Chapter 10 – Judaism and Christianity Study Guide

(from A.S.)

1. Who led the Jewish Diaspora? (Moses)
2. In which century did the Jewish Kingdom divide?
3. In what year was Israel conquered and were they exiled?
4. What did God create woman out of after he created man? His rib (p 310)
5. What year did the Hebrews return to Israel? 1200 (p 313)
6. How did the Torah portray God? As an evolving moral force in Dialogue with humans. (p 315)
7. What did god do when he became frustrated with the disobedience and corruption of the humans? He made a flood that wiped almost all of mankind. (p. 315)
8. How did he express his peaceful treaty with humanity after the flood? He made a rainbow. (p 315)
9. How many people declare themselves followers of Jesus today? Almost 2 billion (p. 323)
10. How did Jesus feel about Jewish Dietary laws? He scoffed at them. (p. 325)
11. How did most people see Jesus as? The long awaited Messiah. (P. 325)
12. What story was behind why there is pain in childbirth? Adam and Eve. (p. 327)
13. What is the Jewish holiday known as the Pentecost? The anniversary of receiving the Ten Commandments.
14. Which civilization conquered Judea and when? The Babylonians, 600 B.C.E.
15. Why did the Church divide? Iconolastic Movement (Catholicism and Orthodox)
16. Where did Moses receive The Ten Commandments? Mount Sinai
17. Did the Romans fear Jesus? Explain. Yes, because he had the potential to start a revolution, and he went against everything they believed in.
18. What does the Eucharist represent? Holy Communion, a central sacrament to the Christian Faith.
19. Who was the First Pope? Peter
20. Where was Christianity’s first capital? Constantinople (Eastern Empire); Rome (Western Empire)
21. What were reasons for Christians and Muslims to treat their Jewish minorities respectfully? Jews were Jesus’ people; descendants from Abraham’s son, Issac
22. Explain Neoplatonic. Who was it founded by? “.. emphasizes the transcendent, impersonal, and indefinable “One” as the ground of all existence and the source of an eternal world of goodness, beauty, and order, of which material existence is but a feeble copy.” Founded by Plotinus (205-270 C.E.)
23. When was Christianity declared as the official religion of Rome? It was declared as the de facto religion of Rome by Constantine, but it was stated that it is the state religion when Emperor Theodosius (r. 379-395) made it so and outlawed all the traditional Roman gods and severely restricted Judaism.
24. True or False: Abraham came from “eber,” meaning “The other side” of the Tigris River. False. Euphrates River
25. Which is not a Jewish scripture

* Torah
* Sukkot < ---- Jewish Holiday
* Nevi’im
* Ketuvim

1. True or False: In Judaism, Gabriel stops Abraham from killing his son Isaac. True!
2. List the order of names from earliest to latest:

* Byzantium, Constantinople, New Rome, Istanbul
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* Byzantium, New Rome, Constantinople, Istanbul 🡨 Correct sequence
* New Rome, Byzantium, Constantinople, Istanbul

1. True or False: Charlemagne was crowned Roman Emperor on Christmas Day, 700. False. 800
2. Charlemagne had a diplomatic friendship with this powerful Muslim ruler:

* Ibn Sina
* Harun-al-Rashid 🡨 Correct!
* Al-Ghazzali
* Ibn Battuta

1. Which one was a NOT a city in the kingdom of Israel at 930 B.C.E.?

* Canaan
* Damascus
* Gilead
* Gaza 🡨 Correct!

1. Today, approximately how many people follow Abrahamic religions?

* 2.7 billion
* 3.8 billion 🡨 Correct!
* 4.3 billion
* 2 billion

1. True or False: Plate saw God as existing in the soul of every person, not unlike Hinduism. True!
2. St. Benedict founded which famous monastery?

* Monte Cassino 🡨
* St. Catherine’s Monastery
* Batalha Monastery
* St. Benedict’s Monastery