Ancient Israel Quiz

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| 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ raised twelve sons, who became the 12 tribes of Israel. 2. Cyrus 3. Jacob 4. Abraham 5. Moses | 1. Who led the Israelites out of Egypt and into the Sinai Desert? 2. Jacob 3. Moses 4. Pharaoh 5. Abraham | 1. Who were the descendants of Abraham, who left Mesopotamia and settled in Canaan? 2. Sumerians 3. Israelites 4. Egyptians 5. Babylonians |
| 1. What caused the Israelites to leave Canaan and go to Egypt? 2. A flood 3. Drought 4. War 5. None of the above | 1. As a boy, who defeated the Philistine giant, Goliath? 2. David 3. Abraham 4. Jacob 5. Joshua | 1. Who was the Israelite king known for his wise sayings or proverbs? 2. Sargon 3. Nebuchadnezzar 4. Tutankhamen 5. Solomon |
| 1. The belief in one god is called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. 2. Polytheism 3. Monotheism 4. Deity 5. Religion | 1. Who is best known because he was king of Israel when Jesus born? 2. King David 3. King Herod 4. King Solomon 5. King Saul | 1. Name one of the most important ideas spread by the Phoenicians. 2. The alphabet 3. Rules for sailors 4. Trading guidelines 5. Map making |
| 1. An agreement or promise is called a \_\_\_\_\_. 2. Kosher 3. Drought 4. Covenant 5. Proverb | 1. Where did Moses receive laws from God? 2. Canaan 3. Mount Sinai 4. Red Sea 5. Jordan River | 1. How long did it take for the Israelites to reach the Promised Land? 2. 40 minutes 3. 40 months 4. 40 days 5. 40 years |
| 1. The ancient Israelite faith is known today as what religion? 2. Judaism   B. Christianity   1. Buddhism 2. Islam | 1. A person forced to live in a foreign land is in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. 2. Denial 3. Exile 4. Drought 5. None of the above | 1. The faith practiced by the ancient Israelites was different from other religions at that time because most other people: 2. Worshiped many gods and goddesses 3. Were Christian 4. Had no written texts 5. Believed in Greek and Roman gods. |

“A wise son brings joy to his father, but a foolish son grief to his mother”.

– King Solomon