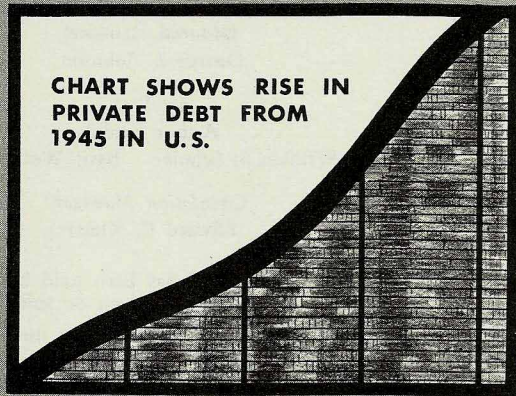


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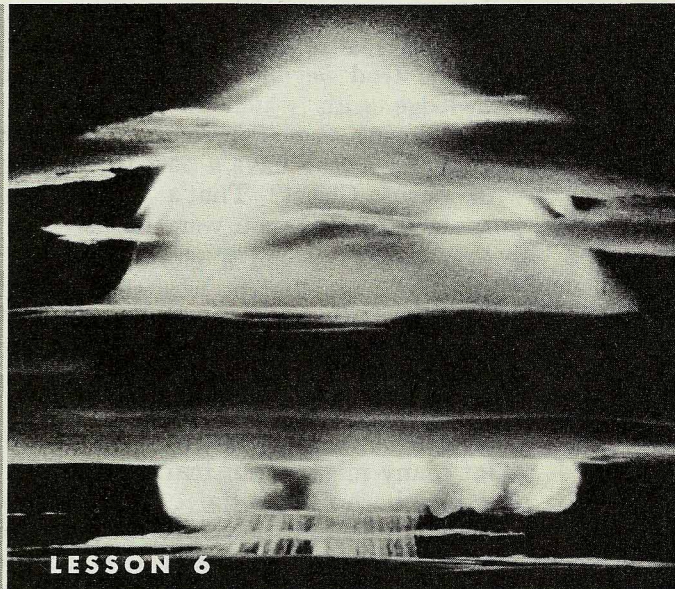
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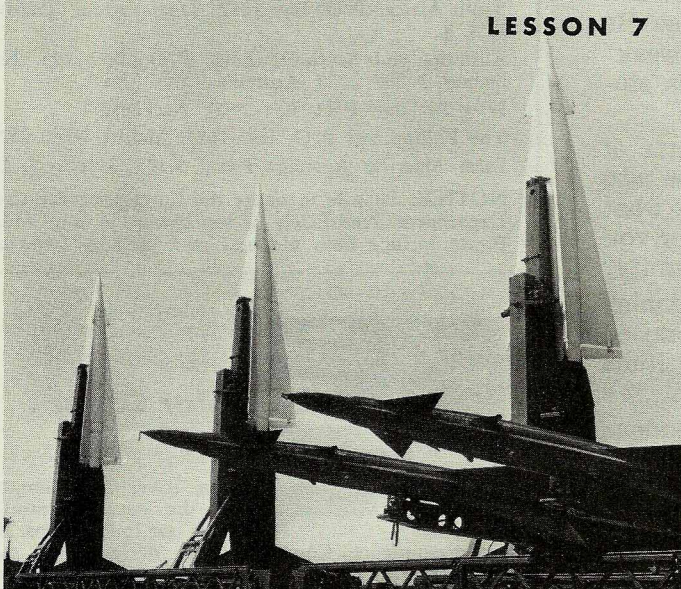
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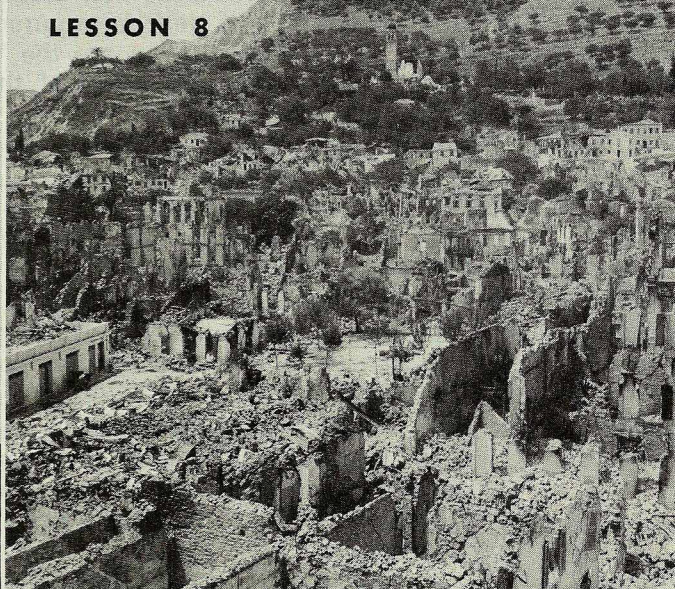


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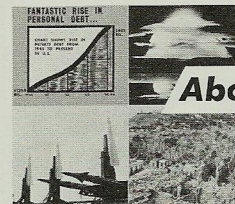
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SELECT THE ONE RIGHT ANSWER FROM AMONG THESE FOUR CHOICES. Then *circle* the letter of the answer you believe to be correct. The correct answer to the first

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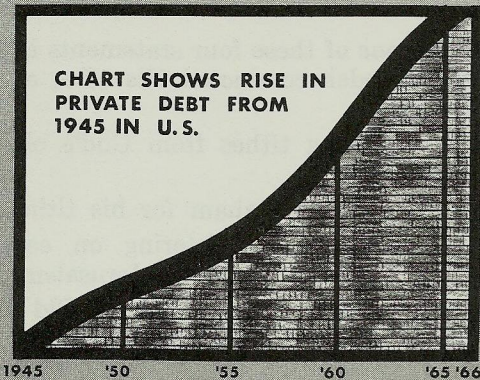
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Lesson 5

ENDING YOUR FINANCIAL TROUBLES

FANTASTIC RISE IN PERSONAL DEBT...

CHART SHOWS RISE IN PRIVATE DEBT FROM 1945 IN U.S.



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1. Which *one* of these four statements is *true*?
 - A. Most people know that living financial laws — based on *spiritual* principles — do exist.
 - B. The *only* way to financial success is to scrimp and save.
 - C.** There is a *cause* for the financial slavery which holds almost everyone in its grip.
 - D. The way to financial security is to *take* it from others.

