

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

**400 Silent Years**

## Chapter I

1. Josephus was a Jewish historian. True or False
2. Jonathan killed his brother Joshua. True or False
3. Jaddua was a man of spotless \_\_\_\_\_.
4. What year did Alexander die? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Alexander was 53 when he died. True or False
6. Antigonus was a general of Alexander. True or False
7. Soter sacked Jerusalem on the Sabbath Day and killed many Jews.  
True or False
8. The battle of Ipsus occurred in \_\_\_\_\_ B.C.
9. Name the four generals who divided Alexander the Great's empire after his death.
  1. \_\_\_\_\_
  2. \_\_\_\_\_
  3. \_\_\_\_\_
  4. \_\_\_\_\_
10. Ptolemies refers to the Egyptian rulers. True or False
11. Simon the Just was sometimes described as "Morning Star." True or False
12. Who built their hated rival temple upon Mt. Gerizim? \_\_\_\_\_
13. The Pharisees were \_\_\_\_\_ separatists.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ was president of the \_\_\_\_\_ or High Council of the \_\_\_\_\_.
15. The death of Simon the Just occurred in 240 B.C. True or False
16. Eleazar was a brother of \_\_\_\_\_.
17. Ptolemy Soter reigned \_\_\_\_\_ years.

18. \_\_\_\_\_ was a son of Ptolemy Soter.
19. What is the LXX? \_\_\_\_\_
20. The Greek translation of the Old Testament is known as the \_\_\_\_\_.
21. Eleazar died in 276 B.C. True or False
22. Manasseh died in 245 B.C. True or False
23. Josephus describes \_\_\_\_\_ as “a man of little soul.”
24. Who was the first Jewish publican? \_\_\_\_\_
25. Simon II was the son of Onias II True or False
26. Palestine served as a “buffer state” between the kings of the North and South.  
True or False
27. Seleucus Nicator reigned 35 years. True or False
28. Who wedded Berenice? \_\_\_\_\_
29. Who was killed by falling from his horse? \_\_\_\_\_
30. Antiochus the Great became king in 223 B.C. True or False
31. The battle of Raphia occurred in \_\_\_\_\_ B.C.
32. Philopater died in 209 B.C. True or False
33. Ptolemy Epiphanes was 5 years old when he became successor of his father.  
True or False
34. Scopas was an \_\_\_\_\_ general.
35. Who was killed by Heliodorus? \_\_\_\_\_
36. Who was the “raiser of taxes” spoken of in the 11<sup>th</sup> chapter of Daniel? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
37. \_\_\_\_\_ died by poison while yet a youth, 180 B.C.
38. Who was the mother of Ptolemy Philometer? \_\_\_\_\_

39. Who was the last to obtain the high-priesthood by inheritance? \_\_\_\_\_

## Chapter II

40. The \_\_\_\_\_ have been called the Quakers of Judea.

41. Who has been well-named “the Antichrist of the Old Testament.”?  
\_\_\_\_\_

42. Who was Melcarth? \_\_\_\_\_

43. Menelaus robbed the temple of its golden vessels. True or False

44. Antiochus Epiphanes invaded Egypt about 171 B.C. True or False

45. \_\_\_\_\_ invaded Jerusalem and defiled the Temple, sacrificing a sow upon the holy altar.

46. In 171 B.C. the abomination that made desolate was set up. True or False

47. In 165-4 B.C. the Temple was purified and re-dedicated by command of Judas Maccabeus.

True or False

48. The name Jerusalem signifies “Foundation of Peace.” True or False

49. Mattathias dwelt in Modin and had five sons. True or False

50. The name Maccabeus means “\_\_\_\_\_ of God,”

51. Judas defeated Seron and his forces at Beth-horon. True or False

52. Lysias divided his army among three generals, name them: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

53. Judas met 65,000 Syrians in Idumea and drove Lysias in defeat to Antiochia.

True or False

54. The Temple in Jerusalem was re-dedicated on the 25<sup>th</sup> Chisleu, \_\_\_\_\_ B.C.

55. “The Feast of Dedication is kept in the month of March each year in Jerusalem.

True or False

56. Who died underneath an elephant? \_\_\_\_\_
57. Who's head and right hand were cut off and carried to Jerusalem in triumph?  
\_\_\_\_\_
58. Tryphone was a relentless enemy of the Jews. True or False

### Chapter III

59. John Hyrcanus renewed the league with the Romans in order to strengthen himself against the Syrians.  
True or False
60. Aristobulus killed his mother and imprisoned all of his brothers. True or False
61. Alexander Jannaeus in his cruelty won the title of "the Thracian." True or False
62. Anna was a wife and a widow in the reign of Alexander. True or False
63. Antipater was the father of Herod the Great. True or False
64. Antipater was a Jew. True or False
65. Who was called circle-drawer? \_\_\_\_\_
66. Pompey was a great general from Greece. True or False
67. Gabinius was a Roman general. True or False
68. Scipio was a friend of Pompey. True or False

### Chapter IV

69. Julius Caesar was made dictator of the world. True or False
70. Herod was only about 25 years old when appointed by his father to be the governor of Judea.  
True or False
71. What year did Julius Caesar authorize the walls of Jerusalem to be rebuilt? \_\_\_\_\_
72. Phasaël was a brother of Herod. True or False

- 73. "Better to be Herod's pig than Herod's son" was a proverb. True or False
- 74. Herod put to death his wife Mariamie in 30 B.C. True or False
- 75. Herod had the title "magnus" True or False
- 76. Christ was born king of the Jews. True or False

Chapter V

- 77. All later books than Malalchi have no place in the Old Testament.

True or False

- 78. The apocrypha books collected were known as written by many qualified and known authors.

True or False

- 79. The Destruction of Bel and the dragon is a wonder-tale. True or False
- 80. "Forever, O Lord, thy \_\_\_\_\_ is settled in heaven."