

# Scripture and Catechism Exercises 2018-2019

## Exercise 3

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### Senior Section (15 years old and over)

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### Old Testament

The questions are based on Genesis chapters 37,39 and 50.

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(a) What reason is given in chapter 37 for Jacob's greater love for Joseph? (1)

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(b) How did he show that he loved Joseph best? (1)

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(c) Give two reasons why his brothers hated him. (2)

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(d) What other sins did their envy and hatred lead them to? (3)

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(e) Find and write out a verse near the end of James 3 that describes the brothers' conduct very well. (2)

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(f) How did they deceive Jacob? (2)

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(g) What reason is given in chapter 39 that Joseph was a prosperous man? (1)

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(h) Find and write out a verse that shows the complete confidence Potiphar had in Joseph. (2)

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(i) What reasons did Joseph give to Potiphar's wife for not consenting to her temptation? (3)

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(j) What showed that God's presence was with Joseph even when he was put in prison? (2)

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2. Read Genesis 50:15-21.

(a) What were Joseph's brothers concerned about after their father died? (2)

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(b) How did they show their repentance for how they had wronged Joseph? (2)

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(c) What assurance did they receive from Joseph? (1)

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(d) Write out a verse that shows Joseph's belief that God was ordering even their sinful actions for the best? (2)

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**New Testament**

**1.** Read Matthew chapter 18.

(a) Write briefly about Jesus teaching His disciples humility (verses 1-4). (2)

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(b) Write out a verse that shows the joy Christ experiences in saving a lost sinner. (2)

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(c) Quote a verse which is an encouragement to God's people when His cause is low. (2)

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(d) What did Peter ask Jesus about a forgiving spirit, and explain what Jesus told him? (3)

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(e) Explain briefly how the parable of the unjust steward teaches us to be willing to forgive. (3)

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2. Read Matthew 19:16-24.

(a) Write out three things about the rich young ruler that were commendable. (3)

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(b) What did he say that showed he did not really understand the sin in his own heart? (2)

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(c) How did Jesus expose his heart sin to him? (2)

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(d) Write out a verse that shows how great a hinderance riches can be to entering into God's kingdom. (2)

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**Memory Exercise**

Learn by heart and write from memory the answer to Question 105 in the Shorter Catechism:  
What do we pray for in the fifth petition? (3)

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