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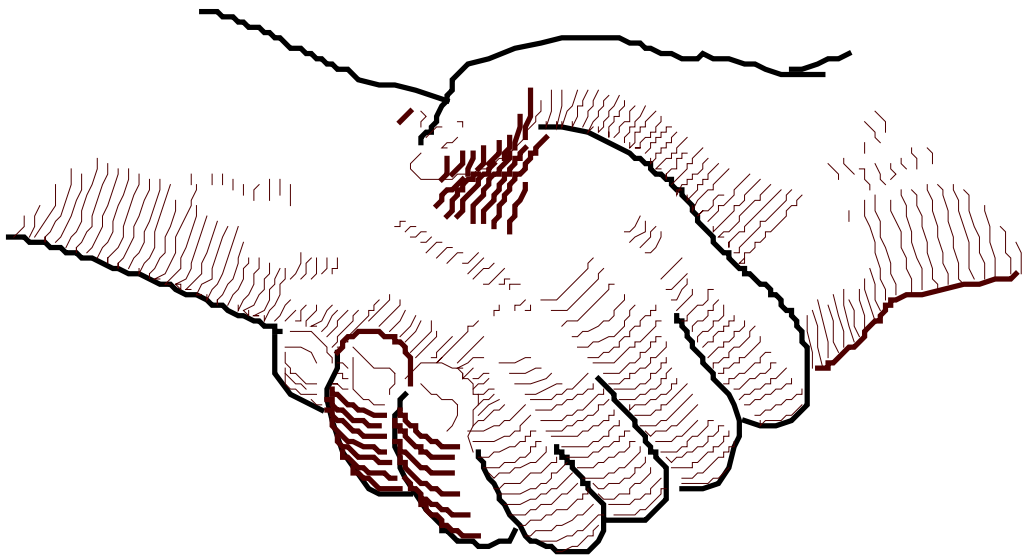
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Student's study and assessment requirements

Assessment for this study covers two areas. One is the multiple choice questions and the second part is a written section. Both parts need to be completed for full assessment.

The multiple choice questions and the written section must be returned to us for recording all results.

1. Please answer all multiple choice questions on your assessment answer sheet.

- Please mark your assessment answer sheet square with an **X**.
- Select; A, B, C, D or E
- A for True
or
B for False.

Please mark your answer square with an "X".

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2. In the assessment section in this book please write your impressions of each chapter.

- Use key points that you found were beneficial from each chapter.

1. Introduction

Q1/ Jesus does not give people as gifts to the church. (True or False)

Q2/ Jesus has given people as gifts to the church to prepare God's people for works of service. (True or False)

Q3/ The gifts of people are given for the purpose of doing all the work so the body of Christ can sit back and rest. (True or False)

Q4/ The gifts of people are given for the purpose of not equipping the saints for the work of ministry. (True or False)

Q5/ The gifts of people are given for the purpose of edification of the body of Christ. (True or False)

Q6/ The gifts of people are given for the purpose of bringing stability into the body through sound teaching of Scripture. (True or False)

Q7/ The five ministry gifts, also known as ascension gifts are given by God not man. (True or False)

Q8/ The five ministry gifts are to bring the body into a healthy relationship with Christ. (True or False)

Q9/ which of the following are incorrect?

The gifts are given for the purpose of:

- A. Equipping the saints for the work of ministry (v.12)
- B. For the edification of the body of Christ (v.12)
- C. To not bring the body to maturity (v.13)
- D. To bring stability into the body through sound teaching of Scripture. (v.14)
- E. To bring the body into a healthy relationship with Satan (v.15)
- F. To keep body in an un-healthy relationships with each other "every joint supplies" (v.16)

Q10/ The five ministry gifts are to bring growth and cause the body to minister love and care to itself. (True or False)

2. THE CHURCH AS GOD SEES IT

Q11/ The Church in the Bible is a denomination. (True or False)

Q12/ The Church in the Bible is a building. (True or False)

Q13/ The Church in the Bible is a group of people who have been summoned. (True or False)

Q14/ The Greek word 'ekklesia' which simply means "**A Called Out Assembly**".(True or False)

Q15/ Heaven's view of the church is twofold. (True or False)

Q16/ The universal church comprising of all born again believers of all nations and all generations is the only one mentioned in the Bible. (True or False)

Q17/ If question is wrong then the local church must be the only church mentioned in the Bible. (True or False)

Q18/ The Bible refers to the Universal or Local Church which is a "called out" body of people. (True or False)

Q19/ Denominations are chiefly the result of successive rediscoveries of truth since the Reformation. (True or False)

