

The ESV Challenge - Try answering these questions from an ESV

Instructions: Using the English Standard Version, answer the following questions. Do not rely on your memory; the answers must be taken from the text of the verse itself (not from footnotes).

1. Fill in the missing words in Matthew 5:44. "Love your enemies, _____ them that curse you, _____ to them that hate you, and pray for them that _____ and persecute you."
2. In Matthew 12:47, did anyone tell Christ there were some who desired to speak with him?
3. According to Matthew 17:21, what two things are required to cast out this type of demon?
4. In Matthew 18:11, why did Jesus come to the earth?
5. Who shall receive the greater damnation according to Matthew 23:14?
6. According to Matthew 27:2, what was Pilate's first name?
7. In Matthew 27:35, when the wicked soldiers parted His garments, they were fulfilling the words of the prophet. Copy what the prophet said in Matthew 27:35 from the ESV.
8. In Mark 3:15, Jesus gave the apostles power to cast out demons and to _____.
9. According to Mark 7:16, what does a man need to be able to hear?
10. In Mark 15:28, what was the scripture that was fulfilled?
11. Read Luke 2:22. According to this verse, who needed to be purified?
12. Fill in the blank from Luke 2:33: "And _____ and his mother marvelled". (Jesus' father?)
13. According to Luke 7:28, what was John? (teacher, prophet, carpenter, etc.) What is his title or last name?
14. In Luke 9:55, what did the disciples not know?
15. In Luke 9:56, what did the Son of man not come to do? According to this verse, what did He come to do?
16. Who will be in the field according to Luke 17:36?
17. In Luke 22:14, how many apostles were with Jesus?
18. According to Luke 23:38, in what three languages was the superscription written?
19. In Luke 24:42, what did they give Jesus to eat with His fish?
20. John 3:13 is a very important verse, proving the deity of Christ. According to this verse (as Jesus spoke), where is the Son of man?
21. What happened regularly as told in John 5:4?
22. In John 7:50, what time of day did Nicodemus come to Jesus?
23. Who should be called upon according to Acts 2:16?
24. In Acts 8:37, what is the one requirement for baptism?
25. What did Saul ask Jesus in Acts 9:6?
26. Write the name of the man mentioned in Acts 15:34.
27. Study Acts 24:6-8. What would the Jews have done with Paul? What was the chief captain's name? What did the chief captain command?
28. Copy Romans 16:24 word for word from the ESV.
29. According to 1 Corinthians 11:10, should an unmarried woman wear a covering in a meeting of the church?
30. What wording do you find in Philippians 2:7: Christ "made himself nothing" or "made himself of no reputation".
31. Fill in the blank from 1 Thessalonians 5:22: "Abstain from _____ of evil."
32. 1 Timothy 3:16 is perhaps the greatest verse in the New Testament concerning the deity of Christ. In this verse, who was manifested in the flesh?
33. In the second part of 1 Peter 4:14, how do [they] speak of Christ? And, what do we Christians do?
34. Who are the three Persons of the Trinity in 1 John 5:7?
35. Revelation 1:11 is another very important verse that proves the deity of Christ. In the first part of this verse Jesus said, "I am the A _____ and O _____, the _____ and the _____."

Conclusion: Little space is provided for your answers, but you will not require much.
Try taking this same test using the Authorized King James Bible.

"Am I therefore become your enemy, because I tell you the truth?" Galatians 4:16