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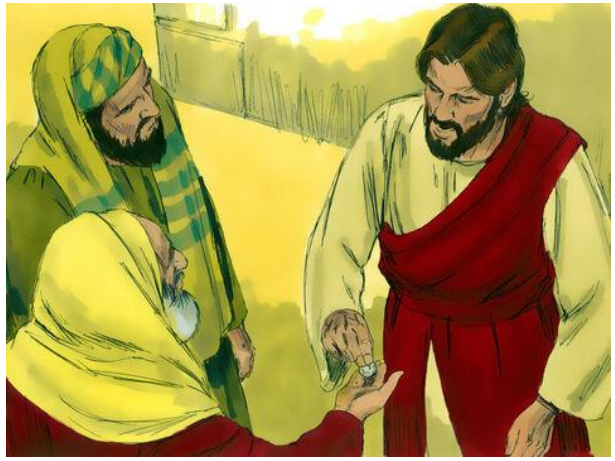
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Sunday

The Question about Tribute Money

Bible Reading: Matthew 22v15-22

(cp. Mark 12v13-17; Luke 20v19-26)

1. Who wanted to catch Jesus out? (v15)

They wanted to arrest Jesus. But they needed something to blame Him for.

2. Who did they send to Jesus? (v16)
3. What did they call Jesus? (v16)
4. What did they say Jesus taught? (v16)

They didn't really believe this. But they had a plan...Talk nice to Him and catch Him out.

Jesus cares for people to see them saved. But He will NOT say or do wrong to please people.

5. What did they want to know? (v17)

If Jesus said 'Yes' the Jews would be against Him. They didn't like paying tax to the Romans. If He said 'No' they could accuse him to the Roman governor.... for telling people not to pay tax.

6. What did Jesus see? (v18)
7. What did Jesus call them? (v18)

Jesus knew what they were up to. He knows everything. He knew they didn't believe He was teaching God's way. They only wanted to get something to blame him for.

8. Whose head was on the coin? (v20-21)
9. What did Jesus tell them to do? (v21)

MEANINGS:

Entangle = tangle, catch out;

Regardest = respects, cares about;

Tribute = tax;

Perceived = knew;

Tempt = test;

Hypocrite = person who pretends to be something he is not;

Render = pay



Did you know?

Herodians were followers of king Herod. They liked the Roman rules over Israel. Pharisees and Herodians didn't usually agree.



What are some things we can give to God?

a) Leftovers b) Offerings

c) Tithes d) Nothing

What are people to pay to the government?

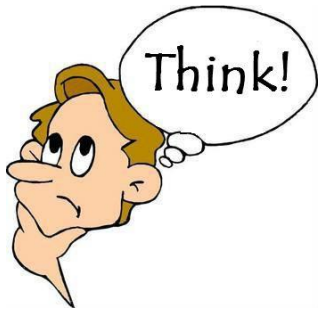
a) Taxes b) Gifts

Answers

1) The Pharisees; 2) Their disciples and Herodians; 3) Master; 4) The way of God in truth; 5) Is it lawful to give tribute to Caesar or not? 6) Their wickedness; 7) Hypocrites; 8) Caesar's; 9) Render unto Caesar that which is Caesar's and unto God that which is God's

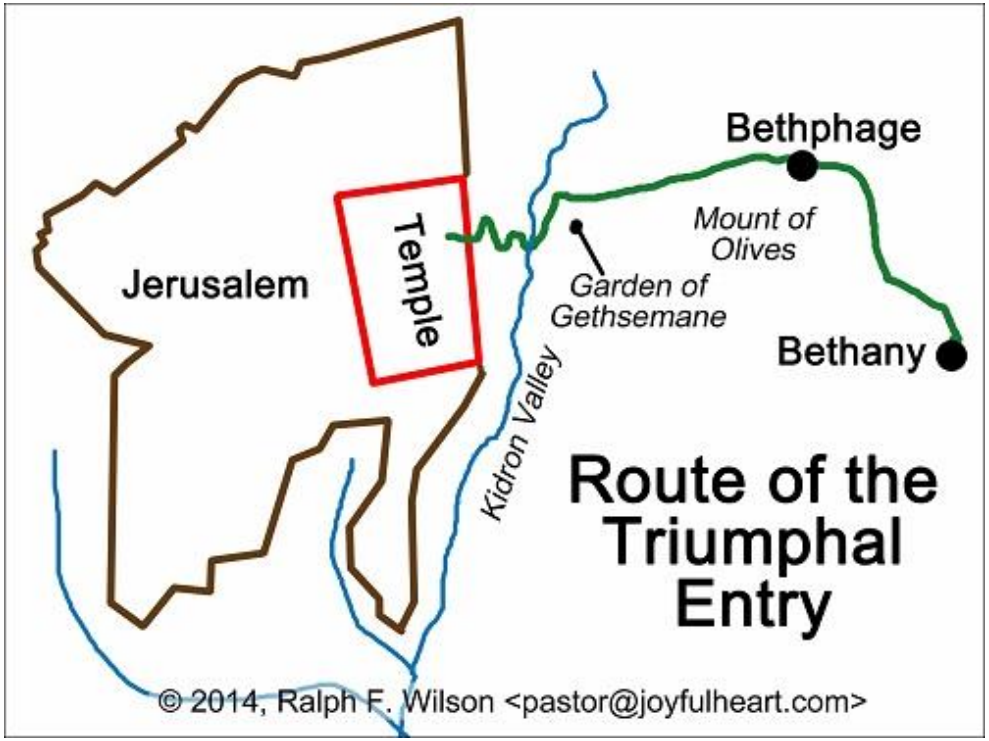
We are to give God tithes and offerings. People who work pay tax to the government.

"Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's." (Mark 12v17)



Do you ever try to trick people into doing wrong?

Remember God sees everything.



Monday

The Greatest Commandment

Bible Reading: Mark 12v28-37

(cp. Matthew 22v34-46; Luke 20v39-44)

1. Who had Jesus just finished answering? (Matthew 22v34)
2. Who came together? (Matthew 22v34)
3. Who asked Jesus 2 questions? (Mark 12v28)

Matthew 22v35 says he was a lawyer. This meant he knew the law of God very well. Scribes carefully wrote out the law.

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4. How many true Gods are there? (Mark 12v29)
5. How are we to love God? (v30)
6. How are we to love our neighbour? (v31)

Our neighbour is not just the person who lives next door. It means every other human being.

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7. What did the scribe say Jesus spoke? (v32)
8. What is obeying these 2 commandments more important than? (v33)
9. What was the lawyer not far from? (v34)

This lawyer knew God's Word very well. But he didn't know God as his Saviour.

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10. Where was Jesus teaching? (v35) *Find it on a map*
11. Who did Jesus ask the Pharisees about? (v35)
12. What did David call Christ? (v36-37)

The Jews knew God would send the Messiah (Christ). They wanted a human Messiah. They believed He would deliver them from all their enemies. But they didn't believe He was God's Son.

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13. Who was speaking through David? (v36)
14. Who heard Jesus gladly? (v37)



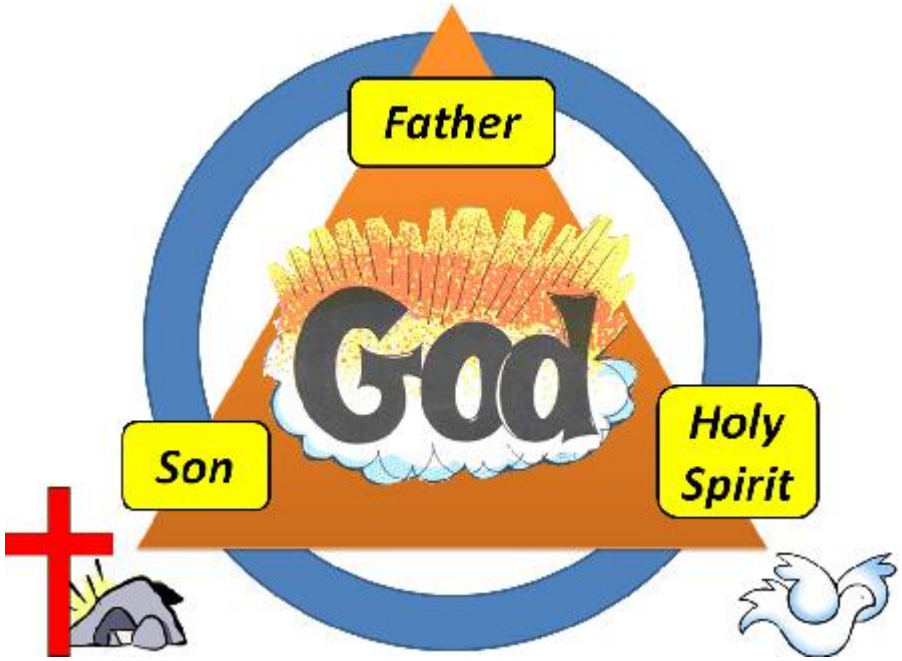


Did you know?

