1. The Old Testament abounds with promises and ______ PROPHECIES in which the kingdom of God and its ___KING (Messiah) figure as the very center. The hope of every Israelite was that God would exalt their _______NATION under Messiah.

2. The announcement with which ____JOHN the Baptist opened his mission was “Repent ye; for the _______KINGDOM of heaven is at hand.” (Matthew 3:2) Our Lord commenced his ministry with the same __________ANNOUNCEMENT. (Matthew 4:17) The _______APOSTLES were sent forth to preach the same message. (Matthew 10:7; Luke 9:2) The main topic of our Lord's ministry was the ________KINGDOM. (Luke 8:1; 4:43; 19:11) The purpose of the majority of our Lord's parables was to illustrate the ________KINGDOM and to point out entire _______CONSECRATION to God as essential to a share in the kingdom.

3. The faithful _______FOLLOWERS of our Lord will judge the 12 tribes of Israel. (Luke 22:29) The little flock is promised the ________KINGDOM. (Luke 12:32) The disciples were sorely disappointed when our Lord was _______CRUCIFIED. Jesus pointed out to the two disciples on the way to Emmaus that his ______SACRIFICE was needful before the kingdom could be ______ESTABLISHED.

4. God could have given Jesus the dominion of earth without redeeming ____MAN. (Dan. 4:32) The blessings under such an arrangement would have been temporary since man was under condemnation to _____DEATH. To make the blessings complete, it was necessary to ___RANSOM mankind from death.

5. Jesus revived the hope of the disciples of a coming _______KINGDOM. It was not then time for the disciples to know the times and seasons regarding the _______KINGDOM. (Acts 1:6,7)

6. The two phases of the kingdom of God are __HEAVENLY and _______EARTHLY. Jesus taught his disciples to ____PRAY for the kingdom.

7. To the worldly-wise among the Jews, our Lord seemed an ________IMPOSTER. They considered his disciples to be mere _____DUPES. Our Lord's followers, for the most part, were from the humbler walks of _______LIFE. The worldly-wise did not understand the teachings of _______JESUS regarding the establishment of the _______KINGDOM.

8. The _______PHARISEES demanded: “When will this kingdom make its appearance?”. (Luke 17:20-31) The spiritual phase of the kingdom, to which Jesus invited his followers to joint-heirship, is an invisible _______KINGDOM. The one hope of our high calling is ______HEIRSHIP in the spiritual phase of the kingdom.

9. Nicodemus probably came to Jesus by night because of the adverse public sentiment, especially among the _______PHARISEES. (John 3)

