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Basic Doctrine – Phase A

How to Receive the Holy Ghost

1. Who is the Baptism of the Holy Ghost for? *Answer:* _____
2. What did the Apostle Peter announce on the Day of Pentecost? *Answer:* _____
3. What did those who were waiting for the Holy Ghost begin to do, and what was it a sign of? *Answer:* _____
4. Please quote *Luke 24:49*:

5. What should we fasten our heart and mind on? *Answer:*

6. What is the Holy Sanctuary in which the Holy Ghost could dwell? *Answer:*

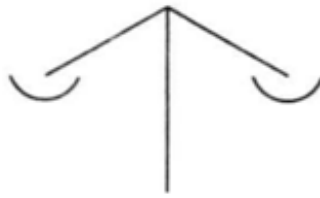
7. What did Jesus mean when He said to become like a little babe in *Matthew 21:16*?
Answer: _____
8. What must we daily yield to? *Answer:* _____

Identifying the Source of Guilt

1. What are the thoughts in a guilt-ridden mind like? *Answer:*
2. What precedes our guilt? *Answer:* _____
3. What does the Bible say about what the condemnation is, and why? *Answer:*
4. Why do men love darkness? *Answer:*
5. What brought inherited guilt to all men? *Answer:*

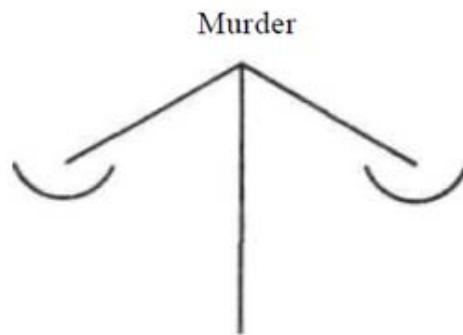
6. Please explain why it is utter vanity to look for justification by the works of the Law:
7. What does inherited guilt, from the beginning of our life in this world, make us feel like?
Answer: _____
8. How do we rid ourself of personal and inherited guilt? *Answer:*

9. The Bible says whatsoever is not of _____ is sin. When we begin to _____ that God hears and answers our prayer or when we doubt that He can give us _____ to walk in the Footsteps of Jesus — all these doubting _____ are sins.
10. Please complete the following pair of scales regarding two things that are yoked to guilt:



11. How do we always deal with the *effects* of our guilt, the torment and misery, and we never address the *cause* — our guilt? *Answer:*
12. When we sin and forget our sin in our conscious mind, what happens to the wrong and the guilt, and what are the consequences? *Answer:*
13. What does the Blood of Jesus Christ remove? *Answer:*
- a. _____
- b. _____