2. God

- A. wants to take from us our own rightfully gained money.
- B. wants only to *give* us everything good for us.
- C. has no part in producing the wealth that mankind enjoys.
- D. is not at all concerned with our physical and financial welfare.

3. U. S. citizens are deeply in debt because

- A. Americans today are very budget conscious and do not live beyond their means.
- B. their ministers have taught them to live by God's financial laws as revealed in the Bible.
- C. wages are too low in America.
- D. the people have not known and practiced God's financial laws.

4. God is

- A. not interested in your financial affairs.
- B. interested in people's finances only to the extent that He knows they are giving something to charity.
- C. desirous that all fulfill definite financial

- obligations which He has commanded.
- D.** not interested in blessing us financially.
- 5.** We owe God a tenth of our earnings because
- A.** God wants to see to it that we remain "just poor folks."
- B.** God is the owner and sustainer of all we produce and use, and He *commands* us to give Him a tenth so He can bless us.
- C.** He is interested in accumulating wealth.
- D.** God plans to help the poor with it.
- 6.** God's plan calls for furthering His Work on earth by
- A.** means of tithes and offerings.
- B.** such offerings as people feel they are able to give.
- C.** seeing that large endowment funds are set up to further His Work, thereby making it independent of the support of the people.
- D.** having people do nothing now, but letting them wait until Christ comes in person to direct them.
- 7.** If we tithe, God has promised
- A.** nothing in return.
- B.** He will curse us.
- C.** we will gain eternal life by this means.
- D.** He will pour out such a great blessing upon us that there will not be room enough to receive it.
- 8.** Tithes
- A.** concern only the Jews.
- B.** do not mean tenths.
- C.** were commanded by God before the nation Israel ever existed.
- D.** are merely occasional offerings.
- 9.** In these end times, God has commanded the tithe to be used
- A.** primarily to build church hospitals in foreign lands.
- B.** to spread the true gospel of Christ's imminent return and rule on this earth.
- C.** to gather the churches of the world into one great, tremendously powerful political organization.
- D.** to teach people the urgent necessity of believing that Christ is the Savior, and that keeping God's commandments is no longer necessary.
- 10.** Tithing was
- A.** a part of the ceremonial law instituted during Moses' time.
- B.** instituted long before Moses.
- C.** not practiced in the ancient nation of Israel.
- D.** never the means of support for the Levitical ministry in ancient Israel.
- 11.** Which *one* of these four statements is *false*?
- A.** Tithing was not God's system of financing the Old Testament ministry.
- B.** Melchizedek was God's representative on earth in Old Testament times.
- C.** Melchizedek received tithes from Abraham.
- D.** Christ holds the office of High Priest of the Father.
- 12.** Melchizedek is
- A.** a personage in the Old Testament who has never been identified.
- B.** the High Priest of the Father and is the Christ of New Testament times.
- C.** just another human being who lived in Old Testament times.
- D.** a divine being who lived on earth in Old Testament times, but who has not been known to have existed on earth since that time.
- 13.** Which *one* of these four statements is *false*? Melchizedek conducted His office of High Priest
- A.** by receiving tithes from God's obedient servants.
- B.** by blessing Abraham for his tithes.
- C.** by personally ministering on earth at Salem (later known as Jerusalem).
- D.** without instructing people of Old Testament times in God's tithing law.
- 14.** Which *one* of these four statements is *false*?
- A.** Israel tithed while enslaved in Egypt.
- B.** Abraham tithed.
- C.** Isaac tithed.
- D.** Jacob tithed.
- 15.** After God called the descendants of Abraham out of their captivity in Egypt, and after they disobeyed Him, He changed His previous Melchizedek-priesthood tithing system by
- A.** stopping the tithing system entirely.

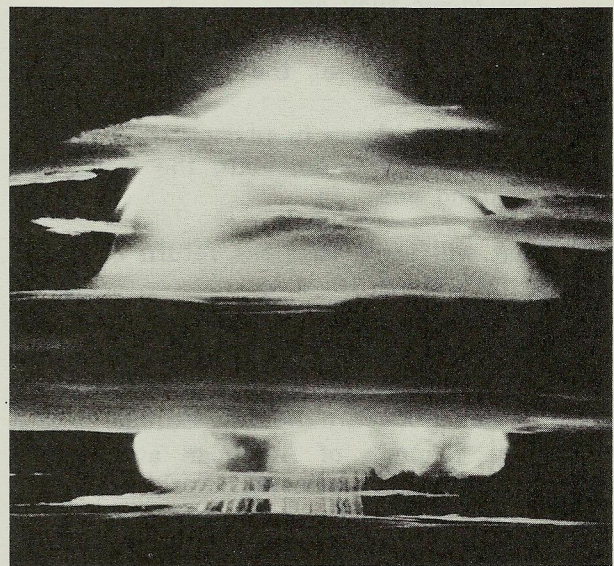
- B. letting the people pay whatever they thought was right to His newly appointed priesthood.
- C. having the tithes go to further civil governmental activities.
- D. appointing a priesthood of men to receive His tithes.
16. The priests of the Levitical Priesthood in Old Testament times used the tithe to
- A. further the preaching of the gospel by means of the printing press.
- B. support themselves so they could be free to perform their work in the tabernacle.
- C. do missionary work among the pagan nations around them.
- D. further charity.
17. According to the Bible, a "tithe" means
- A. a sixth.
- B. a tenth.
- C. an indefinite amount.
- D. a third.
18. Today, under the New Testament,
- A. inasmuch as there are no more animal sacrifices to be offered, no tithes are required.
- B. God abolished His tithing law when Christ was sacrificed.
- C. tithes should still be paid to God's representatives.
- D. the churches are right when they say "it is better if you tithe, but you will not be held accountable by God if you do not."
19. Since animal sacrifices were done away when Christ was sacrificed, God has ordained another priesthood to take the place of the old ritualistic priesthood. Its name is
- A. the Melchisedec Priesthood.
- B. the Levitical Priesthood.
- C. identified with the various religious denominations in the world today.
- D. the Universal Church Priesthood.
20. The New Testament Melchisedec Priesthood has arisen as a result of
- A. Christ calling His chosen servants to preach God's *true* message from the Bible.
- B. men being born into it, as was the case with the Old Testament Levitical Priesthood.
- C. a sudden miraculous vision from God.
- D. men appointing themselves as God's min-

isters and preaching contrary to the Bible.