10. The object of Nicodemus' visit was to inquire of what sort and when is this kingdom proclaimed by _______JESUS.

11. A man has to be begotten of the spirit before he can be acquainted with the _______KINGDOM of God. It is necessary to translate the _______GREEK word gennao, by either begotten or born, according to the sense of the passage in which it occurs.
12. Is more light given without obedience? NO
13. NICODEMUS endeavored to understand the statements by Jesus regarding being begotten from above.
14. Jesus explained to Nicodemus that the nation of Israel was baptized into MOSES in the sea and in the cloud when they left EGYPT. Many in Israel had forgotten their covenant and were openly living as publicans and SINNERS. The keynote of John's preaching, as well as that of the disciples of Jesus was REPENTANCE. In addition to the reformation symbolized by John's BAPTISM, it was necessary to first be begotten of the spirit, and if faithful, be born of the spirit, before becoming a part of the spiritual KINGDOM.
15. That which is born of the flesh is FLESH. That which is born of the spirit is SPIRIT. We cannot see the wind, but we can see the EFFECTS of the wind. A human being cannot SEE one who has been born of the spirit.
16. NICODEMUS had difficulty understanding the subject of invisible beings.
17. Nicodemus should have realized that spirit beings can be present, yet INVISIBLE.
18. More light is given when one follows the light step by STEP. If one doesn't believe earthly things, can he understand heavenly things? NO
A knowledge of the heavenly things can be understood after the begetting of the SPIRIT. The heavenly things themselves can be received when one is born of the SPIRIT.
19. For SEVEN years Israel was exclusively offered to share Messiah's kingdom. The offer of joint-heirship with Christ was then extended to the GENTILES.
20. Have serious errors regarding the kingdom been introduced into the nominal Christian church? YES Will God's will eventually be done on earth in God's promises. (James 2:5) Is it difficult for those who now faithfully suffer with Christ to be REIGN with him. (2 Timothy 2:12)
21. Those who accept Christ now render him grateful and voluntary OBEDIENCE. The prince of this world (Satan) supports a kingdom of DARKNESS. Only a few have FAITH in God's promises.
22. Christ's kingdom will eventually be “from sea to SEA, and from the river unto the ends of the EARTH” and all NATIONS will serve and obey him. (Psalm 72:8; Daniel 7:27; Phil. 2:10)
23. Is the establishment of the kingdom located at the time of the return of Christ? (Luke 19:11-15) YES Those faithful unto death will receive the crown of LIFE. (Revelation 2:10)
24. Does the kingdom of heaven now suffer violence at the hands of the world? YES At the first advent King Jesus was CRUCIFIED. Those who follow in the footsteps of Jesus experience PERSECUTION. Those who now faithfully suffer with Christ shall REIGN with him. (2 Timothy 2:12)
25. The heavenly Father has chosen the poor and despised to be HEIRS of the kingdom which he has promised. (James 2:5) Is it difficult for those with riches to enter into the kingdom of God? YES The apostle PETER exhorted the brethren to give diligence to make their calling and ELECTION sure. (2 Peter 1:10, 11)
26. The privileges of the kingdom, both now and in the future, consist of much greater blessings than liberty as to FOOD. (Romans 14:14-17)
27. Are the kingdom promises real? YES
28. Those who are more than overcomers will be given power over the NATIONS.
29. One may gain the kingdom honors by death in the SERVICE.
30. There were some in the early church who developed PRIDE. (1 Cor. 4:10-17) Present suffering and self-denial are the narrow path to glory, HONOR, immortality and joint-heirship in the KINGDOM. (2 Timothy 4:8)
31. Was it the mission of the church to conquer the world before our Lord's second advent? NO For centuries PAPACY crowned and uncrowned the kings of Europe.
32. Are many of the nominal members of the church full and rich? (Revelation 3:17, 18) YES Are these in the line of preparation for sharing in the kingdom which is set up at the second advent? NO
33. Jesus and the apostles taught that there can be no kingdom until the KING comes. (Revelation 3:21; 20:6; 2 Timothy 2:12)
34. When fully set up, the kingdom of God will consist of two parts—HEAVENLY and EARTHLY. Will the spiritual phase always be invisible to men? (John 1:18) YES Will the presence of the spiritual phase be mightily manifested, chiefly through its human representatives? YES
35. The overcoming  ____SAINTS__ of the Gospel age (Head and body members) will constitute the spiritual phase of the kingdom. The Christ will be exalted to the  ____DIVINE__ nature. (2 Peter 1:4; Revelation 20:6) The  ____SAINTS__ will judge the world. (1 Corinthians 6:2) Can the ancient worthies from Abel down to and including John the Baptist be resurrected until all the saints are first resurrected? (Heb. 11:39, 40) __NO__ Will the world in general be gradually raised to perfection? __YES__ Will men be able to see and mingle with the princes in the earthly phase of the kingdom? __YES__

36. Will the ancient worthies experience an instantaneous resurrection to perfection as men? (Heb. 11:35; Psalm 45:16) __YES__ Will the world in general be gradually raised to perfection? __YES__ Will men be able to see and mingle with the princes in the earthly phase of the kingdom? __YES__

37. In the course of time (after the earthly phase of the kingdom begins its operation) all mankind will be awakened from the sleep of  ____DEATH_. (John 5:28, 29) The  ____OBEIDENT__ will then be restored to perfection. Will the ancient worthies do a noble work of elevating the race by sure and steady steps? __YES__