14. Please complete the following pair of scales:

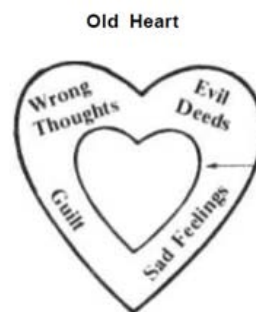


15. What did God require when a slain man was found and the murderer was unknown, and why? *Answer:*

16. What is the difference between “tongue” murder and “heart” murder? *Answer:*

17. Even as Christians, what do we need to repent of? *Answer:*

18. Please complete the following diagram:

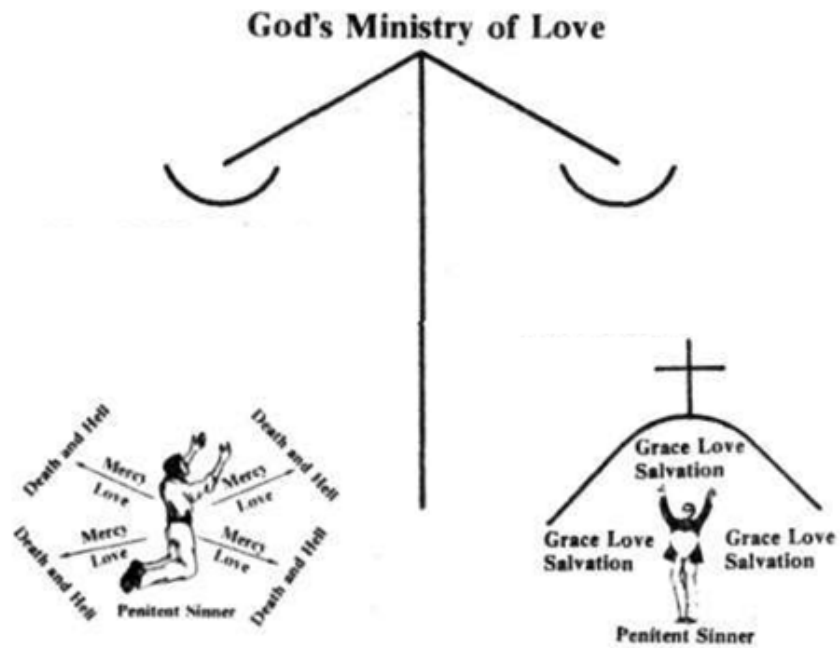


19. What should we do when we begin to fear? *Answer:*
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Remedy and Relief for You

1. Please quote *Psalms 51:5*:
2. Why is the very fiber of our being always resisting right? *Answer:*
3. Please quote *Psalms 58:3,4*:
4. Please quote *Proverbs 14:12*:
5. What are the wages of sin, and what is the gift of God? *Answer:*
6. What does God's Merciful Love, through Christ Jesus, push back, and bring us? *Answer:*

7. Please complete the following pair of scales:



8. What has the LORD Jesus Christ eased, freed, and relieved to every *penitent* soul?

Answer:

9. Please quote *I John 1:9,10*:

10. What does God's Word assure us of? *Answer:*
-

The Fourfold Ministry of the Holy Ghost

**The Baptism
The Anointing
The Entitlement
The Filling**

1. What is the Holy Ghost the Author of? *Answer:*

2. What is the Holy Ghost and how does He plead our cause? *Answer:*

3. How does the Holy Ghost give us perfect spiritual enjoyment in our spirit and soul?
Answer:

4. What is God showing us by using four different words to describe the Fourfold Ministry of the Holy Ghost? *Answer:*

5. Please complete the following stature of truth regarding the Fourfold Ministry of the Holy Ghost:



6. What did John the Baptist say was in Jesus' Hand? *Answer:* _____
7. What does the Greek word for *baptize*, *bapt-tid-zo*, mean? *Answer:* _____
8. What qualifies those who are called to Christ's Kingdom for the work He has employed them to do? *Answer:* _____
9. The Holy Ghost is not a _____ of _____
10. Where is the place of blessing? *Answer:* _____
11. Please quote *Acts 2:2-4*:

12. What is the spiritual order for today in receiving the Baptism of the Holy Ghost?

Answer:

13. When Jesus baptizes us with the Holy Ghost and Fire, what does he burn up and separate us from? *Answer:*

14. What does the Fire of God's Spirit do as we pray in a spiritual, unknown tongue?

Answer:

15. Please explain why the little, carnal tongue-member of our body needs the Ministry of the Holy Ghost Tongues, Fire, and Fan:

16. What are we not creating when we are busy worshipping God and using our tongue to pray unto Him in another language? *Answer:*

17. What does the Greek word for *anointing*, *khree-o*, mean? *Answer:*

18. What was the Anointing upon Jesus a sign of? *Answer:*
-
19. Please explain why the Holy Ghost anoints the spirit and soul to intercede and to travail:
20. When God gives us the Baptism of the Holy Ghost, what is it primarily for, and what Gift does God give for the Church? *Answer:*
21. To whom was Jesus sent to preach the Gospel of Good News? *Answer:*
- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
22. What did Jesus let the world know by the Anointing of the Holy Ghost? *Answer:*
23. What did the fact that during Jesus' Ministry on Earth, He healed many blind people, demonstrate? *Answer:*

24. What does the Unction of the Holy Ghost help us minister, and what will be the result?

Answer:

25. What can a servant of God, who has the Holy Ghost's Unction and Anointing upon him, do for bruised souls as Jesus Christ did? *Answer:*

26. What provision did God demand for fresh, daily anointing in the Old Testament Tabernacle? *Answer:*

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____

e. _____

27. What is the third Ministry of the Holy Ghost, and what will it do for the believer?

Answer:

