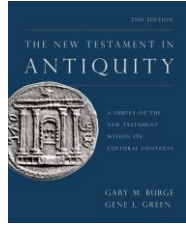


Chapter 3 Quiz



True/False

1. Trade and communication passed between Mesopotamia and Egypt through Israel, making its territory crucial in the ancient world.
2. Most of Jesus's ministry happened in Galilee.
3. The Hasidim were the violent "fourth philosophy of ancient Judaism.
4. The temple was an economic drain on the city of Jerusalem.
5. The synagogue had become the predominant place of worship for Jews after the Babylonian exile.

Fill in the Blank

6. The Jewish group known as the _____ served as secretaries and chroniclers.
7. The festival known as _____ began the Jewish festival cycle and told the story of Israel's exodus from Egypt.
8. The Jewish festival known as _____ concluded the cereal harvest and called on Israel to remember the Mosaic covenant.
9. The Jews used a _____ calendar as the basis for their annual festivals.
10. Select members of the priesthood and leading Pharisees formed a high council known as the _____.

Multiple Choice

11. Which geographic zone is home to the wilderness east of Jerusalem, which served as both a place of refuge and testing for God's people?
 - a. Coastal hills
 - b. Central mountains
 - c. Jordan valley
 - d. Eastern plateau
12. Diaspora Jews were a significant minority in the Roman Empire, making up as much as what percentage of the total population?
 - a. 1%
 - b. 7%
 - c. 24%
 - d. 45%

13. Barabbas, the man released during the trial of Jesus, was most similar to a modern:
 - a. Terrorist
 - b. Shoplifter
 - c. Rioter
 - d. Politician

14. The Sicarii used what method to incite violence and secretly attack their opponents?
 - a. Daggers
 - b. Clubs
 - c. Whips
 - d. Explosives

15. Who was the leader of the Sanhedrin?
 - a. Herod
 - b. The Emperor
 - c. The Roman Prefect
 - d. The high priest

16. Which group lived just north of Jerusalem, claimed a separate heritage, and built their own temple on Mount Gerizim?
 - a. Pharisees
 - b. Saducees
 - c. Samaritans
 - d. Essenes

17. Where in Galilee did Jesus call “home”?
 - a. Chorazin
 - b. Bethsaida
 - c. Sepphoris
 - d. Capernaum

18. What group chastised those who flirted with Hellenism and promoted vigorous adherence to the law?
 - a. Sadducees
 - b. Pharisees
 - c. Essenes
 - d. Samaritans

19. What group consisted of educated elites, landowners, and members of a Jerusalem urban class who had learned to profit from Roman rule?
 - a. Sadducees
 - b. Pharisees
 - c. Essenes
 - d. Samaritans

20. What group consisted of an all-male monastic community that lived in isolation and awaited divine intervention in history?
 - a. Sadducees
 - b. Pharisees
 - c. Essenes
 - d. Samaritans