

Simeon (in the Temple) Bible Quiz

10 King James Version trivia questions • Difficulty: Easy

Ten KJV questions on Simeon at the presentation of Jesus — Luke 2 and his Nunc Dimittis.

Questions

Q1. In what city did Simeon dwell?

- A. Bethlehem
- B. Jerusalem
- C. Nazareth
- D. Capernaum

Q2. How is Simeon described?

- A. Rich and learned
- B. Just and devout
- C. Old and blind
- D. A priest

Q3. For what was he waiting?

- A. The kingdom of God
- B. The consolation of Israel
- C. The deliverance from Rome
- D. The resurrection

Q4. What was upon Simeon?

- A. The fear of God
- B. The Holy Ghost
- C. The shadow of death
- D. A prophet's mantle

Q5. What had been revealed unto him?

- A. He should not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ
- B. He would become a priest
- C. He would teach Israel
- D. He would die soon

Q6. Who led him into the temple?

- A. A priest
- B. The Spirit
- C. An angel
- D. Joseph

Q7. What did Simeon do with the child Jesus?

- A. Anointed him
- B. Took him up in his arms
- C. Laid hands and prayed silently
- D. Wrote his name

Q8. Simeon called Jesus 'a light to lighten' whom?

- A. The Jews
- B. The Gentiles
- C. Jerusalem
- D. The world

Q9. Whose soul did Simeon say a sword would pierce?

- A. Joseph's
- B. Mary's
- C. Israel's
- D. His own

Q10. Simeon said his eyes had seen what?

- A. The angels
- B. Thy salvation
- C. The temple of God
- D. The light of life

Answer Key & Explanations

Q1. In what city did Simeon dwell?

Answer: B. Jerusalem

Luke 2:25 (KJV) — 'there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon.' (Luke 2:25, KJV)

Q2. How is Simeon described?

Answer: B. Just and devout

Luke 2:25 (KJV) — 'the same man was just and devout.' (Luke 2:25, KJV)

Q3. For what was he waiting?

Answer: B. The consolation of Israel

Luke 2:25 (KJV) — 'waiting for the consolation of Israel.' (Luke 2:25, KJV)

Q4. What was upon Simeon?

Answer: B. The Holy Ghost

Luke 2:25 (KJV) — 'the Holy Ghost was upon him.' (Luke 2:25, KJV)

Q5. What had been revealed unto him?

Answer: A. He should not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ

Luke 2:26 (KJV). (Luke 2:26, KJV)

Q6. Who led him into the temple?

Answer: B. The Spirit

Luke 2:27 (KJV) — 'he came by the Spirit into the temple.' (Luke 2:27, KJV)

Q7. What did Simeon do with the child Jesus?

Answer: B. Took him up in his arms

Luke 2:28 (KJV) — 'Then took he him up in his arms.' (Luke 2:28, KJV)

Q8. Simeon called Jesus 'a light to lighten' whom?

Answer: B. The Gentiles

Luke 2:32 (KJV) — 'A light to lighten the Gentiles.' (Luke 2:32, KJV)

Q9. Whose soul did Simeon say a sword would pierce?

Answer: B. Mary's

Luke 2:35 (KJV) — 'Yea, a sword shall pierce through thy own soul also.' (Luke 2:35, KJV)

Q10. Simeon said his eyes had seen what?

Answer: B. Thy salvation

Luke 2:30 (KJV) — 'For mine eyes have seen thy salvation.' (Luke 2:30, KJV)

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