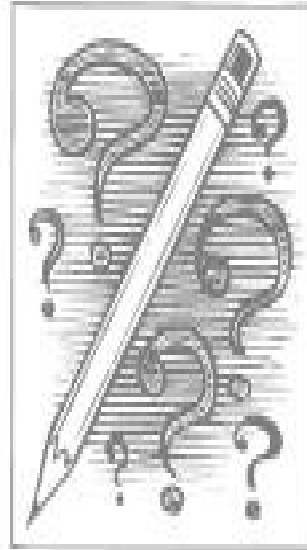


TEST YOUR BIBLE KNOWLEDGE (2nd 100 questions)

Answer the questions below with the scripture where it can be found. The answers will appear in the following bulletin.

16. What prophet was fed by birds?
17. What widow ate parched corn?
18. Who kissed a beautiful maiden and then wept?
19. Who had reeds wrapped about his head?
20. How does the Bible say a man wipes a dish?



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“Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.” I Timothy 4:12.

WEST SIDE WINDOW

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FALLING INTO THE “GAP” TRAP

By Ted J. Clarke

Conclusion

We do not know what all God may have done in the eternity before He started the record of time in Genesis 1:1, but the creation which begins with that verse is set forth as a literal six days of God’s creative work. If some think “this is a very shallow conclusion,” we could only ask them to respond to the teaching we have presented in this article. If scientists reject the biblical account of creation because they cannot accept what it says over their theories, why should any Christian try to force the Bible to say what it does not say, just to placate the scientific community? Honoring God’s word regarding the creation of the universe in which we live requires that we avoid falling into the “gap” trap. If those who believe in the “gap” theories want to find support for it in the Scriptures, they are going to have to try to find it elsewhere than in making distinctions between God’s “creating” and “making” activities recorded by Moses.

WHY ONE MUST BE IN CHRIST TO BE SAVED

By Max Patterson

There are many who say we do not have to be members of a church to be saved. If one meant by that statement a denomination, then they are right. However, if the blood purchased church is meant, they are wrong. If a man can be saved outside of the New Testament church then manifold problems are presented. Consider the following reasons why one **must** be in Christ (his body, the church) in order to be saved:

- The body of Christ (the church) is the blood-purchased institution of Christ, Acts 20:28; I Cor. 6:19, 20. Church members are blood bought. However, the converse is true. This means if you are not in the New Testament church, you have not been purchased with the blood.
- The Holy Spirit taught that Christ would save the church, Eph. 5:23; 1:22,23.
- The body of Christ (the church) is where man is reconciled to God, Eph. 2:16. Can a man go to heaven and not be reconciled to God?
- The church is what Christ will present to himself, Eph. 5:27.
- God adds the saved to the church, Acts 2:47. The same way one is saved is the same way one is added to the church.
- If one has to be a child in the family of God to be saved, he has to be a member of the church. They are one and the same thing, I Tim. 3:16. Obviously God has no children outside His family.
- Jesus taught that a man must enter the fold of God to be saved, Jn. 10:1-9. that fold is the church which elders make certain is fed, Acts 20:28.
- We cannot bear fruit and be saved without being justified, which takes place in the body of Christ, Rom 8:30; Col. 3:15; 1:18. The called are justified. The called are in the body, the church. Therefore, the justified are in the church.
- It is impossible to be saved without being delivered out of the power of darkness, Col. 1:13.
- We must be in Christ, that is, in the church, to be saved. Church membership represents the covenant spiritual relationship that we have with God.

SERVICES

Sunday Bible Study —
9:30 am
Worship — 10:30 am &
6:00 pm
Wed. Bible Study —
7:00 pm

MINISTER

Larry G. Reynolds

ELDERS

Brian Huffman
Larry G. Reynolds
Herb Smith
Larry Taylor

DEACONS

Don Allison, Youth
Bill Gaw, Building &
Grounds
Mike Haviland, Missions/
Evangelism & Fellowship
Jerry Hoyt, Benevolence
Lowell Huffman, Bible
Correspondence Course
and Widows/Widowers
Volker Jaromin, Building &
Grounds
Gary Reynolds, Seminars
Todd Stults, Finance
Jim Witty, Upon The Rock

MISSION WORKS

Cochran, Georgia
Willie Smith
South Central Church of
Christ
Robert Ray
Tanzania, Africa
Christopher Mwakabanje
plus two preaching school
students
Indian
Scott Richards
Memphis School Of
Preaching
Andrey Kostine
David Dixon

WORSHIP FOR JANUARY 24

MORNING WORSHIP

Announcements: Brian Huffman
 Opening Prayer: Kendall Clark
 Scripture Reading: Mark Stewart
 (John 8:31-36)
 Song Leader: Don Allison
 Sermon: Larry G. Reynolds
 Sermon Topic: "Ye Shall Know The Truth"
 Closing Prayer: Sam Arnold

COMMUNION SERVERS

Prayer: Jim Smith
 West Side—Outside: Nick Q.
 Inside: Todd Stults
 East Side—Inside: Blade Taylor
 Outside: Clayton Parker

EVENING WORSHIP

Song Leader: Don Allison
 Opening Prayer: Lowell Huffman
 Scripture Reading: Drew Odle
 (I Peter 1:22-25)
 Sermon: Larry G. Reynolds
 Sermon Topic: "Jesus the Master Teacher"
 Communion Table: Gary Reynolds
 Closing Prayer: Howard Goodman

PULPIT PREVIEW FOR JANUARY 31, 2010

AM: "Jesus the Savior of the Obedient" (Titus 2:1-11)

PM: "Heaven" (Matt. 7:13-14)

JANUARY

GREETERS:

East Door: Tena & Tyann
Front Door + Ushers:
 Jay, Clayton, Forrest

COMMUNION:

Prep: Lowell & Charlene
Clean-up: Jane, Gail, MaryAnn

BUILDING CLEANING: Lisa, Cindy, Nancy, Kathy

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Janet Akins, friend of Debbie Perry and Cindy Taylor
Jimmy Allison, Don's cousin
Peggy Berry, friend/co-worker of Jim & Marjorie's son
Barbara Blaser, friend of Lisa
Tom & Susan Cloniger-Susan is recovering at home from her surgery. Tom will have surgery Feb. 11. Send encouragement to 18 Knight Bridge Rd; Sherwood, AR 72120.

