

Bible Quiz Newsletter

March 2023

2023 REGIONAL LOCATIONS

NORTHEAST: May 5, 6, 2023

Evangel Church, Scotch Plains, NJ

Coordinator: Jesse Czubkowski njbiblequiz@gmail.com

SOUTHEAST: May 20, 2023

Parkway Assembly, Macon, GA

Coordinator: Doug Black bqgeorgia@gmail.com

GREAT LAKES: May 12, 13, 2023

Location TBA

Coordinator: David Powell wheatonpowells@yahoo.com

NORTH CENTRAL: April 28-29, 2023

Sioux Falls First, Sioux Falls, SD

Coordinator: Don Jones donvjones@comcast.net

SOUTH CENTRAL: May 5, 6, 2023

Braeswood Church, Houston, TX

Coordinator: Steve Fowler sf1106@Aol.com

NORTHWEST: April 28-29, 2023

Cedar Park Church, Bothell, WA

Coordinator: Kevin Gallo kgallo@gallohome.com

SOUTHWEST: May 13, 2023

Riverside, CA

Coordinator: Irv Kuroishi iskuroishi@hotmail.com

- **NATIONAL BIBLE QUIZ FINALS: 2023**

National BQ Finals will be held at the Renaissance Hotel, St. Louis, MO July 1-7, 2023. \$99.00 a night hotel, free parking. Coach & Quizzer registration remains the same at \$195.00. Registration includes 4 lunches (Mon-Thur), Friday's formal banquet, ice cream fellowship, Thursday night fellowship, finals program, T-shirt, lanyard and more.

SPONSORSHIP & SCHOLARSHIPS OPPORTUNITIES FOR NATIONAL FINALS:

SPONSORSHIP:

- Need 6 Platinum Sponsors of at least \$3,000.00
- Need 5 Diamond Sponsors of at least \$1,500.00
- Need 20 Silver Sponsors for Quiz Rooms sponsored at \$300.00
- Thursday night fellowship Diamond Sponsor of at least \$1,500.00
- Need 30 Bible Boosters of at least \$25.00

SCHOLARSHIPS:

- George Edgerly Scholarship \$1,000.00
- ~~• Mark and Becky Gilmer Scholarship \$1,000.00 (Already sponsored)~~
- Hollis Kelly Scholarship \$1,000.00
- Kent Kloefkorn Scholarship \$ 1,000.00
- Individual Tournament \$850.00
- Male Quizzer of the year \$1,000.00
- Female Quizzer of the year \$1,000.00
- ~~• Quoting Bee \$850.00 (Already sponsored)~~

To donate please go to: <https://giving.aq.org/donate/nym> and then select "**24 NATL BIBLE QUIZ OFF**" for **Sponsorship**. Scholarships are marked "**Youth-Bible Quiz**"

Please contact Bernie Elliot if you would like to donate to the above so we can ensure the monies get to the specific category you want sponsored.

- Master Memorization Award. All of 1 & 2 Thessalonians, 1 & 2 Timothy, Titus, and 1, 2, 3 John within 45 minutes, 5 mistakes or less and must be quoted consecutively, in one sitting.
- Adult quizzing at National BQ Finals 2023: *******PLEASE NOTE CHANGE*******

Veteran Division: 1 Timothy chapters 1-6

Fun Division: 1 Timothy chapters 1-4. Question writer TBA.

- Deadline for Memorization & Discipleship Awards to NYM is May 5, 2023. District Bible Quiz Coordinators may submit names. More info to come.
- Requirements for the Discipleship Award are posted at <http://www.biblequiz.com> for the 2022-2023 BQ Season.
- Need a quiz set?

Steve Kirkman, www.quizequipment.com

- Need to find other BQ information?

<http://www.biblequiz.com>

Scripture Portion:

- A.** Error in 1 Timothy 3:12. There should not be the word “his” before household.” Please delete it.
- B.** Please note Crete in Titus 1:5 is not in “Italics”- It should be. It is listed as such in the CA, and the new Entire CA. It also italicized in vs 12.

Looking Ahead: *Bible Quiz Season 2023-2024 Romans & James*

	<u>CHAMPIONSHIP</u>	<u>CONTENDER</u>	<u>XP5</u>
MEET 1	Romans 1-7 186 verses	Romans 1-5 138 verses	Romans 8 39 verses
MEET 2	Romans 8-11 129 verses	Romans 6-8 87 verses	James 1 27 verses
MEET 3	Romans 12-16 117 verses	Romans 12-14 58 verses	James 2-3 44 verses
MEET 4	James 1-5 108 verses	James 1-5 108 verses	James 4-5 37 verses
TOTAL	540 verses	391 verses	147 verses

* No Romans 16:24

DISCIPLESHIP BOOK: ROMANS & JAMES

“IF” by Mark Batterson

“That tiny two-letter word is the hinge on the door of possibilities. Some of us are stuck in *if only*, living lives marked by regret. But God can turn your *if only* regrets into a *what if* attitude, a faith that looks forward to the future with holy confidence. There are 1,784 *ifs* in the Bible. The most significant? “If God is for us, who can ever be against us? Romans 8:31. It’s the game changer! God is always on our side-every day, in every way. That one little *if* changes everything”

Contesting Changes Summary

Two Unsuccessful Contests

Teams will be allowed a maximum of two unsuccessful contests. After two unsuccessful contests, a team will not be allowed to present any more contests. No foul will be assessed for requesting additional contests.