38. To gain a place in the earthly phase of the  ____KINGDOM__ of God will be the gratification of every ambition of the perfect human heart. At the end of the thousand years, the great work of  ____RESTITUTION__ will have been accomplished. Those who refuse to obey will be  ____DESTROYED_. (Acts 3:23) Will the work of the ancient worthies always be remembered by their fellow-men? (Psalm 112:6) __YES__

39. The Christ (Head and body members) will shine as the brightness of the  ____FIRMAMENT_. (Daniel 12:3; Matthew 13:43; Malachi 4:2)

40. God promised  ____ABRAHAM_: “In thee and in thy seed shall all the families of the earth be blessed.” (Gen. 22:18) The sand upon the seashore pictured the  ____EARTHLY__ class and the stars of  ____HEAVEN__ pictured the heavenly class. The apostles were selected from the nation of  ____ISRAEL__.

41. The Gentiles have been invited to become a part of the spiritual seed of Abraham because of the unbelief of natural  ____ISRAEL___. (Rom. 11:17-20) Will the spiritual class be installed in office ahead of the earthly class? (Matthew 19:30) __YES__

42. Must the promise to Abraham regarding the land be yet fulfilled? (Gen. 13:14-17) __YES__

43. The Christ (Head and body members) must be complete before the earthly promises can be  ____FULFILLED_. (Heb. 11:13, 39, 40) It is necessary to give up the human nature in  ____SACRIFICE__ in order to be a part of the spiritual seed of  ____ABRAHAM___. (Rom. 12:1; Gal. 3:29)

44. Will Jerusalem eventually be a praise in the whole earth? __YES__ The nation of  ____ISRAEL__ will be the first to come into harmony with the new order of things? (Isa. 1:26; Jer. 30:18) Will Israel's training under the law be of advantage? __YES__

45. Since Israel's national rejection, under the heavenly  ____hight calling__, is there any difference between Jew and Gentile? __NO__

46. Are there some in Israel who have faith in the long unfulfilled promises? __YES__

47. Jerusalem will be the city of the great  ____KING_. (Matt. 5:35) God's kingdom is symbolized by the new  ____JERUSALEM_. (Rev. 21:2) The spiritual phase of the  ____KINGDOM__ is gradually set up while the present empires are being consumed. (Dan. 2:44) The heavenly government is established upon the sure rock foundation of the  ____RIGHTEOUSNESS__ of Christ. (1 Cor. 3:11)

48. Will blessings result to all who enter the glorious City of Peace? __YES__ After the earthly phase of the kingdom begins its operation, the people may walk up to perfection and full harmony with God on the  ____HIGHWAY__ of holiness. (Isa. 35:8)

49. Mankind will be admitted into membership in the kingdom of God when they reach perfection by the close of the  ____MILLENNIAL__ age. Will any who would work deceit and unrighteousness become identified with that kingdom? (Rev. 21:24-26) __NO__

50. Many prophecies use  ____JERUSALEM__ to refer to the kingdom of God to be established in great splendor.

51. The prophets speak in glowing terms concerning the future glory of the  ____EARTHLY__ phase of the kingdom as represented in Jerusalem. (Isaiah 52:9; 65:18; 66:10-12; Jeremiah 3:17) Zion refers to the  ____SPIRITUAL__ phase of the kingdom and Jerusalem refers to the  ____EARTHLY__ phase of the kingdom. (Isaiah 2:3)