21. Which *one* of these four statements about the end-time warning message is *true*?
- A. Christ finished proclaiming it in His day.
- B. Christ never gave any command at all regarding it.
- C. Christ commanded His true called ministers in our day to finish proclaiming it.
- D. Christ expected His apostles of that day to finish proclaiming it.
22. Which *one* of the following statements is *false*?
- A. It is God's will that we prosper and have physical blessings.
- B. God is not using the tithing system to finance His Work today.
- C. Certain ones are prospering today because they have made God their financial partner.
- D. You can know who are God's faithful representatives on earth today "by their fruits."

Lesson 6

WHY GOD MUST INTERVENE



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23. What do world statesmen and scientists unanimously warn?

- A. That we must surrender our wills to Christ in repentance.
- B. That the nations must be militarily prepared to defeat any possible intervention from outer space.
- C. That mankind is too intelligent to wage a nuclear war.
- D. That modern weapons, if used in an all-out war, will make this earth uninhabitable.
24. A super world-government
- A. is the only solution to this world's ills.
- B. is impossible under any circumstances.
- C. will evolve out of the United Nations.
- D. can come about only when either Communism or Fascism conquers all nations.
25. World leaders
- A. know the way to peace.
- B. are not frightened by the world's problems. Why should you be?
- C. are beginning to realize this world's problems are too deep-seated to be solved except "by a strong hand from someplace."
- D. working together can save this world.
26. Has God ever revealed to mankind a definite sequence of world-ruling kingdoms?
- A. Yes, and the Kingdom of God is number five in the sequence.
- B. Yes, but it is difficult to determine which kingdoms they are.
- C. Perhaps, but the sequence ended with the fall of Rome at the beginning of the Middle Ages.
- D. No. If God knew in advance what nations were going to dominate the world, He told no one.
27. What will show that the return of Christ is very near?
- A. Worldwide peace because of world observance of Bible teachings.
- B. The conquering of the world by Russia.
- C. A union of ten nations in Europe.
- D. The triumph of American and British arms over a belligerent world.
28. What will be the *immediate* purpose of Christ's second coming?
- A. To set up centers of relief for the aid of all who have been afflicted by climate and wars.
- B. To rule the nations with a rod of iron.
- C. To immediately establish new churches.
- D. To persuade the nations to get together in a new United Nations.
29. How will Christ conquer the kings or dictators who come against Him?
- A. By first conducting a worldwide poll to determine the will of the people.
- B. By smiting their armies with His angelic armies.
- C. By gently persuading them that He would be a better ruler than they.
- D. By peaceably showing the world leaders they are not following God's way, and thus obtain their willing submission to His rule.
30. *How* will Christ come?
- A. With a great noise of a trumpet and the voice of an archangel.
- B. Silently and quietly like a thief in the night coming to steal.
- C. Just as most people expect Him to come.
- D. He has already come and is hiding somewhere on earth right now.
31. The "Day of the Lord" in prophecy is
- A. the time God supernaturally intervenes in world affairs.
- B. Sunday.
- C. well understood by all churches.
- D. Saturday.
32. Which *one* of these four statements is *true*?
- A. The hope of the Christian in these last days is the "secret rapture."
- B. Christ will come from heaven alone, or with a few angelic companions at most.
- C. When Christ comes to the surface of this earth He will bring His resurrected saints with Him.
- D. Christ will *not* come with the angels of heaven.
33. At the blowing of the seventh or great trump,
- A. Christ will return to heaven.
- B. all fighting will immediately cease.
- C. the nations will immediately surrender to Christ's armies.
- D. the dead in Christ will rise.
34. The "Day of the Lord"
- A. will not come upon the world unexpectedly.

- B. is not a time of God's wrath.
 C. begins some time *after* the last trump begins to blow.
 D. is mentioned in more than 30 different prophecies
35. Which *one* of these four statements is *false*?
 A. Wars will be raging on earth at Christ's return.
 B. Christ will punish this world for its sins.
 C. Christ will not be angry at sin when He returns.
 D. The nations will be so angry at Christ they will even attempt to fight Him.
36. The "seven last plagues"
 A. will be poured out in the presence of Christ.
 B. quickly change this world's attitude to one of love toward Christ.
 C. will not cause great destruction on earth.
 D. will not be the result of man's sins.
37. What natural force will slay the greatest number of this earth's sinful population?
 A. Lightning.
 B. Another flood, as in Noah's day when people were extremely sinful.
 C. Heat from the sun.
 D. Cold weather.
38. The seven last plagues or vials will punish
 A. the United States only.
 B. Russia only.
 C. all the world.
 D. a union of nations in Europe only.
39. Why do so many church denominations always have so many *different*, but supposedly biblically correct answers to *one* Bible teaching?
 A. Because they do not like to be corrected by the Word of God.
 B. Because the Bible was written to be understood differently by different denominations.
 C. Because some denominations have the power to change the teachings of the Bible.
 D. Because the Bible contradicts itself.
40. In their search to "understand" the meaning of the Bible, human beings have
 A. twisted and wrested God's Word.
 B. always drunk the true meaning out of the Scriptures.
 C. accepted gladly all its doctrines.
 D. never been cut by God's Word — the Bible — because it is soothing and agreeable to them.
41. What should a student of the Bible do to understand the truth of God?
 A. Go to a denominational minister and ask him to explain any passage which is not grasped immediately.
 B. Obtain denominational religious material and rely on its explanation of the Scriptures.
 C. Trust in his own understanding.
 D. Ask God in sincere, earnest prayer and in faith to open his or her mind to understand the truth.
42. Why should you set aside a certain amount of time each day for the study of your Bible?
 A. Because the ability to prove or disprove doctrines to others is the important thing.
 B. Certainly not because God commands us to study His Word.
 C. In order that you, yourself, may be corrected and set on the right path to eternal life.
 D. So you can learn to use God's Word as a "spiritual club" to chastise other people.
43. In studying the Bible with this course, you should
 A. study closely the reference that has been given, paying no attention *at any time* to the surrounding verses.
 B. notice the contents of the verses around the ones you are to study.
 C. read the entire book in which your reference verse is located.
 D. read what some outside "authority" has to say on the section.
44. Important verses of the Bible should
 A. be underlined so they can be easily reviewed.
 B. be written down twenty times in succession.
 C. be repeated word for word ten times.
 D. not be thought of in relation to other passages which deal with similar material.
45. The Bible
 A. which Jesus used was the King James Version.
 B. in modern translations is no clearer than the 350-year-old language of the King James Version.