Announcing

Scorekeepers should announce when a team has two unsuccessful contests. (Note that failure to announce this is not grounds for a contest.)

Timekeeping

When a team initiates a contest, the timekeeper will first set a 30-second timer. Upon expiration, if the team has an available timeout, they may elect to use the timeout instead of continuing the contest. In this case, no additional time will be given, a timeout will be deducted, no unsuccessful contest will be given, and the match will resume.

If the team elects to continue the contest (either by starting to present before the 30 second timer expires or by stating their intention to continue after the timer expires), they will be given 2 additional minutes to present after the 30 second timer expires.

Multi-Issue Contests

Teams may present validity as part of a multi-issue contest. If validity is presented in a multi-issue contest, officials must vote on the validity issue first.

All other contesting rules are in effect.

This takes place immediately for all 2023 District Finals for all divisions.

SCRIPTURE PORTION COVER CONTEST:

Last fall we asked out quizzers to submit their designs for the new Romans & James Scripture Portion. Out of over 30 entries submitted the top 4 (In Alphabetical order):

Harshine Jayakrishnan, Atlanta, GA

Judith Ramesh, Garland, TX

Sandra Schoessow, Portage, WI (2 entries)

Pictures will be posted on Biblequiz.com

BQ TOURNAMENTS

Emerald City Tournament

April 14-15, 2023

Seattle, WA (Area)

Championship only

Richie Nelson: richiedn@gmail.com

253-232-9995

Jersey Shore Pre-Nats

June 2-3, 2023

Tinton Falls, NJ

All material covered

Contact: Jesse Czubkowski jesseczubkowski@gmail.com

BQ MATERIALS AVAILABLE

Pre-Nats # 1 Questions. By Championship Question Writers

\$70.00 12 sets of Pre-Nationals Questions, Set #1

\$70 - 12 sets of Pre-Nationals Questions, Set #2 Available at end of May

\$120 - Both Pre-Nationals #1 and #2

Order here: https://AGYouth.formstack.com/forms/2023_prenat

District, Regional, National Practice Sets

These 25 sets are comprised of:

10 sets over all material at a District Level

10 sets over all material at a Regional Level

5 sets over all material at a National Level

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<https://myhealthychurch.com>

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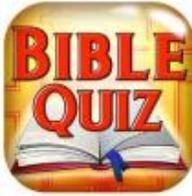
Questions will be E-Mailed starting January 29

Only \$25.00 for both.

ElliotBQ@gmail.com

Facebook Group

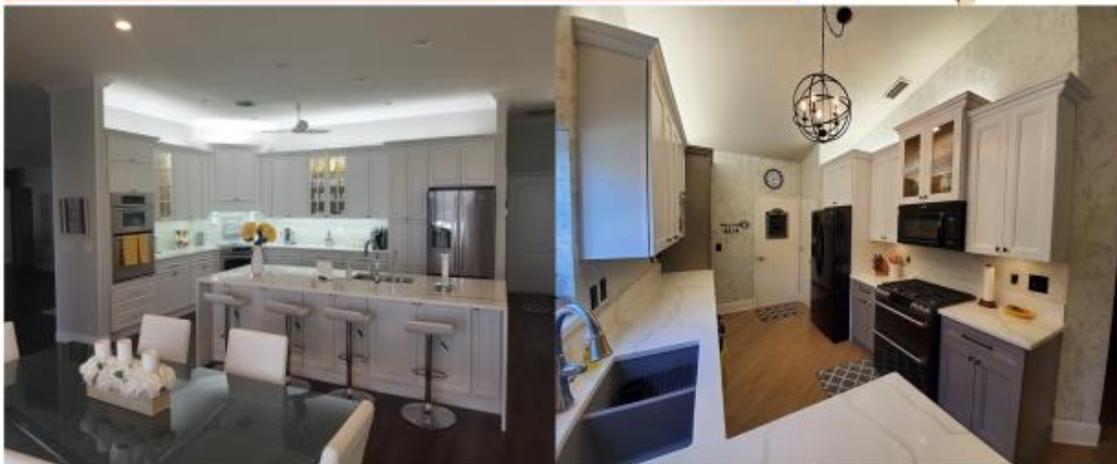
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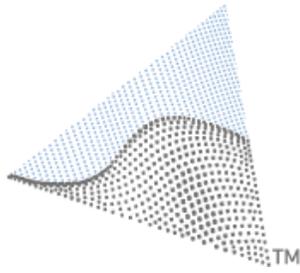


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