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____

e. _____

f. _____

28. Please quote *Luke 24:49*:
29. What does the Hebrew word for power, *oze*, mean? *Answer:*
30. Why was Israel able to resist the Egyptians and the Red Sea? *Answer:*
-
31. What caused David to dance before the LORD with all his might, and what was he girded with? *Answer:*
32. Why does the Holy Ghost endue us with His irresistible *Oze* Power from on High?
Answer:
33. It is possible for us to experience all four Ministries of the Holy Ghost at the same time. (*Check correct response*) *True* *False*
34. Please complete the following pair of scales:



35. What does *Jeremiah 17:12* tell us about God's Sovereignty? *Answer:*
-
36. What enables us to stride forward to our spiritual Goal of the Heavenly Canaan's Land and the Prize of Christ's Bride, and safely guides us through the maze of worldly enemies who try to thwart God's Plan and Purpose in our life? *Answer:*
-
37. What does the fact that many people keep their minds more on the LORD's Gifts than on the LORD, the Giver, indicate? *Answer:*
38. What is *maw-lay* used in Scripture to express? *Answer:*
39. What did the King—the Eternal, Divine, Sovereign King's Train or Hem fill? *Answer:*
40. Why does the LORD's Infinite, Divine *Kabode* Glory fill all space in earth? *Answer:*
41. What does the fresh Filling of the Holy Ghost produce? *Answer:*

42. How does the LORD's Omnipresent Eyesight restrain us? *Answer:*

43. What must we have if we desire to lift up and uphold God's Sovereign Headship, Power, and Authority in our life? *Answer:*

44. What did the cherubims surrounding eyes on their wheels afford them, and prevent?
Answer:

45. What is *maw-lay* also used to express? *Answer:*

46. Please prove when John was the Baptist filled (*maw-lay*) with the Holy Ghost:

47. When was Elisabeth, John's mother, filled with the Holy Ghost? *Answer:*

48. Please quote *Acts 2:4*:

49. What did the Filling of the Spirit give the disciples, and what were they able to do?

Answer:

50. Who was Elymas, and what did he try to do? *Answer:*

51. What is the final Truth we should know about being filled with the Holy Ghost? *Answer:*

52. What does the Holy Ghost-filled heart and soul have no delight in? *Answer:*

The Gift of the Holy Ghost

1. Please explain what the Holy Ghost is the Author of:

2. What does the Holy Ghost apply and make us partakers of? *Answer:*

3. Please quote *John 14:26*:

4. What is described in *Joel 2:28,29*? *Answer:*
5. Please cite two Scriptures in which Jesus gave the Promise of the Holy Ghost:
- a. _____
- b. _____
6. What does the Hebrew word that helps to make up the word for *Comforter*, *paw-rak*, mean? *Answer:*
- _____
7. How does the Holy Ghost comfort us? *Answer:*
8. How does the Holy Ghost strengthen us? *Answer:*
9. What three things do we learn from *Acts 2:1-4* regarding the 120 in the Upper Room on the Day of Pentecost? *Answer:*
- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
10. What does it mean that Jesus' Disciples were sitting on the Day of Pentecost while they waited for the Holy Ghost? *Answer:* _____

11. What did the waiting Disciples receive when the Holy Ghost came? *Answer:*
-
12. The Scriptures reveal seven different, marvelous uses for the Spiritual Gift of speaking in tongues. Please list them:
- a.

 - b.

 - c.

 - d.

 - e.

 - f.

 - g.

13. What type of prayer does *Romans 8:26,27* refer to? *Answer:*
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14. Please explain what intercessory prayer sounds like:
15. The Holy Ghost can pray through us for our own needs and the needs of others without disclosing the secrets of the heart. (*Check correct response*)
- True* *False*
16. Please cite three things that the Holy Ghost does when He intercedes through us:
- a.

 - b.

 - c.

