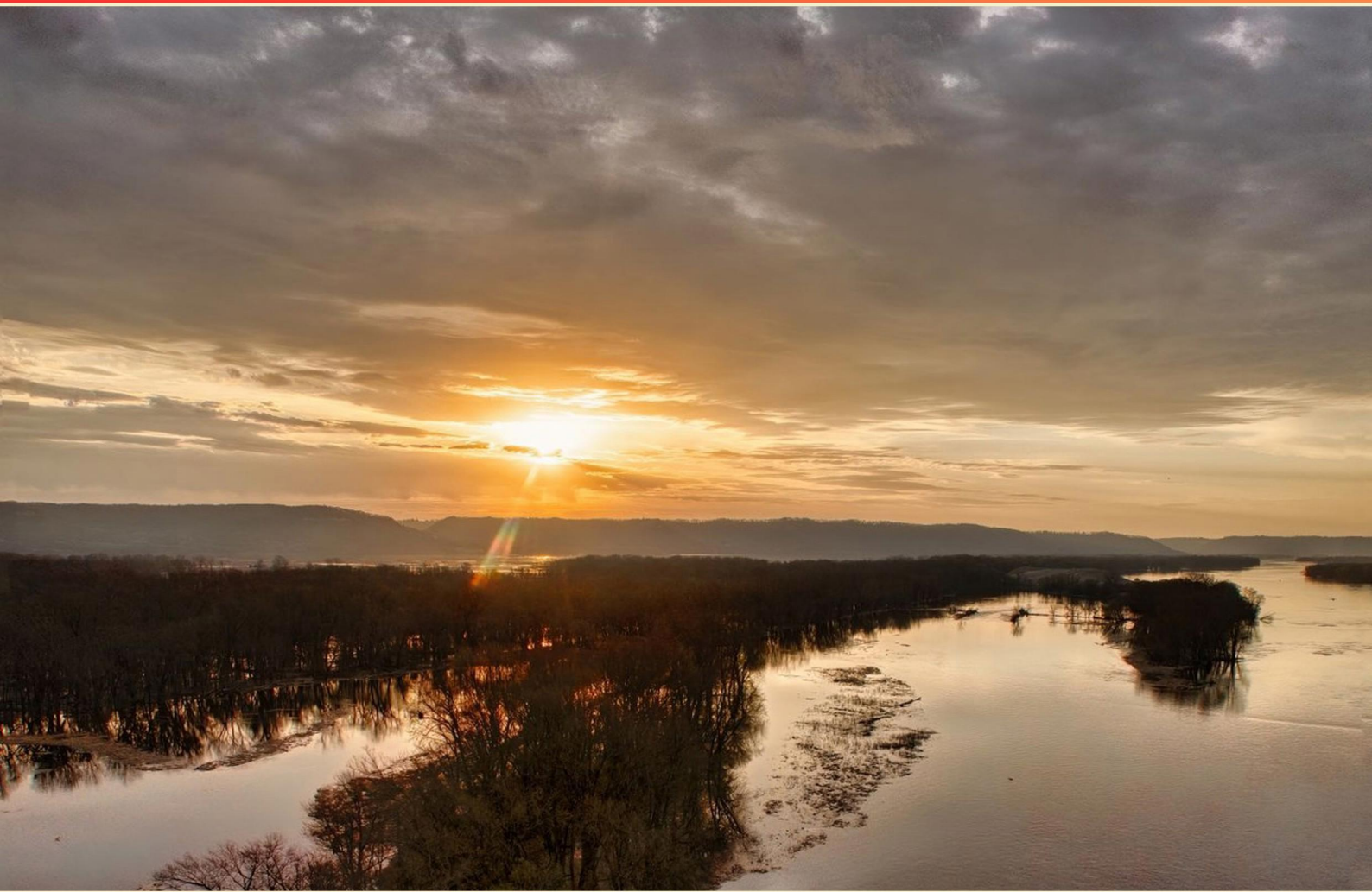


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Introduction

Preparing for a certification exam can feel overwhelming, but with the right tools, it becomes an opportunity to build confidence, sharpen your skills, and move one step closer to your goals. At Examzify, we believe that effective exam preparation isn't just about memorization, it's about understanding the material, identifying knowledge gaps, and building the test-taking strategies that lead to success.

This guide was designed to help you do exactly that.

Whether you're preparing for a licensing exam, professional certification, or entry-level qualification, this book offers structured practice to reinforce key concepts. You'll find a wide range of multiple-choice questions, each followed by clear explanations to help you understand not just the right answer, but why it's correct.

The content in this guide is based on real-world exam objectives and aligned with the types of questions and topics commonly found on official tests. It's ideal for learners who want to:

- Practice answering questions under realistic conditions,
- