

Scripture and Catechism Exercises 2021-2022

Exercise 3

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Senior Section (15 years old and over)

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Old Testament

Read Isaiah 54.

1.

(a) Why are the barren women told to sing? (2)

(b) What preparations are they told to make in preparation for this coming blessing? (2)

(c) What condition was Israel in at this time? How do you think they were feeling? (See verses 1, 4 and 6) (4)

(d) To whom were they to look for the provision promised here? What four titles does He give Himself in verse 5? (5)

(e) Why is God promising them all these blessings? (See verses 8 and 9) (2)

(f) Find and write out a verse where God promises:

- (1) That His kindness will endure longer than the hills,
- (2) That their children will have peace,
- (3) That any attack on them will fail.

(9)

2. Look back at chapter 53. Who is the subject of this prophecy? What is the connection between chapter 53 and the blessings promised in chapter 54? (2)

New Testament

Read Romans 12.

1. What does Paul tell the Roman Christians to do in verse 1, as their reasonable service to God? (2)

2. What sin is Paul cautioning them about in verse 3? (1)

3. Summarise in your own words what Paul is saying in verses 4-8. (3)

4. Write down 10 Christian duties that Paul exhorts them to in verses 9-18. (10)

5. Why are we not to seek revenge on people who hurt us? (1)

6. How are we to respond to our enemies? What will be the result of this? (2)

Memory Exercise

Learn by heart and write from memory the answer to Question 2 in the Shorter Catechism: What rule hath God given to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy Him? (3)

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