Martina Conaster, Gail Parker's aunt
Madeline Kortman, Debbie's mom—send encouragement to 1833 Key Ave.; Madison, IN 47250

Delores Huffman has been released by her doctor!!
Mary Huffman, Lowell's mom broke her hip
Pat Hutson, 93-yr-old aunt of Cindy

Brandon Lee
Wendy Murrell, good friend of Lowell and Charlene
Norma Norris, Grant's grandmother

Ryburn Perry
Mike Perry, Vada & Ralph's neighbor
Cindy Piner, Leonard's niece

Nora Lee Robbins, Gail Parker's mother
Maggie Roberts, Cindy & Nancy's sister-in-law—undergoing chemo.

Kent Sanders
Ashley Shaw and family
Melinda Sheffield broke her ankle
Kay Thomason, Howard Goodman's sister. Send encouragement to 1219 Kelly Dr., Elizabethtown, KY 42701.

David Witty
Everett & Ann Witty

Shut-Ins: **Virginia Ashley** - Westminster. **Juanita Broderick** - The Woodlands. **Christine Daniels**—Elmcroft.
Mary Norris - The Woodlands

Away in the Military: **Grant Kellow** - Afghanistan.
Brian Noonkester - Germany. **John Welker**—Ft. Benning

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Jan 24—Preacher's Pals **5:45 PM.**

Jan 24—Group A (Larry R) will meet after evening services. This group is also responsible for making sure the building is secure and lights are out after each service.

Jan 26—Men's fellowship breakfast, 8 AM at IHOP.

Jan 31—Preacher's Pals **5:45 PM.**

Feb 7—Elders will meet.

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Feb 10—Make plans to join us for fellowship and dinner at 5:30.

Feb 21—Elders and deacons will meet.

Feb 28—Make plans to join us for a carry-in lunch with early evening services.

Mar 13—Gold Hill Road church of Christ in Fort Mill, SC is hosting a Men's Fellowship from 9 AM to 3 PM

ATTENDANCE FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 17, 2010

Sunday Bible Study	
Sunday Worship am	100
Sunday Worship pm	
Wednesday Bible Study	60

DAVID DIXON WRITES...

Dear brethren:

Happy New Year to all and best wishes for renewed faith and devotion in all your lives. We have had an enjoyable holiday season getting to see much of our families and friends while enjoying safe travel. Let us remain as thankful and generous throughout the year as we are in this season.

Our big news this month is that we learned recently that Rachel is expecting! We are very excited. We have been trying for this moment for over three years and now it is here. This is another proof that God's timing is the best timing. Her due date right now is August 14. We went for her first doctor visit this past week and all is well. It is still early, but we covet your prayers on this behalf anyway. For those wondering, we are hoping for a girl, but since we got a boy the first time, we are just happy that it has happened!

Second quarter will end January 22. It is hard to believe that a semester of work is already over. That means we are almost a quarter of the way done. Time is really flying. I love the work though. I do not feel like a different person, but I know my dedication and desire to do God's will have been increased by being here. I encourage all men who are considering preaching God's Word to check out the school and give it some serious thought. You will not regret it.

Thanks again for all you do for us. We could not be here without you. We love you all.
 In Christian service,
 David Dixon

ROBERT RAY WRITES...

Greetings! My wife and I would like to thank you again for supporting us in the Lord's work as we labor at South Central church of Christ in Muncie, Indiana. Our goal is to make the community aware that the Church of Christ is here and to do that we need to challenge denominational doctrine. I wanted to get some DVDs of our worship service out in the community but the cost of transferring our 9mm tapes over to DVDs is more costly than I anticipated. We are also looking to the brethren to be more committed to the work locally. It is rather hard for some to think of the Lord's work and their family with the current condition of our economy but with that said...

2Cor. 4:18 While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal.
 2Cor. 5:7 (For we walk by faith, not by sight:).

- Morning Bible study we had a high of 16 for the month and an average attendance of 14.
- Morning worship the highest attendance was 27 but we averaged 23.
- Our best for evening worship was 9 and we averaged 8 for the month.
- Thursday Bible study we had a high of 5 and we averaged 5 for the month.

Sincerely,
 Robert Ray, Minister

TEST YOUR BIBLE KNOWLEDGE Answers from 01/17

11. Who went forty days on the strength of two meals? **Elijah. I Kings 19:7,8**
12. Who had fish for breakfast by a seaside? **Jesus and the seven. Jn. 21:9-15**
13. The Hebrews were allowed to sell some food to foreigners, but not allowed to eat it themselves. What was it? **That died of itself. Deut. 14:21**
14. What persons had food from heaven and did not like it? **Israelites. Num. 11:4-6**
15. How many did Jesus feed with two fish? **5000 men plus women and children. Matt. 14:15-21**