## **Essence: The Body**

- 1. Was the human body created as something good or evil?
  - a. Good.
  - b. Evil.

- 2. What is the relationship between the human body and sin?
  - a. The body is often the instrument of sin.
  - b. The body is not dishonored by sin.
  - c. The body dies naturally and not as the consequence of sin.
  - d. All of the above.

## Essence: The Body Teacher Notes

Teacher note: Quizzes cover a lot of material. Take the time to help the student learn the biblical answer to each question and have fun along the way (i.e. you can be a game show host!). Use the online version of the quiz as well! To learn more about these questions, consider this reference:

1. The Human Body (www.Helpmewithbiblestudy.org/7Humans/EssenceHumanBody.aspx)

1. Was the human body created as something good or evil?

a. Good.

Correct! The answer is "a"! The body was created as something "very good".

"God saw all that He had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day." (Gen 1:31)

b. Evil.

Sorry, that is incorrect. God did not create evil or introduce sin into the world.

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## 2. What is the relationship between the human body and sin?

a. The body is often the instrument of sin.

Correct! The answer is "a"! The body is often the instrument of sin.

"Flee immorality. Every other sin that a man commits is outside the body, but the immoral man sins against his own body. Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and that you are not your own?" (1 Cor 6:18-19)

b. The body is not dishonored by sin.

Sorry, that is incorrect. The human body is indeed dishonored by sin.

"Therefore God gave them over in the lusts of their hearts to impurity, so that their bodies would be dishonored among them. For they exchanged the truth of God for a lie, and worshiped and served the creature rather than the Creator, who is blessed forever. Amen. For this reason God gave them over to degrading passions; for their women exchanged the natural function for that which is unnatural, and in the same way also the men abandoned the natural function of the woman and burned in their desire toward one another, men with men committing indecent acts and receiving in their own persons the due penalty of their error." (Rom 1:24-27)

c. The body dies naturally and not as the consequence of sin.

Sorry, that is incorrect. The body must die as the penalty for sin.

"Wretched man that I am! Who will set me free from the body of this death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, on the one hand I myself with my mind am serving the law of God, but on the other, with my flesh the law of sin." (Rom 7:24-25)

d. All of the above.

Sorry, that is incorrect. Because "b" and "c" are incorrect, "d" must be!