Pharisees and Sadducees were 2 religious groups. The Sadducees didn't believe anyone would be resurrected from the dead. The Pharisees did.

Answers

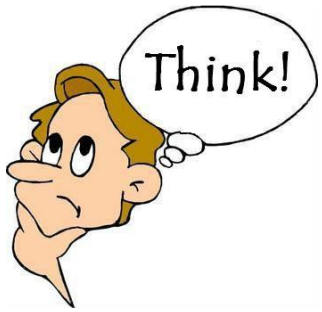
1) Sadducees; 2) Pharisees; 3) A scribe; 4) One; 5) With all our heart, all our soul, all our mind and all our strength; 6) As ourselves; 7) Truth; 8) Burnt offerings and sacrifices; 9) The kingdom of God; 10) The temple; 11) Christ the son of David; 12) The LORD; 13) The Holy Ghost; 14) The common people



There is only one true God.

But God is 3 Persons…. God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. This is called the Trinity.

"Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength. Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself." (Mark 12v30-31)



If the first and greatest commandment is to love God with all our heart, soul, mind and strength…then the first and greatest sin must be to NOT do this. So, we've all failed.

Tuesday

Beware of scribes / The widow's mite

Bible Reading: Mark 12v38-44

(cp. Luke 20v45-47; 21v1-4)

1. What was Jesus doing? (v38)
2. Who were they to beware of? (v38)
3. What did the scribes love? (v38-39)
4. What did they devour? (v40)

They did things for show, so that people would see them. They wanted people to think they were so holy. But Jesus knew what they were really like. He knew they were making widows give them money.... money the poor widows needed.

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5. What did they make for big show? (v40)
6. What would they receive? (v40)

God would judge them for what they were doing. They were leading people wrong. They would get greater judgment than the people.

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7. Where was Jesus sitting? (v41)

The treasury was in the temple in Jerusalem. It was the place where people brought gifts of money to God. It was a bit like the collection of money in church.

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8. Who cast in much? (v41)
9. What did the poor widow cast in? (v42)
10. Who did Jesus speak to? (v43)
11. Why had she given more than everyone else? (v44)
12. How did Jesus know she had cast in ALL her money?

MEANINGS:

Doctrine = teaching;

Salutations = greetings;

Chief = best;

Uppermost = most important;

Pretence = show;

Damnation = judgment



What way should we give to God?

a) For show

b) Willingly

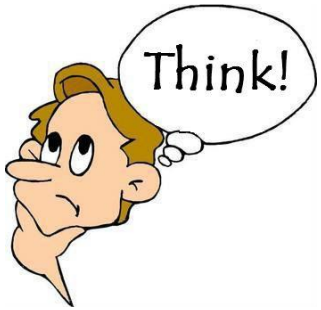
c) Sadly

d) Grudgingly

Answers

1) Teaching; 2) The scribes; 3) Long clothing, salutations in market, chief seats in synagogues, most important rooms at feasts; 4) Widows' houses; 5) Long prayers; 6) Greater damnation (judgment); 7) Near the treasury; 8) The rich people; 9) 2 mites; 10) His disciples; 11) She cast in all she had; 12) He is God and knows everything

We should give to God willingly



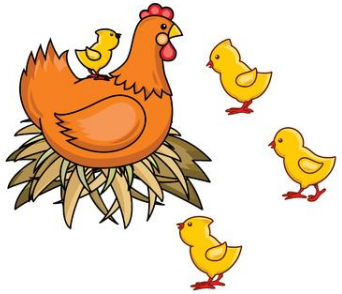
The LORD knows if you give to Him….what you give to Him….and how much you give to Him.

"Let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth." (Matthew 6v3)



Did you know?

Matthew 23 tells us what Jesus said about the scribes and Pharisees. They were strict religious leaders. Jesus called them hypocrites and blind guides. Note how many times Jesus says 'Woe'.



O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not! (Matthew 23v37)

Wednesday

Visit of Greeks and God speaks from Heaven

Bible Reading: John 12v20-23, 27-33, 37, 42-43

(We are just using these verses but if you read v20-50 you'll see all Jesus taught).

1. Who came to worship? (v20)

This was the Jewish feast of the Passover. Lots of people came to Jerusalem at this time. Greeks were not Jews.