52. In one aspect Israel is typical of the whole world of  ____MANKIND___. Israel's Law covenant is typical of the  ____NEW__ covenant.
53. The blood of atonement under Israel's covenant typified the blood of the ___NEW covenant. Israel's priesthood typified the ______CHRIST. The blessings will come to every _____. NO
54. The nation of ______ISRAEL will be a firstfruit among the nations. All the families of the earth will be eventually _______BLESSED. (Romans 2:6, 10, 11)
55. Israel as a people did not obtain the chief place in the divine favor and service because of pride and _______HARDNESS of heart and unbelief. Do most of the Gentiles also fail to obtain the heavenly prize? ___YES Only a little flock will make up the body of ______CHRIST. (Luke 12:32)
56. Have some from natural Israel (natural branches) been grafted in again into the good olive tree? (Romans 11:23, 24) ___YES
57. Will God's gifts, callings, covenants, and promises be turned aside unfulfilled? ____NO (Romans 11:29) Israel will be used by the Christ, after the earthly phase of the kingdom begins its operation, as the agency in blessing the ___WORLD. At the first advent, natural _______ISRAEL was given the first offer of the spiritual favors. The glorious Deliverer (Head and body) will turn away ungodliness from _______JACOB. (Romans 11:26)
58. Blindness in some measure has happened to _______ISRAEL until the little flock (selected from both Jews and Gentiles) is complete. (Rom. 11:25-33) In due time, the _______DELIVERER shall turn away ungodliness from Jacob.
59. “He who hath clean hands and a pure heart” shall ascend into the _______KINGDOM of God. (Psalm 24:3, 4)
60. The two parts of Jerusalem symbolized the one kingdom of God with its ___TWO phases.
61. Those invited to become members of the Royal Priesthood are exhorted to _______PURITY. One who has the hope of joint-heirship with Christ must _______PURIFY himself. (1 John 3:3) Christ's imputed purity compensates for our unavoidable _______WEAKNESSES. (Romans 8:1,4)
62. Entire _______CONSECRATION to God is essential to all those who would enter into either phase of the kingdom of God. The overcomers of the Millennial age must strive for purity of heart and ____LIFE.
63. Will everyone be pleased at the time Christ opens the highway of holiness? ____NO Will liberty to deceive, misrepresent, to overreach and defraud then be entirely cut off? ____YES After the earthly phase of the kingdom begins it operation, nothing will be allowed to injure and _______DESTROY. (Isa. 11:9) Will Christ rule with a rod of iron (that is, with firmness)? ____YES (Rev. 2:26, 27; Psa. 2:8-12) Will every hidden thing be revealed? (Isaiah 28:17; Matthew 10:26) ___YES
64. A present life of self-indulgence and gratification will require _______STRIPES when the earthly phase of the kingdom begins its operation. (Luke 12:47, 48; Psalm 89:32) Will the living generation receive this lesson first? (James 5:1-6) ___YES
65. Is sin a reproach to any people? ___YES (Psalm 11:7) Does Jesus hate iniquity? ___YES (Hebrews 1:9) The disobedient who refuse to accept and obey Jesus will be cut off from among the people in the ______SECOND death? (Acts 3:23)
66. The Almighty Creator will establish his kingdom in the hands of ______CHALD during the Millennium. Christ will reign until he has put all _______ENEMIES under his feet. (1 Cor. 15:25) At the end of the thousand year reign of Christ, the _______KINGDOM will be turned over to the heavenly Father. (1 Corinthians 15:24, 28)
67. When the kingdom is delivered up to the heavenly Father, men will be capable of rendering perfect _______OBEEDIENCE.
68. Until actually _______PERFECT, it is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God. (Heb. 10:31) Restored mankind will be in perfect _______HARMONY with the heavenly Father at the time the kingdom is delivered up to him. (1 Cor. 15:24)
69. When Christ, at the end of the Millennial age, delivers up the kingdom to the Father, he does so by delivering it to _______MANKIND as the Father's representatives. (1 Corinthians 15:24; Matthew 25:34) Will the kingdom of God last forever? ______YES
70. Will the Christ, Head and body members, have a higher kingdom and honor than that of the world of mankind? ____YES No doubt, wondrous works in other ______WORLDS await the highly exalted agent (the Christ) of the heavenly Father.
71. The desire of all _______NATIONS is the kingdom of peace. (Haggai 2:7) Should we continue to pray for the incoming kingdom? ____YES The groaning creation is ignorantly waiting for the manifestation of the ___SONS of God. (Rom. 8:19; 16:20)