17. How are intercessory and travailing prayer closely akin to each other? *Answer:*
18. Please explain why the Apostle Paul said, "My little children, *of whom I travail in birth again* until Christ be formed in you," - *Galatians 4:19*:
19. What is the fourth spiritual use of speaking in tongues? *Answer:*
20. The Holy Ghost comes upon a Spirit-filled believer, causing him to leap to his feet and tread upon the "serpent" and "scorpion" powers of the Devil. What is this trampling accompanied by? *Answer:*
-
21. Please complete the following stature of Truth regarding fallen Lucifer's evil workings against Christ and His Kingdom:



22. What is the fifth spiritual use of speaking in tongues for? *Answer:*
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23. What does *Ephesians 5:18,19* reveal? *Answer:*

24. What are spiritual songs? *Answer:*

25. Who informed us of the Ministry of the Witness of the Holy Ghost? *Answer:*

26. Why does the Holy Ghost leap forth in exclamation? *Answer:*

27. In order for God's servant to proclaim God's Word powerfully, what must he have?

Answer: _____

28. The LORD will add to the Church if we are faithful to do our part. What is our part?

Answer:

29. What does the Power of the Holy Ghost affect and get on? *Answer:*

30. What did the Power to Heal, exercised through Peter and John, as related in the third chapter of Acts, come as a result of? *Answer:*

31. Why is it erroneous to think that if a person has been given the Gift of Healing he should heal everyone—just empty the hospitals and institutions? *Answer:*

32. Why did Paul say that writing an epistle with his own hand was a laborious task?

Answer: _____

33. What is the first Purpose God had in sending the Holy Ghost? *Answer:*

34. Out of the Holy Ghost's _____ Nature comes His _____ Power. It is a _____ to the _____ man to be reprov'd.

35. What does the word *reprove* mean? *Answer:*

36. In what three ways did the Holy Ghost come to reprove, and why? *Answer:*

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

37. People cannot come to God simply because they know it is wrong to steal and lie. They cannot come to God just on the knowledge of their conscience. (*Check correct response*)

True

False

38. What leads a person into true repentance and change of heart? *Answer:*

39. How was the Righteousness of Jesus Christ established and declared? *Answer:*

40. Please explain why the enemy is not *going to be* judged:

41. What does leading someone require? *Answer:*

42. What does the word *shew* or *show*, mean? *Answer:*

The Power of Tongues

1. In *Matthew 3:11*, who prophesied of the Holy Ghost? *Answer:*

2. When does the tongue become weighty and powerful? *Answer:*

3. Please quote *Acts 1:8*:

4. How did those who were of the circumcision which believed react when they heard the Gentiles speak with tongues and magnify God? *Answer:*

5. Why has God given us the Holy Ghost with other tongues? *Answer:*

6. What do our infirmities, our weaknesses, hinder? *Answer:*

7. Please quote *Romans 8:34*:

8. What does *edify* mean? *Answer:*

9. What is one result of our edification by the Holy Ghost? *Answer:*

Trade Your Guilt for Joy

1. Please complete the following stature of truth regarding remission of sin:

Remission of Sin



2. What do the Hebrew and Greek words for *remission* mean? *Answer:*
3. Where did Jesus Christ's Sacrifice flow, and what did it form? *Answer:*
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
4. Please explain why remission of sin is a vital experience for penitent souls:
5. Why do we have redemption? *Answer:*
6. What does Christ's powerful River for Remission by Blood carry away? *Answer:*

7. What is the foundation for all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ? *Answer:*

8. Please quote *Isaiah 38:17*:

9. What River did Jesus Christ open when He was crucified, and what did He open when He died and went down into Death, Hell, and the Grave? *Answer:*

10. What is found in the baptismal pool, by faith? *Answer:*

11. What do we experience through the Name, Death, and Life of the LORD Jesus Christ?
Answer:

12. What is the River of Jesus Christ's Obedient Death for? *Answer:*

13. What will happen if we get rid of only the fruit of our sin, yet never allow Jesus to wash us with His cleansing Obedient Waters of Death down to the *root*, the cause of our disobedience? *Answer:*

14. What is a picture of Jesus Christ's Waters of Death that preserve His people but destroy the enemy of the flesh? *Answer:*_____

15. How was daily washing demonstrated in the Old Testament Tabernacle? *Answer:*

16. What is true spiritual Faith? *Answer:*
17. What does faith sanctify us from? *Answer:*_____
18. Where is the River of Truth found, and what does it sanctify us from? *Answer:*
19. Why must we press on to lay hold of the remission that comes by Righteousness?
Answer: _____
20. What is the River of Righteousness? *Answer:*
21. What does *Leviticus 16:1-4* describe? *Answer:*