Q20/ God sees the church on earth only in two forms, that is the Universal church and the Local church. (True or False)

Q21/ The only church organisation the Bible recognises is that which functions within the local church. (True or False)

Q22/ The universal Church is not a man made organization. (True or False)

Q23/ Revelation 1: 20 tells us the seven candlesticks represent seven **local** churches. (True or False)

Q24/ Jesus is the only head over all the Church. (True or False)

Q25/ The plan in the Old Testament were for Moses and the elders governed the whole of Israel. (True or False)

3. ASCENSION GIFTS VERSUS ELDERSHIP.

Q26/ Elders are appointed by man (Titus 1: 5-9). (True or False)

Q27/ Eldership is confined to the universal church. (True or False)

Q28/ The Ascension gifts are placed within the local church. (True or False)

Q29/ The Ascension gifts are bestowed by the Lord (Ephesians 4: 11). (True or False)

Q30/ Eldership constitute the government of the local church. (True or False)

Q31/ The Ascension ministry which operates within the local church is equal in government to that of the local eldership (1 Peter 5: 1-4). (True or False)

Q32/ An Elder is not a Pastor - but - a Pastor is an Elder. (True or False)

➤ **In the following exercises please list all Scripture you use in your explanation.**

Exercise One

Explain the differences of the **Elder - Overseer – Shepherd**

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Exercise Two

Explain how should these three functions be fulfilled by one person?

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Exercise Three

From your experience, discuss the value of having a plurality of elders.

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4. THE DIVINE PURPOSE OF THE ASCENSION GIFTS

Q33/ In Ephesians 2: 11-16 the real purpose of the ministry gifts is not spelt out clearly. (True or False)

Q34/ In Ephesians 4: 11-16 the purpose of the ministry gifts is to equip the saints so that they may do the work of the sell cars and land. (True or False)

Q35 In Ephesians 4: 11-16 the purpose of the ministry gifts is to equip the saints or mobilise the church into service. (True or False)

- **In the following exercises please list all Scripture you use in your explanation.**

Exercise Four

Explain your understanding of Exodus 19: 4-6 in relationship to the nation of Israel and the New Testament Church.

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Exercise Five

Explain in your words **“The Church is at the Crossroads”**

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Exercise Six

Explain in your words **“God’s ultimate purpose for the church”**

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Exercise Seven

Explain in your words, **Separation from and Separation unto.**

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5. HOW DOES ONE IDENTIFY THE ASCENSION GIFT?

Q36/ CH Spurgeon said “a person obeys the tap on the shoulder to become preacher”. (True or False)

Q37/ Peter Marshall said “The preacher is conscious of being CALLED”. (True or False)

Q38/ No one can tell another person what the call of God must be like. (True or False)

Q39/ The first sign of the heavenly calling is an intense, all-absorbing desire for the work. (True or False)

Q40/ There must be aptness to teach and some measure of the other qualities needful for the office of a minister. (True or False)

- **In the following exercises please list all Scripture you use in your explanation.**

Exercise Eight

Explain in your words using the four headings below the Assurance of a Call.

Intense desire

Aptness to teach

Proven Results

Acceptance by the Church

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6. THE MINISTRY OR ASCENSION GIFTS.

Q41/ Jesus as the Chief Shepherd was the only one with a "complete" ministry. (True or False)

Q42/ Jesus gave gifted men to the Church such as Apostle, Prophet, Pastor, Teacher and Evangelist. (True or False)

Q43/ An apostle, being "one who is not sent forth" by Christ. (True or False)

Q44/ The Greek for teacher is "didaskalos", meaning 'instructor'. (True or False)

Q45/ The pastor is a shepherd who works for the highest pay. (True or False)

➤ **In the following exercises please list all Scripture you use in your explanation.**

Exercise Ten

Explain in your words how the five ministry gifts can prepare the body of Christ for the work of the ministry. Describe what prepare means.

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7. OTHER GIFTS THAT OPERATE IN THE CHURCH.

Q46/ Every Christian has been saved to serve. (True or False)

Q47/ Every Christian has been called to preaching. (True or False)

Q48/ One or more of the motivational gifts are resident in every believer. (True or False)

Q49/ There are nine gifts of the Spirit mentioned in 1 Corinthians 12: 7-11, and they are only for the leaders. (True or False)

Q50/ There are nine gifts of the Spirit mentioned in 1 Corinthians 12: 7-11, and these may be broken up into three groups. (True or False)

Please write your impressions from section seven.

- Use key points that you found were beneficial from this chapter.

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