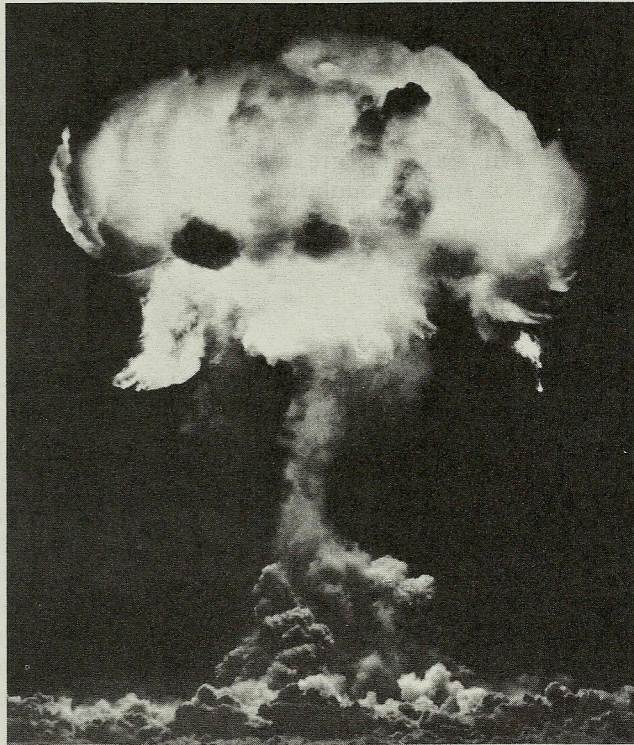
THERE IS A WAY OF ESCAPE!

With the previous four lessons — covered in this test — you discovered how to end your financial troubles here and now. You also learned how Jesus Christ will save mankind from world suicide. And you found the ONLY WAY TO ESCAPE the horrible punishment man is bringing upon himself! The question is — what will you DO with this precious knowledge?



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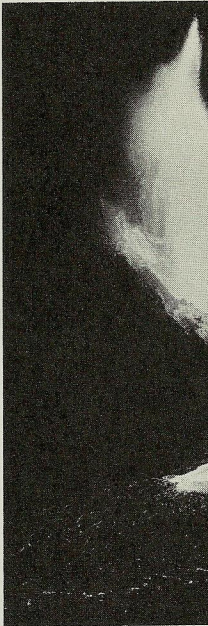
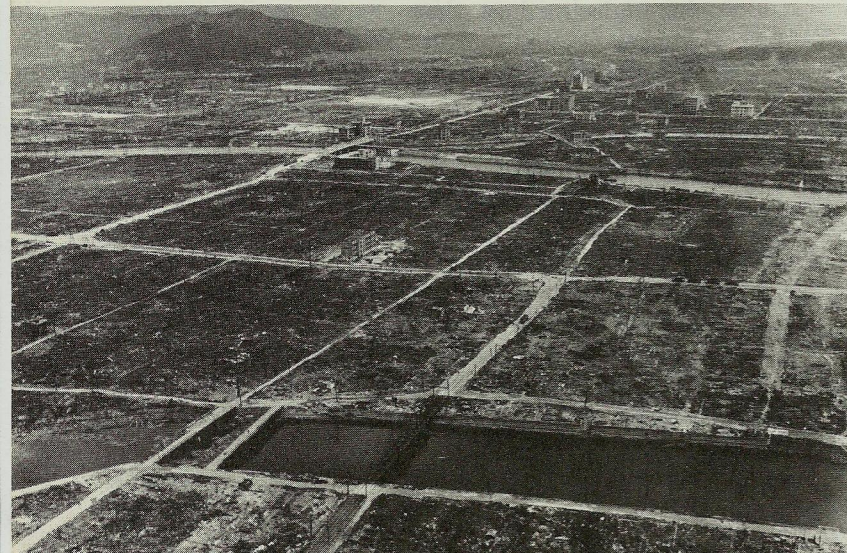
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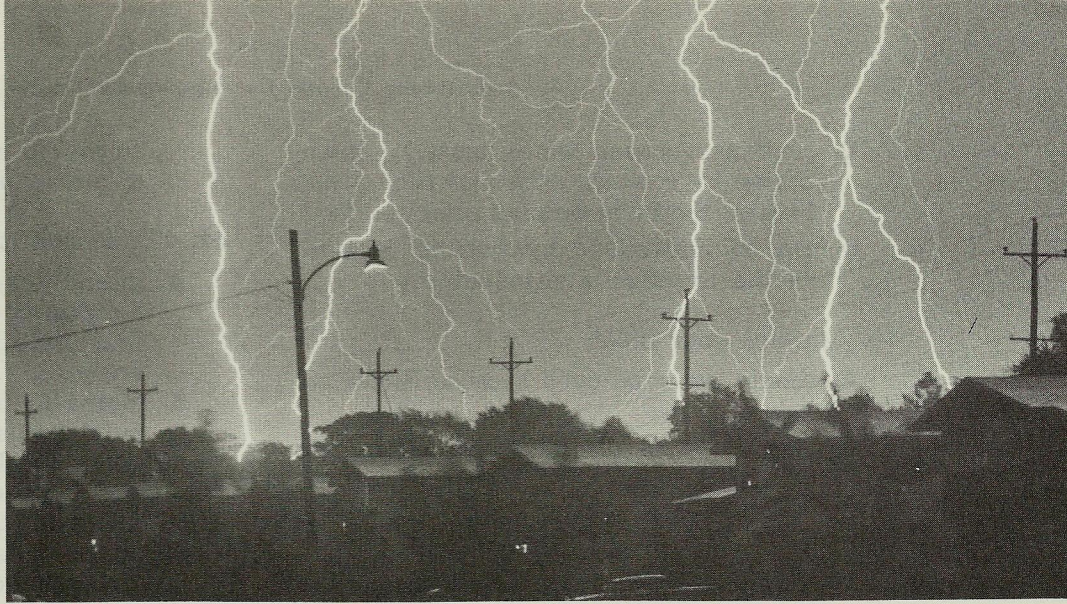


