

Questions on Jude

1. What three things does the writer affirm of himself? Verse 1.
2. Since James was his brother, who was his brother also? Verse 1. (See Galatians 1:18)
3. What is “the faith once delivered unto the saints”? Verse 3.
4. What were the “ungodly men” teaching that constituted “turning the grace of our God into lasciviousness” and was tantamount to a virtual denial of the Lord Jesus Christ? Verse 4.
5. What example did the writer use to remind his readers of the danger of unbelief and disobedience? Verse 5.
6. If angels who left their proper habitation do not escape God’s vengeance, what about the false teachers Jude spoke of? Verse 6.

7. What is the third example given by the writer concerning what happens to those who disobey God? Verse 7.

8. What did the “filthy dreamers” of Jude’s day do that was like the conduct of Sodom and Gomorrah? Verse 8.

9. If one of the mightiest angels refused to speak evil of the devil, what can we say about the false teachers who spoke “evil of dignities”? Verse 9.

10. In what way were these “ungodly men” like “brute beasts”? Verse 10.

11. What can you tell about the way of Cain, the error of Balaam, and the gainsaying of Korah? Verse 11.

12. How were these men like clouds without water and trees without fruit? Verse 12.

13. How were they like “raging waves of the sea” and “wandering stars,” and what was their ultimate fate? Verse 13.

14. About what did Enoch prophesy and who were the “saints” (holy ones, American Standard Version)? Verse 14. (See Matthew 25:31)

15. According to Enoch, what is the purpose of the Lord’s coming? Verse 15.

16. What four additional details did Jude provide about the men of whom Enoch wrote? Verse 16.

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17. What leads us to conclude in this verse that Jude was not an apostle? Verse 17.

18. Can you name an apostle who said the same thing as Jude in this verse? Verse 18.

19. The original word for “sensual” is elsewhere rendered “natural.” What are the implications of the sensual, natural, or “soulish” man? Verse 19.

20. In contrast to these men, what did Jude exhort his readers to do? Verse 20.

21. Does keeping ourselves in the love of God involve human agency? Verse 21.

22. How are we to deal with honest souls who are confused and bewildered? Verse 22.

23. What precaution are we to take in pulling out of the fire those who are more entrenched in error? Verse 23.

24. How is God able to keep us from falling (stumbling, American Standard Version) and “to present us faultless before the presence of his glory”? Verse 24.

25. What four qualities are ascribed to God and for how long? Verse 25.