

Quiz # 5, New Testament Survey

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These are intended to be "short answer" (key phrases or one sentence) questions! Use a separate sheet of paper for your answers. The questions are generally in the same order as the material in your text book. *Note that question #1 counts 24% of this quiz grade.*

1. Have you read all of the required material in the textbook (pages 209 - 249)?
2. How does Acts 1:1 support the theory that Luke wrote the book of Acts? (hint: I'm looking for a little more than what the textbook explained for this verse)
3. What is the latest date that Acts was probably written?
4. What is the significance of the "we" sections of Acts (16:10-17, 20:5-21:28, 27:1-28:16)?
5. What genre of literature is Acts? Why does this mean we need to be cautious about interpreting Acts as *prescribing* how the church should operate today?
6. How long was it between Jesus' death and the celebration of Pentecost mentioned in Acts?
7. During his speech at Pentecost, what did Peter urge the crowds to do? How did they respond?
8. What are the 3 dominant themes in Acts 3:1 - 7:60?
9. Why is Philip significant in the book of Acts?
10. What was significant about Peter staying at the house of Simon the Tanner?
11. What did God reveal to Peter through Cornelius' conversion?
12. Why did the church in Jerusalem send Barnabas to Antioch?
13. The word "simony" means the buying or selling of a church office. What is the origin of that term?
14. What are the 4 "glimpses" of Saul found in Acts chapters 8 through 12?
15. What are the 2 reasons that Antioch was important to the spread of Christianity?
16. What was the dispute being argued at the Jerusalem Council (Acts 15:1-35)?
17. Why did Paul take Silas, not Barnabas, on his 2nd missionary journey? (hint: see Acts 15:36-41)
18. How long did Paul minister in Ephesus during his 3rd missionary journey?
19. Give 2 ways in which Paul's Roman citizenship affected his imprisonment, as described in Acts 21:15 - 26:32.
20. What privileges were granted to Paul while he awaited trial in Rome?