2. What did they say to Philip? (v21)

This meant they wanted to see Jesus. Philip and Andrew were Jesus' disciples. Philip came from Bethsaida. Find it on a map

3. Who told Jesus? (v22)
4. What time had come? (v23)

Jesus is the Son of Man. The time had come for Him to die for our sins. That's why He came to earth. Then He would rise again and go back to heaven.

5. What did Jesus ask His Father to do? (v28)
6. What did the voice from heaven say? (v28)
7. What did the people think it was? (v29)
8. Why had the voice come? (v30)
9. How would Jesus be lifted up from the earth? (v32-33)
10. Who would be cast out? (v31)

The prince of this world is Satan. He's God's great enemy. But Jesus would defeat him when He died on the cross.

11. Did miracles make the people believe on Jesus? (v37)

They heard God speak from heaven. They saw Jesus do lots of miracles. But they still would not believe on Him.

12. But who did believe? (v42)
13. Why did they not confess? (v42)
14. What did they love more than the praise of God? (v43)



Answers

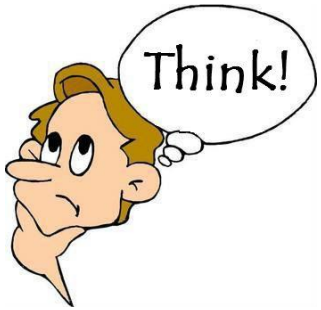
1) Greeks; 2) Sir, we would see Jesus; 3) Andrew and Philip; 4) The time for the Son of man to be glorified; 5) Glorify His name; 6) I have both glorified it, and will glorify it again; 7) Thunder or an angel; 8) For the people's sake; 9) He would die on a cross; 10) The prince of this world; 11) No; 12) Many chief rulers; 13) Because the Pharisees would put them out of the synagogue; 14) The praise of men



Did you know?

Jesus was 30 years old when He began his ministry (Luke 3v23). This was the third Passover since Jesus began His ministry. That means Jesus was 33 years old.

"And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me." (John 12v32)



Do you believe Jesus is God's Son....and He died for you? Have you trusted Him to save you from sin? Then, make sure you tell it! So you'll know in your heart that you're saved.



Thursday

Much Trouble Foretold

Bible Reading: Matthew 24v1-14

(cp. Mark 13v1-13; Luke 21v5-19)

1. Where did Jesus depart from? (v1)
2. What did the disciples show Him? (v1)
3. What was going to be destroyed? (v1-2)

This happened in AD 70.

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4. Where did Jesus go? (v3) *Find it on a map*
5. Who came to Him privately? (v3)

Peter, James, John and Andrew asked questions (Mark13v3)

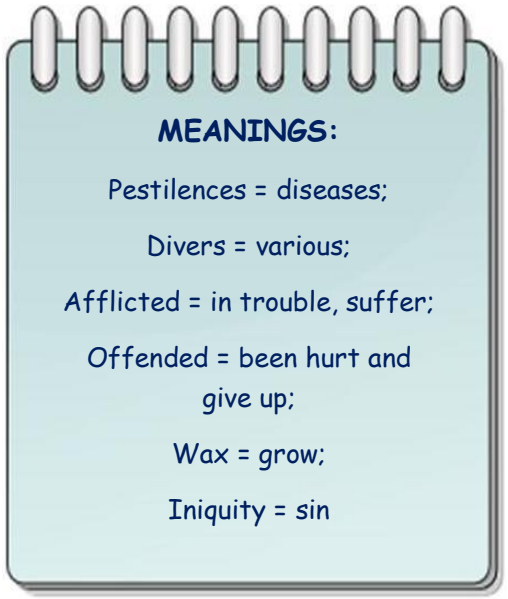
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6. What 3 things did the disciples want to know? (v3)
   a) When Jesus would die
   b) When the temple would be destroyed
   c) The sign of the end of the world
   d) When Jesus would go to heaven
   e) The sign of His second coming

There is no doubt about it. Jesus is coming back to earth one day. We don't know when. Jesus told some things that would happen before He comes back. These things will be really bad before Jesus comes again. But one day the Lord Jesus will deliver His people out of it all.

