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# The Cross Questioned

## Part 1

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## CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER

- 1** The New Testament consists of
- a** The Four Gospels only
  - b** The Synoptic Gospels only
  - c** 66 books
- 2** The Synoptic Gospels are called so because of
- a** their differences
  - b** their similarity in nature
  - c** their freedom of Paul's influence



**3**

**Jesus was sent to**

**a**

The Jews

**b**

The Christians

**c**

The Protestant

**4**

**The New Testament was written by**

**a**

writers of doubtful identities

**b**

well-known writers

**c**

Christ



**5** Paul

- a** retained the teaching of Jesus Christ
- b** changed the teachings of Jesus Christ
- c** is one of the apostles of Jesus Christ



## MATCH COLUMN A WITH COLUMN B

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
1. Galatians	a. three-person Godhead
2. Lord's Prayer	b. Luke, Mathew and Mark
3. the Synoptic gospels	c. Paul
4. Trinity	d. mentioned in two gospels
5. John	e. dissimilar to the rest of Gospels

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_



## STATE WHETHER THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS ARE TRUE OR FALSE

1

The Trinity was invented by Paul

\_\_\_\_\_

2

Paul showed great disrespect to the apostles of the prophet Jesus \_\_\_\_\_

3

The New Testament depended on first-hand sources \_\_\_\_\_

4

The doctrine of 'justification by faith alone' is a Pauline invention \_\_\_\_\_

5

The four gospels form a small portion of the New Testament \_\_\_\_\_



## CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER

1

Paul was

a

an ex-Jew

b

born Christian

c

of an Arab origin

2

The New Testament books was selected

a

by vote

b

based on the authenticity of the original writings

c

after meticulous investigation by the experts



**3**

**Jesus**

**a**

died on the Cross

**b**

did not die

**c**

died as a martyr

**4**

**During the time of Paul,**

**a**

people already had the notion of a three-person God

**b**

his followers were predominantly Jews

**c**

people already had the notion of a two-person God





5

**One can ascertain the authenticity of any writing**

a

by studying the history and character of the narrators

b

only by studying the text

c

depending on the local culture



## MATCH COLUMN A WITH COLUMN B

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
1. Saul	a. belief in one God
2. Unitarians	b. Jewish tribe
3. Benjamites	c. Jewish name
4. Trinitarians	d. belief in triune God
5. pharisees	e. fanatic Jewish religious group

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_



## STATE WHETHER THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS ARE TRUE OR FALSE

1

Paul was persecuting the Christians before he became Christian due to a dream

\_\_\_\_\_

2

Christianity as a religion became distinct from the religion of Christ due to the efforts of Paul \_\_\_\_\_

3

Paul was introduced into the Christian community by James \_\_\_\_\_

4

Paul was rejected by the Jews in his missionary work \_\_\_\_\_

5

The teachings of Jesus were not meant for any other than the Jews. \_\_\_\_\_



## CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER

1

Pharisees were

a

arrogant

b

fanatic

c

respecting Jesus

2

The Lord's Prayer reveals

a

the consistency of the New Testament

b

the discrepancy in the New Testament

c

the care the Christian scriptures assign to it



**3**

**Saul changed his name to Paul**

**a**

because it has a better meaning

**b**

because it is more biblical

**c**

so as to sound less Jewish among the Gentiles

**4**

**Barnabas is eliminated gradually from the New Testament because**

**a**

Paul wanted to take the major role and preach his own ideas

**b**

he was found to be a heretic

**c**

he was so sincere in his missionary work



5

According to Christ, salvation is earned through

a

good deeds

b

faith and good deeds

c

belief in Christ being the saviour



## MATCH COLUMN A WITH COLUMN B

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
1. Gentile	a. distrust
2. Pharisees	b. provoked the anger of the prophet Jesus
3. trinity	c. three-person godhead
4. Paul-apostles relationship	d. clergy
5. bishop	e. non-Jews

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_



## STATE WHETHER THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS ARE TRUE OR FALSE

1

The council of Nicaea marked a turning point in the history of Christianity \_\_\_\_\_

2

It was through divine guidance that the books that would constitute the New Testament were selected. \_\_\_\_\_

3

The shift from the religion that Jesus preached to the Jews to the religion introduced by Paul brought into being the religion that has the most population today.  
\_\_\_\_\_

4

All those who challenged the consensus and retained their manuscripts ignoring the resolution of the council of Nicaea were put to death. \_\_\_\_\_

5

The Christian trinity was a result of cultural interaction. \_\_\_\_\_





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