

Homework Lecture 1
Bible Geography (Pages 10-20)

1- What are the four great bodies of water surrounded the events of Old Testament history?

2- A large part of the Old Testament world was a _____.

3- Where did the great civilizations of history develop—on what two environmental factors?

4- When Israel was not a world power, what did she serve as in history in regard to other nations?

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5- What five great bodies of water are mentioned in this lesson?

6- What is the largest inland body of water in the world?

7- What are the two seas worthy of mention not listed with others?

8- List the four most important rivers in the world of the Old Testament?

9- How many miles long is the Nile River? What river system is the headstream for the Nile River?

10- What were the four main mountain ranges in Bible lands?

11- Which mountain range has very important mineral deposits?

12- Name the land where Noah and his sons left the ark.

13- What land area was the center of the Fertile Crescent?

Homework- Lecture 2
Bible Geography (Pages 21-34)

1- What land does the term "Canaan" describe?

The land between the Jordan River and the Mediterranean Sea. It's boundary on the north would be the Lebanon Mountains and on the south by desert.

2- What four natural division are there of the land of Palestine?

Costal Plain, Central Range, Jordan Valley, and the Eastern Range

3- What is the hill country of Samaria called?

Mt. Ephraim

4- Explain the difference between the seasons in the Negeb as far as moisture?

Winter rains there bring an abundance of crops, while in the hot summer it is like a desert.

5- From the point the Jordan leaves the Sea of Galilee and flows to the place it enters the Dead Sea, is how many miles?

65 miles

6- What was the Eastern Range in the Bashan area best known for in OT times?

Its productivity

7- What range is Mt. Nebo in and who looked from there to view the Promised Land?

The Eastern range Moses

8- Altogether, the Jordan River is how long? 200 miles

9- What are the three main lakes in Palestine?

Hula, Sea of Galilee or Chinnereth, and the Dead Sea known as Salt Sea

10- Which of the seas is shaped like a harp?

Sea of Galilee

11- How long and how wide is the Sea of Galilee?

12 ½ miles long and 7 ½ miles wide at its widest point.

12- Explain what a Wadi is.

The channel of watercourse which is usually dry. During or after the rainy season the wadi becomes a river or stream and is often large and rapid.

13- How many Wadis flow into the Jordan River?

Ten

14- When does Mt. Hermon (the sight of the transfiguration of Jesus) have snow?
All Year Round

15- On what mount did Gideon assemble his army?
Mt. Gilead

16- From what mountain did Moses view the Promised Land?
Mt. Nebo

17- What is the Plain of Esdraelon commonly called in the Old Testament?
Valley of Jezreel?

18- What highway did the Crusaders refer to as the “way of the sea?”
Costal Route

19- What highway was used by the kings of the North

Homework- Lecture 3
Bible Geography (Pages 35-46)

1- Noah had three sons names Shem, Ham and Japheth. What four nations came from the loins of Ham?

Cush, Mizram, Put, and Canaan

2- What people group did the famous Jewish historian Josephus equate Magog? With the Scythians who inhabited the area north and east of the Caspian Sea

3- Although the Medes were part of the empire of Cyrus, with what nation was their history absorbed into?

Persians

4- What are the four subdivisions of Javan?

Elishah, Tarshish, Kittim, Dodanium

5- Who is Nimrod?

Founder of an early empire in Babylon and a cruel conquerer.

6- What do divisions was Egypt divided into?

Lower Delta, Upper Egypt

7- Name four of the important Canaanite groups.

Sidon, Heth, Jebusities, Amorites, Girgasites, Hivites, Arkites, Sinites, Arvadites, Zemarites, Hamathites

8- What people group resisted Israelite strength until the time of David when Jebus was captured?

Jebusites

9- What two Amorite kings did Joshua defeat in battle?

Sihon, Og

10- What are the five major branches of the Semitic family?

Elam, Asshur, Arphaxad, Lud, and Aram