Ephesians 1: 20



He raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places.

Q50: What does Christ's resurrection mean for us?

Christ triumphed over sin and death so that all those who trust him will have everlasting life.

1 Thessalonians 4:14



For we believe that Jesus died and rose again, and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him.

Q51: Of what advantage to us is Christ's ascension?

Christ now advocates for us in the presence of his Father and sends us his Spirit.

Romans 8:34



Christ Jesus is the one who died - more than that, who was raised - who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.

Q52: What hope does everlasting life hold for us?

That we will live with and enjoy God forever in the new heaven and the new earth.

Revelation 21:4



He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away.