

Quiz: Lecture 8 – The Messenger’s Testimony (Part 2 of 2)

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Instructions: Choose the best answer for each question based on the lecture notes.

1. According to Hebrews 4:12, the Word of God is compared to:

- A) A gentle suggestion
- B) A two-edged sword that is quick, powerful, and discerns the thoughts and intents of the heart
- C) A book of rules that is hard to understand
- D) A weapon that only works on believers

2. When witnessing to someone who says they do not believe the Bible, the lecture says you should:

- A) Stop using the Bible immediately
- B) Continue using the Word of God because it is powerful — a soldier does not throw down his sword just because the enemy doesn’t believe in it
- C) Switch to philosophy and human wisdom
- D) Only use personal stories

3. The lecture warns against “chasing rabbits” while witnessing. This means:

- A) Getting sidetracked into long philosophical discussions that do not lead to salvation
- B) Talking only about animals
- C) Running away from hard questions
- D) Using only one verse no matter what

4. According to 2 Corinthians 11:3, Paul feared that minds would be corrupted from:

- A) The simplicity that is in Christ
- B) Deep theological debates
- C) Church traditions
- D) Personal opinions

5. Colossians 2:8 warns believers to beware lest anyone spoil them through:

- A) Philosophy and vain deceit, after the tradition of men
- B) Too much Bible memorization
- C) Simple gospel presentations
- D) Loving other Christians

6. The lecture gives several reasons why Bible study is important for a soul winner. Which of the following is NOT one of them?

- A) It is God's command (2 Tim. 2:15)
- B) It brings faith (Rom. 10:17)
- C) It is the best way to earn more money
- D) It is a defensive weapon against Satan (Eph. 6:17)

7. One of the practical tips for successful Bible study is to:

- A) Compare Scripture with Scripture and analyze who wrote it, to whom, and the context
- B) Only read the New Testament
- C) Skip difficult passages
- D) Memorize only the shortest verses

8. According to the notes, love for the Lord must be:

- A) Forced in order to be real
- B) Voluntary — real love cannot be manipulated like a puppet
- C) Based only on feelings
- D) Something we earn by good works

9. The lecture explains that we love God because:

- A) We are better than other people
- B) He first loved us (1 John 4:19)
- C) We have done many good deeds
- D) We attend church regularly

10. The overall emphasis of this lecture is that a effective soul winner must combine:

- A) A good testimony, knowledge of the Word, simplicity in the gospel, and a heart motivated by love for the Lord
- B) Only a loud voice and long sermons
- C) Human wisdom and entertainment
- D) Strict rules and criticism of others

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Answer Key:

1. B – “The Word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword...” (Heb. 4:12).
2. B – Continue using the Bible — God’s Word is powerful even if the person says they don’t believe it.
3. A – Avoid getting sidetracked into unprofitable philosophical discussions that take away from the simple gospel.
4. A – “...lest... your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ” (2 Cor. 11:3).
5. A – “Beware lest any man spoil you through philosophy and vain deceit, after the tradition of men...” (Col. 2:8).

6. C – Bible study is commanded, brings faith, edifies, guides, and is a weapon against Satan — earning money is not listed as a reason.

7. A – Compare Scripture with Scripture, analyze the author, audience, context, what it does and does not say, etc.

8. B – Love must be voluntary; God did not make us puppets.

9. B – “We love Him, because He first loved us” (1 John 4:19).

10. A – A strong testimony, the power of God’s Word, keeping the gospel simple, and serving out of voluntary love for Christ.

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