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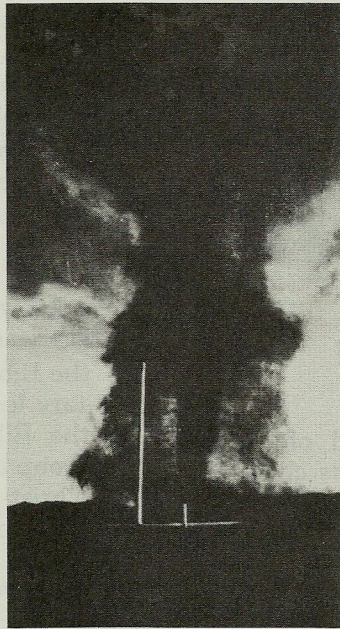
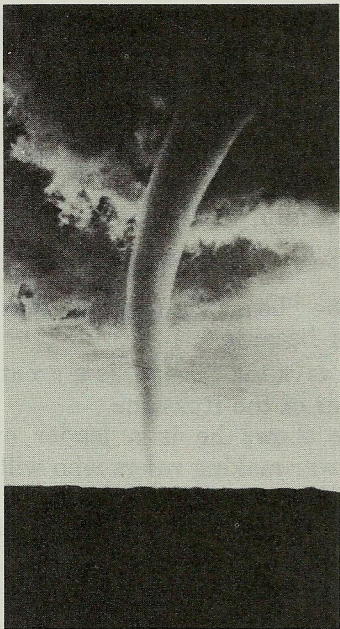
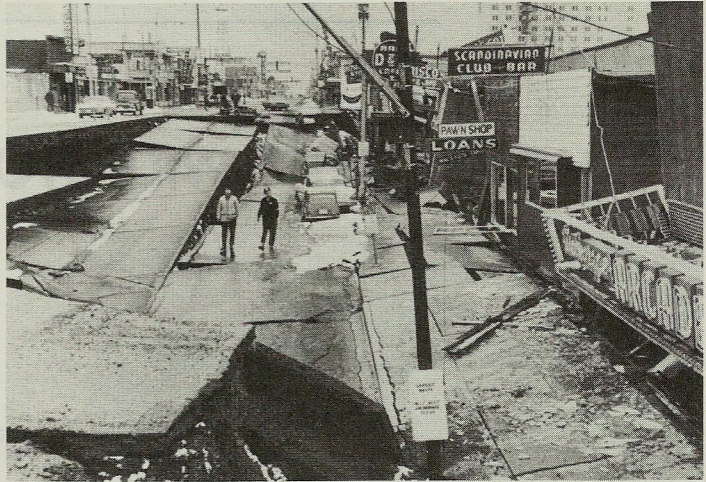




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Lightning strike depicts POWER OF GOD in unleashing the forces of nature upon the disobedient. At left, lava shoots 1000 feet into the air from an erupting volcano. Hundreds erupting at one time defy the imagination! At right, temblor damage portends drastically increased earthquake activity.

Wide World Photos



Wide World Photos

Above, sequence of photos shows the development of a ravaging tornado. At right, grief-stricken man sits among the rubble of what was once his home. Tornadoes now strike areas which have never been hit before!



- C. contains *doctrine* which must be interpreted by commentaries and Bible helps because the Bible does not interpret itself.
- D. can be understood by *putting together* all the verses on a given subject.

46. Marking your Bible

- A. should never be done because Bibles are holy.
- B. must be done according to an elaborate system.
- C. is a valuable aid to remembering vital points and should be done freely.
- D. should be postponed until it is convenient

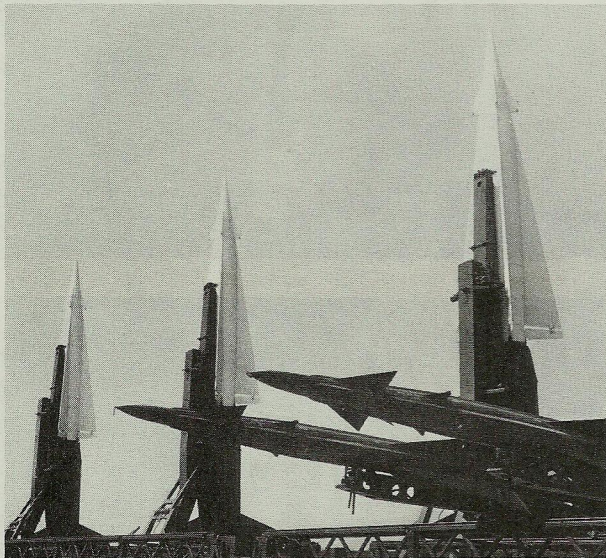
to get out a ruler and just the right color of pen or pencil.

47. "Proving all things"

- A. means *only* that we must search the Scriptures daily, as the Bereans did, to find out if the things we have been taught are so.
- B. means to test the Biblical principles by putting them to work in our lives.
- C. means the Bible contradicts itself, therefore we must test its statements to see which are true and which are false.
- D. can be done only by reading the original Hebrew and Greek texts.

Lesson 7

HOW CHRIST WILL STOP WORLD SUICIDE



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48. The reason for this world's wars is

- A. simply human nature in action.
- B. not given in the Bible.
- C. that Christ has been the Head of its churches and the Inspiration of its civilization.
- D. that man's human nature has been expressing brotherly love.

49. Armageddon is

- A. the place where the nations will fight Christ.
- B. the place where Christ will establish His world rule.

C. the location where Britain and the United States will fight Russia.

D. the place where the nations will merely *assemble* for their battle against Christ at Jerusalem.

50. The term "winepress," associated with events in the "Day of the Lord," has to do with

- A. a pressing out of the juice of actual grapes.
- B. a pressing out of the blood (destruction) of those who come to fight against Christ.
- C. the destruction of the Beast and False Prophet.
- D. the resurrection of the saints to immortality.

51. We know the "beast" is to be a great military leader because

- A. the Bible says the "beast" is a great military leader of the Russians.
- B. the Bible shows he is a leader over a group of war-making rulers who will fight Christ at His coming.
- C. the word "beast" in the Bible *always* stands for a man of peace.
- D. we have read this into the Bible.