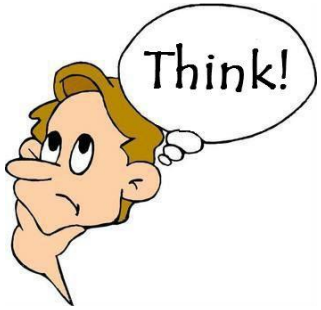
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7. What are we to be careful about? (v4)
8. What sort of trouble will happen on earth? (v6-7)
9. What will this be the beginning of? (v8)
10. Why will Christians suffer, be killed and hated? (v9)
11. Who will deceive many? (v11)
12. Why will the love of many grow cold? (v12)
13. Where will the gospel be preached? (v14)



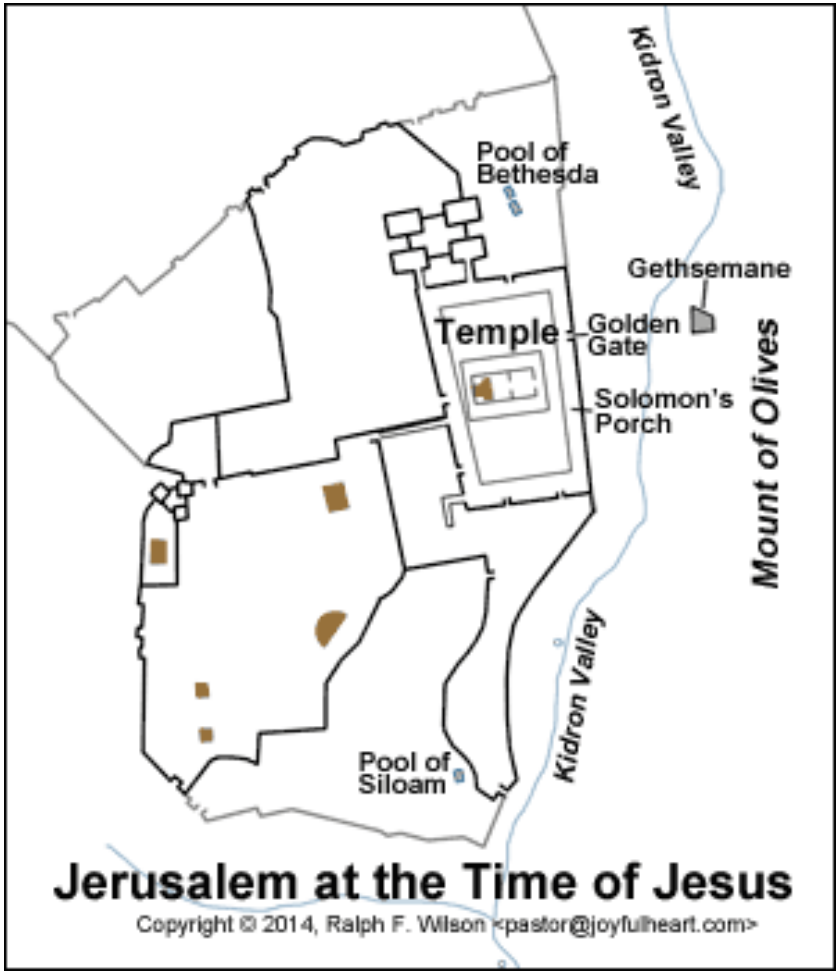
Answers

1) The temple; 2) The buildings of the temple; 3) The temple; 4) Mount of Olives; 5) The disciples; 6) When the temple would be destroyed, the sign of His second coming, and the sign of the end of the world; 7) That no man deceive them; 8) Wars, famines, diseases, earthquakes; 9) Sorrows; 10) For Christ's sake; 11) False prophets; 12) Because there will be much sin; 13) To all nations



Do you know God's Word well enough so that you won't be deceived?

"But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved." (Matthew 14v13)



Friday

Great tribulation foretold

Bible Reading: Matthew 24v15-28

(cp. Mark 13v14-23; Luke 21v20-24)

1. What will stand in the holy place? (v15)

The abomination of desolation is an image that will be put in the temple (cp Daniel 9v15; 11v31).

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2. What prophet spoke about this? (v15)
3. What city was going to be destroyed? (Luke 21v20) *Find it on a map*
4. Where would Jews be led? (Luke 21v24)
5. Who would trample Jerusalem? (Luke 21v24)

The Jews were scattered all over the world. Gentiles took over in Jerusalem. The times of the Gentiles will end when Christ comes back.

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6. What is going to happen? (Matthew 24v21)
7. Why will those days be shortened? (v22)
8. For whose sake will they be shortened? (v22)
9. Who will arise to deceive people? (v24)
10. What will they use to deceive people? (v24)
11. Who will they even try to deceive? (v24)
12. What will be like a flash of lightning? (v27)

It is going to be very sudden. So be ready!

