

Questions for Genesis ch. 46-48

Please answer these questions without any source except your Bible (no commentary, Bible margin notes, etc.)

Pray before you do the questions and ask God to open your mind, soul and spirit to His teaching through His Word.

Think about these questions. They are designed to expand your knowledge of God and His Word.

Have fun! Enjoy your time with God and His Word.

1. In 46:3-4 God states that Israel will be made into a great nation in Egypt and not in the Promised Land. What advantages would Egypt offer in this development as a nation?

2. In 46:34 it states that “*All shepherds are detestable to the Egyptians*”. How do you see this attitude of the Egyptians as good for the building of a nation of God?

3. Name the ways in ch. 47 Pharaoh showed great generosity to Joseph’s family.

4. In ch. 47 the famine was so severe that the Egyptians eventually gave all they owned and even themselves as slaves in order to live. How is this similar to our life with Jesus Christ?

5. a) What did Jacob demand Joseph promise him in 47:28-31? b) Why do you think this was important?