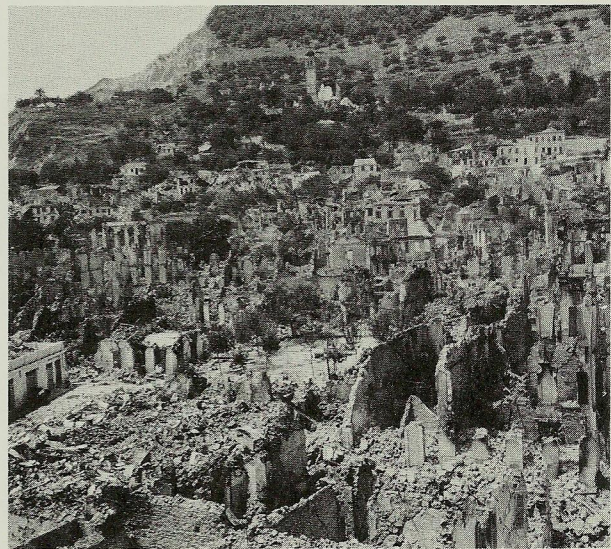
52. After Christ's victory over the nations of the earth, their great military leader will

- A. repent willingly and become a good citizen.

- B. be shown the lake of fire and be told to repent.
- C. be cast into the lake of fire without further delay.
- D. repent reluctantly and be spared from the lake of fire.
53. Great natural disturbances will
- A. destroy only a *few* of the world's remaining large buildings.
- B. have no effect on world commerce.
- C. cause the inhabitants of the "GREAT CITY"—"Babylon"—to learn *at once* to FEAR God and turn to Him.
- D. completely level the cities of this earth.
54. After Christ makes Jerusalem the capital of the world, people will
- A. be prohibited from coming to it.
- B. not be interested in going there.
- C. go up to it and say "teach us His way."
- D. go up to it and say "we want no more of Your law."
55. The nation which Christ will establish as a model for the earth will be composed of
- A. the Jews only.
- B. Gentiles.
- C. Russians.
- D. the regathered remnant of the modern-day *descendants* of ancient Israel.
56. The way to know what the nations around us will do in the times just ahead is to
- A. find the name of the Biblical ancestors of modern nations and then check what Bible prophecy says they will do.
- B. heed what the leaders of the nations say they are going to do.
- C. listen to the news commentators.
- D. read all the pamphlets you can find on what the various religious denominations think the nations are going to do.
57. In prophecy, the names "Gog and Magog," "Meshech" and "Tubal" refer to the area of
- A. Germany and her allies.
- B. the nation called Israel today.
- C. Turkey, including Armenia and the Caucasus.
- D. Russia, Central Asia, Mongolia, etc.
58. Russia will
- A. soon be defeated by the United States and Great Britain, and therefore will not be in any shape to fight Christ.
- B. never be defeated by Christ.
- C. be the last world power to be defeated by Christ's armies.
- D. soon cease to exist as a world power because of internal revolution.
59. The final attack of Russia and her allies will
- A. probably come against the United States and Canada by air over the North Pole.
- B. be inspired by a desire to seize the wealth of the restored and prosperous nation of Israel, in Palestine, which will be ruled by Christ.
- C. cause great hardship in the area of Palestine.
- D. result in confirming all *atheists* in their belief that there is no God.
60. Satan is
- A. a myth.
- B. the present, but temporary, "god" of this world by the permission of the true God.
- C. not inspiring any of this world's rulers.
- D. to continue ruling this earth after Christ returns.

Lesson 8

"THIS IS GOD SPEAKING...!"



Wide World Photo

61. What is God, in essence, saying to this desperately wicked world?
- A. "Earth-shaking, imagination-defying catastrophes of nature are coming because

- of your sins, but escape is possible through divine protection.”
- B. “I find all mankind to be my good and faithful servants.”
- C. “Organize movements for world brotherhood and you will prevent annihilation of human life from the earth.”
- D. It is ridiculous to think that God is speaking to modern-day nations.
62. How is God speaking to you personally?
- A. God is not speaking to you personally today.
- B. Through His inspired Word—the Bible—and through increasingly severe disruptions of nature.
- C. Through the statesmen of your government.
- D. Through the philosophy and poetry of great men like Emerson.
63. Is God fair—is He a God of love?
- A. He is fair and loving whenever He doesn’t punish us.
- B. The Bible does not tell us.
- C. No, He is a God of wrath.
- D. Of course, because He is a loving Father who corrects His children whenever they go astray.
64. God *began* to foretell the cataclysmic disruptions to befall our present generation
- A. before the time of Noah.
- B. during the time of Moses.
- C. during the time of Jesus Christ.
- D. just before the very end-time.
65. The people of Sodom
- A. are not a *warning* reminder for us today.
- B. were basically good people who didn’t know better than to continue in their sins.
- C. were practicing evil just as this world is today.
- D. were spared destruction for their sins.
66. Which *one* of these classes heeded God’s warnings?
- A. Only the few who have feared and respected God’s authority down through the ages.
- B. The vast majority in Noah’s day.
- C. The overwhelming majority of the inhabitants of Sodom and Gomorrah.
- D. All who ever heard the truth.
67. Which method did God use to warn the Egyptians?
- A. God gave no warning, but immediately sent devastating plagues.
- B. God first spoke His warning through His chosen ministers of that day.
- C. God used the pagan Egyptian priests to warn Pharaoh.
- D. God told the Jews, who thought they were called to be preachers, to warn the Egyptians.
68. How must God loosen man from bondage to his wicked human nature so that he may be freed to seek God?
- A. God will be forced to pour out fierce plagues upon rebellious and stubborn mankind just as He did to free ancient Israel from enslaving Pharaoh.
- B. God will be able to do so by using moderate means with everyone.
- C. God must use gentle means with everyone.
- D. God will not interfere in human affairs today, or in the future.
69. What does “to know the Lord” signify?
- A. To join a church denomination.
- B. To shed tears in an evangelistic meeting.
- C. To believe the Father sent Christ to abolish His Law.
- D. To recognize and act on the fact that God is Creator, Sustainer, Law-giver and Ruler.
70. Why will God severely *punish* the nations today?
- A. Because God has pleasure in seeing humans suffer.
- B. Because that is the only way they will turn to God and learn the right way to live.
- C. Because He wants to destroy human lives.
- D. Because the people are keeping God’s Law.
71. Which *one* of these four statements is *true*?
- A. The white horse of Revelation 6 pictures Jesus Christ.
- B. The pale horse of Revelation 6 pictures great floods of water overflowing the earth.
- C. The black horse of Revelation 6 pictures the curse of atheistic communism.