MEANINGS:

With child = pregnant;

Give suck = breast feed;

Compassed = surrounded;

Trodden down = trampled on;

Tribulation = great trouble;

Elect = chosen ones

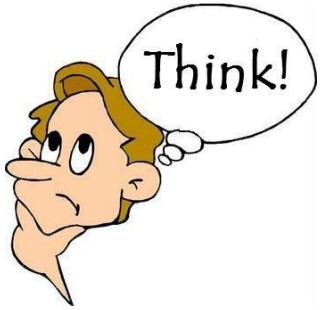


Did you know?

Jesus warned Christians to flee (Matthew 24v16-20; Luke 21v21-23). Jerusalem was destroyed in AD 70. Christians obeyed Jesus and fled to safety.

Answers

1) The abomination of desolation; 2) Daniel; 3) Jerusalem; 4) Captive into all nations; 5) Gentiles; 6) Great tribulation; 7) No flesh would be saved; 8) The elect's sake; 9) False Christs and false prophets; 10) Signs and wonders; 11) The elect; 12) The coming of the Son of man



Are you one of God's elect? If so, you may have to suffer. But God won't forsake you.

"For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be."
(Matthew 24v21)

Saturday

Christ's second coming

Bible reading: Matthew 24v29-35 and Luke 21v25-33

(cp. Mark 13v24-31)

1. What terrible things will happen? (Matthew 24v29)
2. When? (v29)
3. What will happen on earth and sea? (Luke 21v25)

The sea and waves roaring is tsunamis. There will be great trouble in nations. They won't know what to do.

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4. Why will men's hearts fail them? (Luke 21v26)
5. Then, who will come? (Matthew 24v30)
6. How will He come? (v30)
7. What will sound? (v31)
8. What will He send His angels to do? (v31)

God's elect are His chosen ones. They are the truly saved people. The angels will gather them from all over the earth.

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9. How do we know summer is near? (v32)

Luke 21v29 says all trees, not just the fig tree.

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10. So, when we see the signs, what is near? (v33)
11. What will not pass until all is fulfilled? (v34)

People living then saw the Fall of Jerusalem in AD 70. People living when these signs happen will see Christ coming again.

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12. What will pass away? (v35)
13. What will NEVER pass away? (v35)

MEANINGS:

Distress of nations = trouble in nations;

Perplexity = not knowing what to do;

Redemption = deliverance;



What does 'Your redemption draweth nigh' mean? (Luke 21v28)

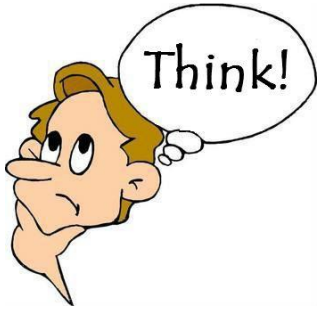
a) You can get saved from sin soon

b) You'll be delivered from all these troubles soon

Answers

1) Sun darkened, moon won't shine, stars fall, and heavens shake; 2) Immediately after the tribulation; 3) Distress in nations, perplexity, sea and waves roaring; 4) For fear; 5) The Son of man (Christ); 6) In clouds with power and great glory; 7) A trumpet; 8) Gather together His elect; 9) Fig tree puts forth leaves; 10) Christ's second coming to earth; 11) This generation; 12) Heaven and earth; 13) Christ's words

You'll be delivered from all these troubles



God's Word will NEVER pass away. So, you can always trust it!

"Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away." (Matthew 24v35)

Old English Words

Afar	Far away
Ass	Donkey
Aught	Anything at all
Befallen	Happened to
Dealt	Done
Dost, Doest	Do
Draw nigh	Come near
Fetch	Go and get
Gat	Get, got
Hence	From this place
Hereby	By this
Heretofore	Before now
Hindmost	Last
Hither	Here
Hitherto	Up until now
Howbeit	However, nevertheless
Inasmuch	Since
Midst	Middle
Mixt	Mixed
Nigh	Near
Notwithstanding	Nevertheless, in spite of this
Peradventure	Perhaps
Plow	Plough
Straightway	Immediately
Selfsame	That same
Shew	Show
Thereon	On that
Therewith	With that
Thither	To there
Thou	You *(singular)*
Thou art	You are
Thrust out	Cast out
Uttermost	Farthest
Whence	From where
Wherefore	Why
Wherewith	With which
Whilst	While
Whither	To where
Whomsoever	Whoever
Wilt	Will
Wit, wot, wist	Know
Withholden	Held back
Wont to do	In the habit of doing
Wrought	Done, made

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