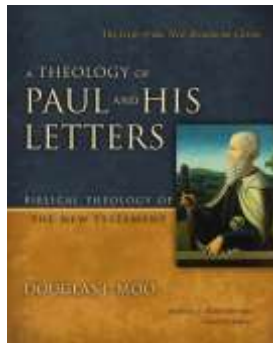


Chapter 11



True/False

1. Onesimus lived in Colossae.
2. Philemon was Onesimus's slave.
3. Paul encouraged Philemon to welcome Onesimus's return.
4. The letter to Philemon provides information about Paul's perspective of Christian fellowship.
5. Paul focused on the social implications of Onesimus's return to Philemon.

Multiple Choice

1. Onesimus was a:
 - a. Jewish teacher.
 - b. student.
 - c. apostle.
 - d. slave.
2. Interpreting this letter is difficult because:
 - a. Paul did not explicitly describe the details of Onesimus's presence in Colossae or why Onesimus left Philemon's house.
 - b. Paul did not tell Philemon to welcome Onesimus home.
 - c. All of the above.
 - d. None of the above.
3. Paul asked that Philemon:
 - a. receive Onesimus as a brother.
 - b. punish Onesimus.
 - c. welcome Onesimus but punish him.
 - d. refuse to welcome Philemon.
4. Paul focused on relationships that:
 - a. followed social constructs.
 - b. would not embarrass him.
 - c. were bound up with Christian love.
 - d. help him earn his release from prison.
5. What reason did the author give for Paul not denouncing slavery in this letter?
 - a. Paul supported slavery.
 - b. Christianity was new and was not in the position to fight a longstanding institution.
 - c. Paul wasn't concerned with slavery.
 - d. Paul was afraid of what might happen.