- D.** The red horse of Revelation 6 pictures increasing warfare.
- 72.** Which *one* of these four statements is *true*?
- A.** One fourth of mankind will die in the "beginning of sorrows."
B. The United States and Britain will be the only nations to escape famine and disease epidemics.
C. The prophesied darkening of the sun and moon and the occurrence of spectacular meteor showers have already happened in the 19th century.
D. Earthquakes are gradually diminishing in frequency and intensity.
- 73.** Which *one* of these four statements is *false*?
- A.** God will temporarily withhold the trumpet plagues until the 144,000 are "sealed."
B. Having the "seal"—the Holy Spirit—in their foreheads will protect the 144,000 from further plagues.
C. The 144,000 includes *all* of the "first-fruits" who have ever turned to God before the Millennium begins.
D. In addition to the 144,000, a great innumerable multitude will repent and be sealed when God shakes the very heavens.
- 74.** Between which great world powers will the terrible "east-west" war soon be fought?
- A.** Communist Russia and the United States of America.
B. Fascist (Nazi) Europe and Communist Russia.
C. The United States of America and Fascist (Nazi) Europe.
D. Great Britain and Egypt.
- 75.** What do the "locusts" of Revelation 9 symbolize?
- A.** Modern Fascist Europe's weapons of warfare which will have power to torment men.
B. Huge hordes of insects.
C. Massive armies of foot soldiers.
D. Weapons for naval warfare.
- 76.** Who will escape the horrifying plagues just ahead?
- A.** Those who are able to flee from the centers of population.
B. Those who obey God and have received the "seal" of God's Holy Spirit.
C. Those who become the allies of Fascist Europe.
D. Those who quickly become the allies of Communist Russia.
- 77.** Which *one* of these four statements is *false*? Immediately following the great "East-West" war, those unwilling to repent
- A.** will be spared from suffering God's painful plagues.
B. will suffer painful sores.
C. will suffer from polluted, bloody waters and subsequent parching thirst.
D. will suffer the scorching heat of the sun as the earth careens in orbit.
- 78.** After the earth's orbit-shaking disruption, what will rebellious, unrepentant mankind do?
- A.** Turn joyously to God and His rule.
B. Meekly accept Christ as their Ruler.
C. Turn in a frenzy of hatred to fight against their Creator.
D. It is not revealed in the Bible.
- 79.** Which *one* of these four statements is *false*?
- A.** A gigantic worldwide earthquake is to occur in the near future.
B. Tremendous volcanic eruptions will darken the sky causing men to fear further disruptions.
C. Hailstones weighing 130 pounds will pummel the earth with utter destruction!
D. Stubborn, unrepentant mankind will finally turn to God after the great hail.
- 80.** Does it "pay" to "give in"—surrender—to God and His ways quickly?
- A.** No, because you will have to forfeit your self-respect.
B. No, because God can't respect someone who gives up and surrenders to Him easily.
C. The swiftness with which you turn to God and His ways will determine how many of these terrible events you will be

spared from—nothing is gained by stubborn hesitation!

- D. No, because the more stubborn you are, the more merciful God will be to you.

Now That You've Finished . . .

You are now ready to correct your own test. All you need to do is compare *your answers* with the correct answers listed at the bottom of page 16. After you have done this, simply count the number of questions you missed. Your grade will be next to that number in one of the columns of the grading section located on the same page.

REMEMBER. You are to grade *yourself*. There is absolutely NOTHING to send back to us.

Be sure to KEEP this test and review the questions occasionally. Why? Because reviewing will impress the true answers more firmly upon your mind. And reviewing the false answers will help you realize more clearly some of the *false* ideas which you may have taken for granted. You will thereby grasp and retain the *truth* more readily as it is revealed to you in the Bible through future lessons.

RELATED STUDY HELPS

Be sure to request your copy of the free booklets and reprinted articles listed below, if you do not already have them. They will help you further understand the subjects covered in Lessons 5, 6, 7 and 8.

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The Mystery of MELCHIZEDEK Solved!

LESSON 6:

The "SECRET RAPTURE"— Fact or Fiction?
Italics in the Bible
When Was the Bible Divided into
Chapters and Verses?

LESSON 7:

Will Russia Attack America?

LESSON 8:

VOLCANIC DISASTER — A Prophetic
Reality
The Truth About EARTHQUAKES

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— Man, Carencro, Louisiana

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"I would like to thank you for making the Correspondence Course a completely tuition-free course. One could almost expect it to be free if it was a cheap and rather ridiculously made Bible test. But it is the most interesting and thoughtfully constructed course I have ever seen. Since I started taking the Course, I have learned more than I ever could have learned without its help. Enclosed is my tithe. I am very grateful that the Correspondence Course is free, because if it had a price I am sure that I could not afford it."

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Not Man's Ideas

"Never, before I started studying under you, did I have the scriptures explained to me as clearly as you explain them. There always seemed to be a question unanswered, which gave me the feeling that it was just another person's idea, instead of being the actual truth. Having the privilege of studying the Bible under you and your staff is the greatest blessing I have received in my lifetime."

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Minister Confesses

"I thought I knew the Bible pretty well, at least that is what many people told me. I was called 'the walking Bible.' I preached on street corners for over 20 years, and now I find out I don't know my Bible at all. Yes, I can quote whole chapters correctly. I know the books of the Bible forwards and backwards — the same with the Ten Commandments — but to say that I knew or understood the meanings of all these would be false. I am beginning to learn that I don't know them at all. Since I have begun

to study your Correspondence Course, I am beginning to see that where I belong is in the kindergarten class.”

— Minister, Escondido, California

• *Hundreds of other ministers enrolled in our Course have faced this same stark realization!*

Bible Becomes Lucid!

“The Correspondence Course is fascinating, but I have one problem. When I look up a passage in the Bible, I often keep right on reading for several pages before I can tear myself away and get back to answering the question! The whole Bible is becoming so lucid I am amazed that it was once so hard to understand. When I finish a lesson, I am lost while I wait for the next one to arrive.”

— Woman, Troy, Missouri

• *Why not review and dig deeper into past lessons in the meantime?*

Impressed by C.C. Student

“During a recent conversation at work, I was surprised to hear a man, who is one of your students, explain with such ease and efficiency, a lot of things which I could never really understand about the Bible. When I asked him how he ever came to possess such an understanding, he referred me to your Correspondence Course. I would also like very much to become one of your students. Therefore, I am asking

you to please send me your PLAIN TRUTH magazine and the Correspondence Course.”

— Man, New York City

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“What amazes me is that you ask the questions and tell us which scriptures to read and then the Bible itself explains it. I’ve heard you say many times on your radio broadcasts, ‘Let the Bible interpret itself.’ It really can and does, if people would only give it a chance. Thank you so much for letting me be a part of this wonderful Course.”