22. Please explain what the High Priest wore on the Day of Atonement, in the Old Testament dispensation:

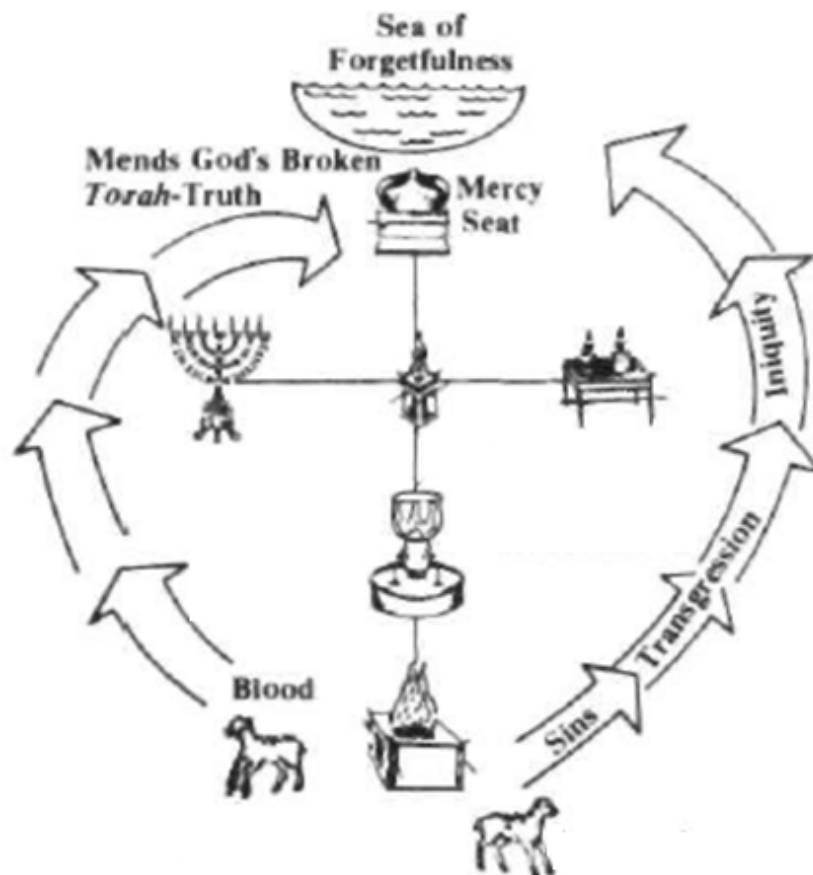
23. After bringing the blood of a bullock and sprinkling it for himself, what did the High Priest do? *Answer:*
24. Why were two lots cast on the Day of Atonement? *Answer:*

25. Who entered the Holy of Holies, and how often? *Answer:*

26. What did the High Priest do after he finished his ministry with the blood of the slain goat? *Answer:*

27. What did the live scapegoat carry, and what is it a picture of? *Answer:*

28. Please complete the following diagram:

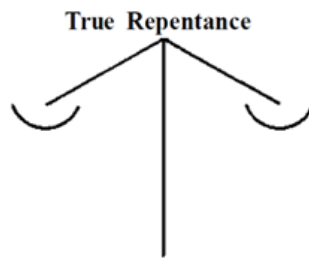


29. Who was the Old Testament High Priest a type of? *Answer:*_____
30. Where did Christ's Faith in His Father's Master Plan lead Him, and why? *Answer:*
31. What did the righteous deeds of the righteous man who led the live scapegoat forth into the wilderness fulfill, and picture? *Answer:*

What Is True Repentance

1. What does true repentance consist of? *Answer:*

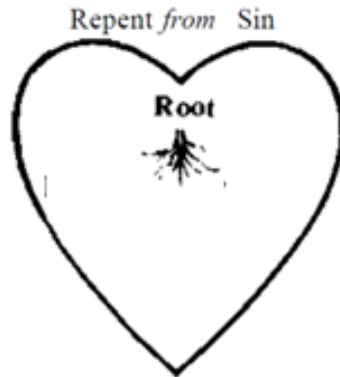
2. Please complete the following pair of scales:



3. Please explain why some people can repent of evil deeds that were done yesterday or that are done today, yet, tomorrow they repeat the same evil, sinful deeds:

4. Why is sin deceitful? *Answer:*

5. Please complete the following diagram:



6. When is a person ready for true outer and inner repentance? *Answer:*

7. When will the emptiness that is left after we have repented *for* our sinful deeds disappear from our heart? *Answer:*

8. Inasmuch as it is not enough to stop doing sinful deeds; what must we do?
Answer:

What is repentance *from* sin? *Answer:*

9. What is true repentance based on, and what does it do? *Answer:*

10. Why has God commanded repentance to be preached? *Answer:*
11. Why has God also commanded remission of sins to be preached? *Answer:*
12. What does repentance carry the connotation of? *Answer:*
-
13. Why *must we preach repentance* for sin, and *remission of sins*? *Answer:*
14. Once we have repented of our own sins and guilt, what will we find? *Answer:*
15. Where does true repentance always takes us back to? *Answer:*
16. What will true repentance cause us to hate? *Answer:*
17. Please explain how we voluntarily die daily:

18. Please cite four benefits we reap by voluntarily dying daily:

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____

What the Bible Says About Water Baptism In The Name Of The Lord Jesus Christ

1. What was the proof that God had given Israel His Name? *Answer:*

2. How do believers' in Christ take on His Name inwardly? *Answer:*

3. Why is immersion in the Baptismal Waters an entrance into Christ's Death? *Answer:*

4. Please explain how a believer empirically dies, daily, to a portion of his carnal nature and experiences Christ's new Resurrection Power:

5. What did Abraham experience before Almighty God revealed to him the Covenant of Circumcision or Baptism? *Answer:* _____

6. Although Abram separated readily from his country and his birthplace, who did he take with him? *Answer:* _____
7. How do we know that Terah turned from his idolatry to the worship of the One True God? *Answer:* _____
8. What happened to a person who refused Almighty God's Covenant of Circumcision in Abraham's day? *Answer:* _____
9. In order to lay hold of Spiritual _____ through Water Baptism and to receive all the benefits derived from this blessed experience, Water Baptism must be done in the _____ of the _____

10. What was the Angel Gabriel's message to Mary, and what did he give her? *Answer:* _____
11. What did Peter receive? *Answer:* _____
12. Who is Christ? *Answer:* _____

13. Why did Jesus forbid His Disciples to tell that He was the Christ? *Answer:*
14. In *Matthew 28:19,20*, why did Jesus only have to give His Disciples the *permission* and *command* to use His Name in Water Baptism? *Answer:*
15. Why are all believers called Christians? *Answer:*
-
16. Please complete the following stature of truth regarding four different men who were obedient to baptize in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ:



17. What is Water Baptism a picture of? *Answer:*
-
18. What did the obedience of Peter, Philip, Ananias, and Paul evidence that they understood? *Answer:* _____
19. Please quote *Romans 6:3*:

20. Looking at the Old Testament type, how often did the High Priest have to wash, and what does it picture? *Answer:*

21. What do we deal with at the Laver? *Answer:*

22. Who is our spiritual Laver, what does He give, and why? *Answer:*

23. In both the natural realm and the spiritual realm, what is a disobedient death?

Answer: _____

24. What does the precious Blood of Jesus Christ in Salvation delivers us from?

Answer: _____

25. How are we buried with Him in His Obedient Death? *Answer:*

26. The Bible calls our carnal heart:

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

27. *I John 3:8* says: "He that committeth sin is of the devil." What does this verse refer to? *Answer:*

28. What does Jesus' Baptism do with all the ugly things we bring to Him? *Answer:*
29. What do we take on by being planted in Jesus' Death? *Answer:*
-
30. If we, as a seed, are planted in Jesus' Death, what will we arise with, and what will we bear? *Answer:*
31. Why is it important that when God shows us something He wants removed from our hearts because it is unlike Him, that we not rush out on our own and try to conquer it, and what must we do instead? *Answer:*
32. What happens each time we experience going down into Jesus' Obedient Death?
Answer:

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