# Men Who Met the Master – AK 04 & AK 11

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 – Explain the steps that Herod took to murder his conscience (see ch. 4).

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

Herod was convicted by the ministry of John the Baptist. John's preaching was a message of repentance, but Herod was not ready to repent. He had a sin that did not wish to let go of yet, so he hardened his heart and silence the voice that convicted him, further searing his conscience to the extent that when he comes face with Jesus, he has no hint of regret or remorse. He merely wanted a miracle, but not repentance.

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

1 - VERSES

**Questions 2** – Choose one of the 6 men surveyed in this course that you learned the most from and discuss what you learned.

#### 2 - POSSIBLE ANSWERS

#### 2 - HELPFUL COMMENTS

The 6 men surveyed in the course are 1) the dying thief, 2) the centurion, 3) Pilate, 4) Herod, 5) Judas, and 6) Nicodemus. Each encountered Jesus and were impacted by the encounter. Every student will relate to different people, so commenting will vary.

#### 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 basic lesson from the experience of the dying thief applies most to you?**

#### 1 - COMMENTS

• Reference or give to the student the Captive's Corner Assurance of Salvation

#### 1 - VERSES

- <u>2 Cor. 6:2</u> Now is the day of salvation.
- <u>Acts 2:21</u> Whoever calls on the name of the Lord and shall be saved.
- <u>Luke 23:43</u> Today you will be with Me in paradise.
- <u>Heb. 7:25</u> He is also able to save to the uttermost those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them.
- <u>1 Tim. 1:15</u> This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief.
- Acts 16:31 Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved.
- John 3:36 He who believes in the Son has everlasting life; and he who does not believe the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God abides on him."
- <u>Eph. 1:7</u> In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace.

## EXAM 2 – Are you crucifying, considering, or confessing Jesus as Savior and Lord? 2 - COMMENTS

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# 2 - VERSES

Considering Christ:

- <u>Heb. 2:3</u> How shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation.
- <u>Heb. 12:3</u> Consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls.

Crucifying Christ:

- <u>Gal. 2:20</u> I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me.
- <u>Heb. 10:29</u> Of how much worse punishment, do you suppose, will he be thought worthy who has trampled the Son of God underfoot, counted the blood of the covenant by which he was sanctified a common thing, and insulted the Spirit of grace?

Confessing Christ:

• <u>Luke 12:8</u> Also I say to you, whoever confesses Me before men, him the Son of Man also will confess before the angels of God.

- <u>Matt. 10:32</u> Whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven.
- <u>Phil. 2:10-11</u> At the name of Jesus every knee should bow

# **EXAM 3 – What is your personal answer to the question: "What shall I do then with Jesus** <u>who is called the Christ?"</u>

# 3 - COMMENTS

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## 3 - VERSES

- <u>Phil. 2:10-11</u> At the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth, and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.
- <u>Rom. 12:1-2</u> Present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.
- <u>Col. 2:6-7</u> As you therefore have received Him, walk in Him.
- <u>2 Cor. 8:9</u> You know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor, that you through His poverty might become rich.
- <u>Luke 9:23</u> If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me

# EXAM 4 – What is your personal attitude toward God's demand that we have "repentance toward God and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ"? (Acts 20:21).

# 4 - COMMENTS

• Reference or give to the student the Captive's Corner Repentance Toward God and Faith in the Lord Jesus Christ

## 4 - VERSES

- <u>Col. 1:13-14</u> He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins.
- <u>Luke 13:3-5</u> Unless you repent you will all likewise perish.
- <u>Acts 3:19</u> Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord.
- <u>2 Cor. 7:9-10</u> Godly sorrow produces repentance leading to salvation, not to be regretted; but the sorrow of the world produces death.
- <u>2 Peter 3:9</u> The Lord is ... not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance.
- <u>Acts 20:21</u> Repentance toward God, and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ.
- <u>Matt. 3:2</u> Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

# **EXAM 5 – What do you think of Judas, and how does the lesson you have just studied** <u>affect you personally?</u>

## 5 - COMMENTS

• Reference or give to the student the Captive's Corner Judas

## 5 - VERSES

- <u>Heb. 4:16</u> Come boldly to the throne of grace that we may obtain mercy in time of need.
- <u>1 Peter 5:6-7</u> Therefore humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that He may exalt you in due time, casting all your care upon Him, for He cares for you.
- John 6:37 All that the Father gives Me will come to Me, and the one who comes to Me I will by no means cast out.
- <u>Matt. 6:24</u> No one can serve two masters; ... you cannot serve God and mammon.
- Heb 12:1 Run with endurance the race that is set before us.

#### EXAM 6 – Are you a child of God? Give your reasons if you believe you are. 6 - COMMENTS

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## 6 - VERSES

- <u>Rom. 8:14-17</u> For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God.
- <u>Gal. 4:4-7</u> But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the adoption as sons. ... you are no longer a slave but a son, and if a son, then an heir of God through Christ.
- <u>Gal. 3:26-27</u> You are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus.
- Eph. 1:3-6 He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world.
- John 1:12 As many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name.