— Mrs. P.L., Youngstown, Ohio

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“Your Correspondence Course, where everything is so well-studied in advance, is very clear and exact. It helps straighten us out in the right way of life. I thank God daily for opening our eyes by His chosen servants.”

— Student, Lyon, France

God Becomes REAL!

“I am not one for making flowery speeches, but I have to say that the Ambassador College Correspondence Course has changed my life completely. It made me realize that God is real! The truth about Bible knowledge that you pass on to others makes me feel that you are a modern-day apostle.”

— N.H., Seattle, Washington

an open letter from

THE STAFF

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the windows of heaven and poured out a rich spiritual blessing upon you, revealing HIS TRUTH and the beginning knowledge of the great purpose of human life—including YOUR life—to you?

How thankful — how filled with gratitude and thanksgiving — are you?

Only you can answer that question. Be honest with yourself. And take time to pause, and GIVE GOD THANKS for His wonderful mercy!

With your *own* eyes, you have PROVED to yourself, with the help of these lessons, that the Bible is *not* the great book of MISinformation which the ministers of the world have led many of you to believe it was. You are now beginning to realize that this book — the Holy Bible — has a DEFINITE MESSAGE to tell you. And that it clearly explains that message in all its detail! God has inspired His own true ministers to PUT

THE SCRIPTURES TOGETHER so that you may check and PROVE what His Word really teaches. *The ministers of this world are not using this method to teach the Bible!*

Indeed you have set out upon the highway of LIBERTY! This WAY is going to bring to you all the good things you have ever desired — and *more!*

Thousands of others, like yourself, are NOW CANDIDATES for the glorious Family of God. They come from all walks of life. Here are just a *few* excerpts from the thousands of letters we have received, which we especially want to share with you.

A student in New York writes: “I wish to inform you that in my opinion the Ambassador College Correspondence Course is the *most informative* and *concise* course I have ever come in contact with. Wonderful, REVEALING, true, and eye-opening is this course. I study it with all earnestness with God as my overseer. My prayers are for God’s blessing and guidance in your endeavors.”

This man is overjoyed that he can grow in

grace and knowledge, with assurance that he is following the *right* way.

From Illinois: "I am **THRILLED** beyond words with my Ambassador College Correspondence Course. Just the two lessons have made the reading much easier. My trouble isn't in finding time to study. I have trouble finding a place to stop. Hours slip by before I realize it. I am indeed thankful that I have the privilege of taking these lessons."

Here is a woman who will let *nothing* hinder her from her goal — the acquiring of the true knowledge of the Bible and the way to eternal life.

From Missouri this letter: "I received your Correspondence Course and I like it very much. It is the **BEST** I've ever seen. There is much more I could say about it, but words are so cheap. You will find a small offering to help a little, so that *someone else may benefit* by the reading of the truth."

Yes, thousands of others, like this enthusiastic person, have also volunteered to actively help in carrying out God's commission for this age.

One of our students in Louisiana writes: "Yes, I am noticing the increasingly common occurrence of drought, dust storms, floods, and earthquakes. I see the Bible *does* write tomorrow's newspaper headlines far in advance! I see that the *time is short for getting God's warning message to this sin-sick world*. And we must **WORK HARDER** and put our *whole hearts into God's Work more than ever!*"

Finally, from Arizona comes this enthusiastic student's letter: "I have received my first Correspondence Course Lesson, for which I am thankful. I have looked many years — *bought* many courses of study but with little satisfaction. The Ambassador College Correspondence Course is my **ANSWER**. *I thank God!*"

Finding the place where one can be taught God's true knowledge is like finding a **GOLD MINE!**

The people, whose letters we have just quoted, are *digging* at the mine of God's Word. They will **BE PREPARED!** Will *you?* Of course, **YOU MUST STUDY**. But it isn't difficult. You see, from their letters, how many others are progressing — so **CAN YOU!** And do you know that the majority of our Correspondence Course students score *high grades* on their tests? *It's that EASY!*

God — "the Sower" — has sown His "Word," a beginning knowledge of the Bible, in *your* mind (Mark 4:14). Don't let the **CARES** of this world, or disinterest, choke out this golden opportunity you now have. (Verse 19.) Budget your time and energy — **TAKE TIME** for *your Bible study every day*. **Redeem** the time. Don't let TV, the movies, or other worldly interests distract you from spending vital time with this intriguing course of study.

You have *already* put your "hand to the plow" to *attain the knowledge* of how you may enter the Kingdom of God! God warns, "No man, having put his hand to the plow, *and looking back*, is fit for the Kingdom of God" (Luke 9:62). **YOU CAN MISS OUT ON EVERYTHING!** The choice is yours — so, choose to **CONTINUE** your study with the Ambassador College Correspondence Course. Set your will. *Do not let ANYTHING stand in the way!*

Your next four lessons will reveal the astounding **PROOF** of God's *existence* and the *veracity* of His inspired Word. The amazing, *irrefutable facts* from the Bible itself, from secular history, archaeology and geology — and even the immutable laws of science — are laid out for you step by step, and in simple terms, so even a child can understand. You'll be utterly amazed at the marvelous truths these astounding lessons will reveal to you in the Bible.

Important!

When you have finished taking the test, compare your answers with the correct answers below. Then grade yourself.

CORRECT ANSWERS FOR TEST TWO

1-C	10-B	19-A	28-B	37-C	46-C	55-D	64-A	73-C
2-B	11-A	20-A	29-B	38-C	47-B	56-A	65-C	74-B
3-D	12-B	21-C	30-A	39-A	48-A	57-D	66-A	75-A
4-C	13-D	22-B	31-A	40-A	49-D	58-C	67-B	76-B
5-B	14-A	23-D	32-C	41-D	50-B	59-B	68-A	77-A
6-A	15-D	24-A	33-D	42-C	51-B	60-B	69-D	78-C
7-D	16-B	25-C	34-D	43-B	52-C	61-A	70-B	79-D
8-C	17-B	26-A	35-C	44-A	53-D	62-B	71-D	80-C
9-B	18-C	27-C	36-A	45-D	54-C	63-D	72-A	

YOUR GRADE

Questions Missed	Your Grade	Questions Missed	Your Grade
1	99	13	84
2	97	14	82
3	96	15	81
4	95	16	80
5	94	17	78
6	92	18	77
7	91	19	76
8	90	20	75
9	89	21	73
10	87	22	72
11	86	23	71
12	85	24	70