Bible Books – OT
Minor Prophets Quiz

A BibleMesh Learning Assessment Tool

Use this quiz to test your knowledge of the Old Testament books of the Minor Prophets: Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi. To obtain the answer key, please contact us at customer.support@biblemesh.com
Instructions

Circle the option that best answers the question or statement.

1. What prophet did God command to marry an adulterous woman?
   a. Haggai
   b. Amos
   c. Joel
   d. Hosea

2. What is the main message of Nahum?
   a. The Assyrian capital, Nineveh, would fall as a judgment from God.
   b. Judah would go into exile because of its sins.
   c. Edom would be destroyed because of its transgressions against Israel.
   d. The Day of the Lord would be horrible for Israel.

3. What New Testament figure is foretold in Malachi?
   a. Paul
   b. John the Baptist
   c. Peter
   d. Mary

4. Upon what nation did Obadiah pronounce judgment?
   a. Assyria
   b. Judah
   c. Moab
   d. Edom

5. In Haggai, what does God command the returned Jewish exiles to do?
   a. Memorize the Ten Commandments
   b. Circumcise the next generation
   c. Rebuild the Temple
   d. Cross the Jordan River

6. What was Amos’ original occupation?
   a. Innkeeper
   b. Soldier
   c. Shepherd
   d. Wheat farmer
7. What prophecy of Habakkuk did Paul famously quote in Romans?
   a. “The righteous shall live by his faith.”
   b. “None is righteous, no, not one.”
   c. “Blesses are those whose lawless deeds are forgiven.”
   d. “Those who are not my people I will call ‘my people.’”

8. Where did God tell Jonah to preach?
   a. Babylon
   b. Nineveh
   c. Jerusalem
   d. Tarshish

9. The prophecy that Israel’s king would come mounted on a donkey appears in which Minor Prophet?
   a. Habakkuk
   b. Zechariah
   c. Zephaniah
   d. Hosea

10. Which Minor Prophet did Peter quote on the Day of Pentecost to reference the outpouring of the Holy Spirit?
    a. Obadiah
    b. Malachi
    c. Nahum
    d. Joel

11. The only biblical mention of Zephaniah occurs in the book bearing his name.
    a. True
    b. False

12. What book contains this verse: “He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?”
    a. Habakkuk
    b. Zechariah
    c. Micah
    d. Malachi
13. What is the shortest book in the Old Testament?
   a. Haggai
   b. Nahum
   c. Obadiah
   d. Joel

14. Scripture pairs Haggai with what other prophet as having a common voice of admonition?
   a. Obadiah
   b. Malachi
   c. Hosea
   d. Zechariah

15. The book of Nahum can be viewed as a companion piece to which other Minor Prophet?
   a. Micah
   b. Jonah
   c. Habakkuk
   d. Obadiah

16. Hosea told the Israelites that God refused to love them because of their idolatry and unfaithfulness to Him.
   a. True
   b. False

17. What Minor Prophet book records an extended dialogue between the prophet and God?
   a. Joel
   b. Zephaniah
   c. Habakkuk
   d. Malachi

18. The book of Jonah ends with the prophet’s committing what sin?
   a. Resenting God’s compassion
   b. Murdering a Ninevite
   c. Divorcing his wife
   d. Breaking the Sabbath

19. Through which Minor Prophet did God famously tell His people to renew their tithes and offerings?
   a. Jonah
   b. Haggai
   c. Zechariah
   d. Malachi
20. Which Minor Prophet opens his book by depicting an invasion of locusts in Israel?
   a. Joel  
   b. Micah  
   c. Amos  
   d. Zephaniah

21. The recurring theme in Zephaniah is:
   a. True worship  
   b. The Day of the Lord  
   c. Ritual purity  
   d. Fidelity in marriage

22. According to Amos, what would be Israel’s fate on the Day of the Lord?
   a. Reward  
   b. Vindication  
   c. Judgment  
   d. All of the above

23. Zechariah prophesied to Judah just before the Babylonian exile.
   a. True  
   b. False

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