

# Matthew, the Gospel of – AK 10

## COMMENTER'S GUIDE

### WRITE IT OUT!

(ON SCANNABLE SINGLE PAGE ANSWER SHEETS ONLY)

These 2 additional questions, not found in the exam booklet are designed to make the student dig into the Biblical text and show they understand the Biblical principles studied throughout the course.

#### **Questions 1 – How does Jesus fight the temptation of the devil? What can we learn from His example?**

##### **1 - POSSIBLE ANSWERS**

Jesus responded to each temptation by quoting scripture. Each temptation asked Jesus to take an easier route and provided immediate gratification. Jesus knew God's Word and used it to resist the devil. From Him we learn that we can have victory over temptation through God's Word.

##### **1 - HELPFUL COMMENTS**

##### **1 - VERSES**

Hebrews 4:11-13

#### **Questions 2 – What are the 3 commands of the Great Commission and what is the promise that helps us to carry it out?**

##### **2 - POSSIBLE ANSWERS**

The 3 commands are:

1. "Go and make disciples..."
2. "Baptizing..."
3. "Teaching..."

His promise to be with us throughout the work, empowering us with His presence through the Spirit is the promise that gives us strength and encouragement.

##### **2 - HELPFUL COMMENTS**

##### **2 - VERSES**

## WHAT DO YOU SAY?

These questions are designed to help the student express their thoughts, feelings, and opinions about something they have learned from the chapter.

### EXAM 1 – What is most interesting to you about the genealogy of Jesus?

#### 1 - COMMENTS

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#### 1 - VERSES

- [Ps. 12:6](#) The words of the Lord are pure Words.
- Christ's Genealogy: Matt 1:1-17 The book of the genealogy of Jesus Christ.
- [Prov. 30:5](#) Every word of God is pure.

### EXAM 2 – How does Jesus' response to Satan's temptations teach us to deal with our own temptations?

#### 2 - COMMENTS

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#### 2 - VERSES

- [Matt. 4:1-11](#) Jesus being tempted by Satan.
- [Josh. 1:8-9](#) This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night.
- [Ps. 119:11](#) Your word I have hidden in my heart, that I might not sin against You.
- [2 Tim. 3:16](#) All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work.
- [1 Peter 3:15](#) But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts, and always be ready to give a defense to everyone who asks you a reason for the hope that is in you.

### EXAM 3 – Are you a citizen and subject in Christ's kingdom? Share how one of the King's commands is a challenge to you currently.

#### 3 - COMMENTS

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#### 3 - VERSES

- [Matt. 5:1-12](#) The Beatitudes, these set forth the ideal man of Christ's kingdom.
- [John 6:47](#) He who believes in Me has everlasting life.
- [Phil. 3:20-21](#) Our citizenship is in heaven.
- [Matt. 5:13](#) Be the salt of the earth.
- [Matt. 5:14-16](#) Be the light of the world.
- [Matt. 5:17-20](#) The law not abolished, but fulfilled.
- [Matt. 5:21-26](#) The higher righteousness concerning murder.
- [Matt. 5:27-30](#) The higher righteousness concerning adultery.

- [Matt. 5:31-32](#) The higher righteousness concerning divorce.
- [Matt. 5:33-37](#) The higher righteousness concerning the use of oaths.
- [Matt. 5:38-42](#) The higher righteousness concerning retaliation.
- [Matt. 5:43-48](#) The higher righteousness concerning treatment of one's enemies.

**EXAM 4 – How does Jesus’ teaching in Matthew 6:19-24 influence your decisions concerning security for the future?**

**4 - COMMENTS**

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**4 - VERSES**

- [Matt. 6:19-24](#) Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth..No one can serve two masters...You cannot serve God and mammon.
- [1 Tim. 6:17-19](#) Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain riches but in the living God.
- [James 4:13-16](#) Come now, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will go to such and such a city, spend a year there, buy and sell, and make a profit"; whereas you do not know what will happen tomorrow...Instead you ought to say, "If the Lord wills, we shall live and do this or that." But now you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil.

**EXAM 5 – Jesus challenged those who wanted to follow Him to count the cost of discipleship. What is the cost in your life?**

**5 - COMMENTS**

- Reference or give to the student the Captive's Corner Today's Priesthood and Its Sacrifices

**5 - VERSES**

- [Rom. 6:13](#) Do not present your members as instruments of unrighteousness to sin.
- [Rom. 12:1-2](#) Present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God.
- [1 Cor. 6:19-20](#) You were bought at a price; therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.
- [Eph. 5:2](#) Walk in love, as Christ also has loved us and given Himself for us.

**EXAM 6 – What do you find hard about following Jesus Christ? Did anything in this lesson encourage you about being one of His disciples?**

**6 - COMMENTS**

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**6 - VERSES**

- [Matt. 10:24-33](#) Fear not for whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven.
- [John 15:20](#) If they persecuted Me, they will also persecute you.

- [2 Thess. 1:4-5](#) For your patience and faith in all your persecutions and tribulations that you endure, which is manifest evidence of the righteous judgment of God.

**EXAM 7 – What have you learned about the kingdom of God in this lesson?**

**7 - COMMENTS**

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**7 - VERSES**

- [1 John 5:11](#) This is the testimony: that God has given us eternal life, and this life is in His Son.
- [Col. 1:13](#) He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love.
- [2 Peter 1:10-11](#) The everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.
- [Dan. 4:3, 34](#) His kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and His dominion is from generation to generation.

**EXAM 8 – Have the two hindrances to discipleship that the Lord Jesus discusses in [Matthew 16:24-28](#) factored in your life? How have you dealt with them?**

**8 - COMMENTS**

Hindrances:

- 1) The natural temptation to save oneself from discomfort, pain loneliness, or loss.
- 2) The temptation to become wealthy.

**8 - VERSES**

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**EXAM 9 – What have you learned from the Scriptures and your own experience about the procedure and importance of forgiving a brother who sins against you?**

**9 - COMMENTS**

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**9 - VERSES**

- [Matt. 18:21-35](#) How often we are to forgive others.
- [Eph. 4:32](#) Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you.
- [Col. 3:13](#) Forgiving one another, if anyone has a complaint against another; even as Christ forgave you, so you also must do.

**EXAM 10 – Jesus said we are to love others as we do ourselves. What does that look like in your life? How would it change your relationships if you did it?**

**10 - COMMENTS**

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**10 - VERSES**

- [Matt. 22:37-39](#) Jesus said to him, “You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.” This is the first and great commandment.
- [Phil. 2:3-4](#) Let nothing be done through selfish ambition or conceit, but in lowliness of mind let each esteem others better than himself.

**EXAM 11 –In Christ’s judgment of the Gentile nations, their destiny is determined by their treatment of the Lord’s suffering people. What does it mean to you that He so completely identifies with His people?**

**11 - COMMENTS**

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**11 - VERSES**

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**EXAM 12 – Which of the details of the Lord Jesus’ crucifixion touches your heart and mind the most? Why? Have you appropriated the benefits of His death for yourself?**

**12 - COMMENTS**

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**12 - VERSES**

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