

NEW TESTAMENT HISTORY (Course 662)
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MSOP MOST PROGRAM FINAL EXAM

Name: _____

Score: ____/50

You may use open books and notes.

MULTIPLE CHOICE (2 points each).

1. Polybius, Diodorus, Strabo, Plutarch, and Dio Cassius were _____ historians.
a. Roman b. Jewish c. Armenian d. Greek e. Syrian
2. Cicero, Tacitus, Suetonius, and Pliny were _____ historians.
a. Roman b. Jewish c. Armenian d. Greek e. Syrian
3. Josephus, Philo, and Jason were _____ historians.
a. Roman b. Jewish c. Armenian d. Greek e. Syrian
4. _____ were discovered in 1947 in caves near Qumran.
a. The apocrypha b. The Gnostic gospels c. The Didache
d. The Dead Sea Scrolls e. The Elephantine Island Papyri
5. _____ likened the Jews' "wise King" to Socrates and Pythagoras.
a. Mara b. Lucian c. Pliny d. Thallus e. Philo
6. Pliny sought _____ advice for dealing with Christians.
a. Serapion's b. Trajan's c. Julius' d. Eusebius' e. Nero's
7. _____ said Jews "made disturbance at the instigation of Chrestus."
a. Josephus b. Xenophon c. Thales d. Suetonius e. Philo
8. Lucian said _____ worshipped the "crucified sophist."
a. Samosata b. Caecilius c. Thallus d. Nero e. Peregrinus
9. Tacitus provided great secular support for Jesus' prophecy concerning _____.
a. 37 B.C. b. A.D. 29 c. A.D. 33 d. A.D. 70 e. A.D. 108
10. Philo gave insight into the terrible character of _____.
a. Pilate b. Festus c. Agrippa d. Saul e. Mara
11. _____ tried to explain away as an eclipse the darkness at Jesus' crucifixion.
a. Mara b. Lucian c. Pliny d. Thallus e. Philo
12. _____ was the spread of Greek culture.
a. Archaizing b. Hellenizing c. Judaizing d. Parsing e. Proselytizing
13. _____ did not believe in resurrection.
a. Pharisees b. Herodians c. Sadducees d. Essenes e. Maccabees
14. Herod [ultimately, "the Great"] married into the _____ family.
a. Hasmonean b. Seleucid c. Syrian d. Flavian e. Ptolemaic
15. Pilate, Felix, and Festus were _____.
a. Plutarchs b. Matriarchs c. Politarchs d. Procurators e. Zadokites

LISTING (2 points per blank).

16-20. Name five violations of Hebrew jurisprudence in the trial of Jesus per Turner.

- 16. _____
- 17. _____
- 18. _____
- 19. _____
- 20. _____

21-25. Which five New Testament books contain the bulk of New Testament history.

- 21. _____
- 22. _____
- 23. _____
- 24. _____
- 25. _____

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