

Lesson 3



Read "A Plea for Fishing" (pp. 467-470).



Write the author's name.

7. _____



Write the letter of the best answer.

8. _____ The fishermen had everything they needed to fish *except*
- a. the equipment to fish.
 - b. the desire to fish.
 - c. fish to catch.
 - d. encouragement to fish.
9. _____ All of the following efforts were made to promote fishing *except* to
- a. appoint men to tell fishermen to fish.
 - b. hold meetings to encourage fishing.
 - c. have young fishers fish with experienced fishermen.
 - d. educate the younger fishermen in the art of fishing.
10. _____ The problem with some who were commissioned and sent to fish was
- a. they did not stay long enough to catch fish.
 - b. they made friends with the fish.
 - c. they allowed the fish they caught to die.
 - d. they worked at making living conditions better for the fish.
11. _____ In the last paragraph, we are told how someone pointed out the following inconsistency:
- a. Those who taught fishing didn't know how to fish.
 - b. Much effort was put forth to promote catching fish that didn't want to be caught.
 - c. People who didn't fish were being called fishermen.
 - d. Much effort was put forth to promote an occupation that did not pay.
12. _____ The last paragraph of the story leaves you with the feeling that to not catch fish is
- a. inexcusable.
 - b. understandable.
 - c. okay.
 - d. popular.



This allegory compares winning lost souls to fishing. Tell what each of these symbolized.

13. Fish _____
14. Fishermen _____
15. Fishermen's clubs _____
16. Fishermen's outposts _____
17. Fish of different colors _____

- 18. Purifying the water for fish (With what activities might a missionary to a third world country get sidetracked from his true purpose, bringing souls to Christ?) _____

- 19. Weekly meetings _____
- 20. The Master _____



Answer these questions.

- 21. A hypocrite says one thing and does another. Why might Satan be happier with someone who calls himself a fisherman but does not fish than with someone who knows he is not a fisherman? _____

- 22. Is fishing for lost souls required, optional, or somewhere in between for Christians? Defend your answer. _____

LOOKING BACK . . .



Use the words to complete the sentences.

absurd accessories extravagant status

- 23. What is your _____ in this organization?
- 24. What kind of _____ are available with this machine?
- 25. I think it would be both _____ and _____ to spend \$29.95 for an ink pen.



Match these symbols from "Wheelbarrows."

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| 26. _____ White Vantress chickens | a. church services |
| 27. _____ Wheelbarrows | b. cars |
| 28. _____ Red Cross chickens | c. needy folks |
| 29. _____ Weekly meetings | d. God |
| 30. _____ Great Farmer | e. Christians |

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Complete the sentences.

31. The status symbol of the White Vantress chickens was owning a _____.
32. The bigger, the better, the fancier a rooster's status symbol was, the more the _____ paid attention to him.
33. Most roosters would have said they needed wheelbarrows for _____, but the real reason was that they wanted to _____.
34. The hens based their opinion of roosters on _____.

Lesson 4

The Pilgrim's Progress, Introduction



Read the introduction to The Pilgrim's Progress (pp. 472, 473).



Write the author's name.

1. _____



Complete the sentences and answer the question.

2. John Bunyan was imprisoned in a jail in _____, England. Find a map of England in an atlas or encyclopedia. Find Bedford about fifty miles north of London.
3. Bunyan also wrote an autobiography: _____.
4. Tell two things that make The Pilgrim's Progress a great work.

“Christian Begins His Journey”



Find each word in the selection. Look at how it is used and write the letter of the best definition.

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| 5. _____ plight | a. difficulty | b. ruin | c. acreage |
| 6. _____ frenzy | a. unusual | b. wildly excited | c. uncomfortable |
| 7. _____ surly | a. certain | b. sullenly rude | c. confused |
| 8. _____ deride | a. wreck | b. comfort | c. mock; scorn |
| 9. _____ wont | a. desirous | b. accustomed | c. absent |
| 10. _____ pliable | a. useful | b. fitting | c. easily bent |