

Chapter 2 Lesson 7 Answers for Review Questions

1. **Answer:**
Martin Luther King Jr. (c) (Page 2)
2. **Answer:**
(a) The **negative**: “lay aside all evil” (1 Peter 2:1; Col. 3:8-9; 1 Thess. 5:22).
(b) The **positive**: “putting on the good” (Col. 3:12-17). (Page 3)
3. **Answer:**
(a) cleansed (b) walking (c) only (d) obeying (e) God’s (Page 3)
4. **Answer:**
(a) 1 Peter 1:22 is important to the understanding and application of verses 23-25 because they are built around it.
(b) The emphasis on “Brotherly Love” in verse 221 is deeply entrenched in verse 23.
(c) Etc. see page 3.
5. **Answer:**
(a) Making alive the soul that was dead in trespasses and sins
(b) The recreation of spiritual life in the human heart.
(c) The implantation of the seed of life in the believer
(d) Etc. See Chapter 1 Lesson 3 page 2; Chapter 2 Lesson 7 page 4.
6. **Answer:**
(a) False
(b) One can believe mentally and yet the heart still remains hardened, passive, untouched, etc.
(1) The “new birth”: requires a positive change; the penitent need a broken and contrite heart (Hosea 10:12; Psa. 51:17; etc.)
(2) The seeker must believe, receive and become (John 1:12)
(3) Etc. See page 5 (Chapter 2 Lesson 7)
7. **Answer:**
Jesus Christ describes the beginning of the Christian life as being “born again.” (John 3:1-8) (Page 5)
8. **Answer:**
(a) The “new birth” is a “spiritual birth,” the birth of a new power and spirit in life.
(b) It is a new life, a renewed soul, a regenerated spirit that was dead I trespasses and sins.
(c) See Chapter 2 Lesson 7 page 6

9. **Answer:**

STATEMENTS	CORRECT REFERENCES	JUMBLED REFERENCES
(a) Born again by water and the Spirit	John 3:5	James 1:8
(b) Born again by the will of God	James 1:8	1 Peter 1:3
(c) Born again by the incorruptible Word of God	1 Peter 1:23	John 3:5
(d) Born again from above	1 Peter 1:3	1 Peter 1:23
<i>Reminder: The word again also means "from above" "it is not of earth but of God."</i>		

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10. **Answer:**

- (a) By doing righteous acts (1 John 2:29)
- (b) By not practicing sin (1 John 3:9)
- (c) By loving other Believers (1 John 4:7)
- (d) By overcoming the world (1 John 5:18)
- (e) By possessing divine seed of nature (1 John 3:9) (page 6)

11. **Answer;**

- (a) radical (b) change (c) life (d) described (e) born (f) again

12. **Answer:**

- (a) False
- (b) Purity and love are impossible without being born again. This has been made clear in 1 Peter 1, for example see verses 13-25; 1 John 4; etc.
- (c) We also saw (in our lesson) that one of the natural results of being "born again" is loving one another with a pure heart fervently. (page 7)

13. **Answer:**

"Not of corruption" can be translated as "not by virtue of any descent from human parents."
See Chapter 2 Lesson 7 page 7 for more information.

14. **Answer:**

"Immortal" (item (a) (Page 7)

15. Answer:

In Scripture the “Word of God” can refer to:

- (a) Jesus Christ ... the “*Logos*” (John 1:1, 14; 1 John 1:1; 5:7; Rev. 19:13)
- (b) It is also used to refer to the gospel preached about Jesus Christ (1 Peter 1:25; 2 Cor. 4:1-7; Eph. 6: 19, 20; Phil. 1:27; 2 Thess. 1:8; 1 Cor. 15:1-4) (Page 8)

16. Answer:

- (a) again (b) began (c) Word (d) preserved (Page 9)

17. Answer:

- (a) The most important question of life is “Where we will spend eternity?”
- (b) ***Reasons given by class may vary.***
 - (1) We need to plan for eternity.
 - (2) The choices that we make, the way that we live, determine where we will spend eternity.
 - (3) No one knows when he will die or when Jesus Christ will return, if any of those events occur and we are not prepared for heaven it will be too late (Isa. 55:6-7; 2 Cor. 6:2; Matt. 25:1-13; etc.).

18. Answer:

- (a) outer (b) determine (c) person (d) inside (e) attractive (Page 11)

19. Answer:

- (a) Queen Esther was a woman of morals and integrity and one who maintained an intimate relationship with the true and living God.
- (b) Esther spent time in prayer, fasting and seeking God’s guidance and favor.
- (c) She displayed an abounded confidence in God.
- (d) For more information see Chapter 2 Lesson 7 pages 11-12.

20. Answer:

- (a) True
- (b) Worldliness is not limited to the external but to the internal as well. Worldliness is also internal because it begins in the heart and manifest itself in the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes and the pride of life (1 John 2:15-17). (Page 13)

21. Answer:

“According to the biblical idea, modesty is an inner spiritual grace that recoils from anything unseemly and impure, is chaste in thought and conduct, and free from crudeness and indecency in dress and behavior (Eph. 4:29, 5:1-8; 1 Peter 3:3-5). (Page 13)

22. Answer:

Spiritual beauty is realized from good works, chaste conversation, and a meek and quiet spirit. (Phil. 4:8; 1 Peter 3:3-5) (Page 13)

23. Answer:

(a) External (b) clothing (c) jewelry (d) display (e) worth (f) spiritual (Page 13)

24. Answer:

- (a) It shows the fact that, man despite all his temporal glory will eventually fade away and die.
- (b) The relevance here is the importance on focusing on that which endures and not that which is fading and perishing. (Page 14)

25. Answer:

The Old Testament passage Peter quoted in 1 Peter 1:24-25 is Isa. 40:6-8. (Page 14)

26. Answer:

- (a) The Word of God is unmoved, fixed, and permanent.
- (b) The Word of God, its beauty never fades; its power never feeble
- (c) For more information see Chapter 2 Lesson 7 page 16.

27. Answer:

- (a) The purpose of Jesus first mission on earth was not to judge people but to show them the way of salvation and eternal life.
- (b) When He comes again, **one** of His main purposes will be to judge people for how they lived on earth.
- (c) For more information see Chapter 2 Lesson 7 pages 17-18.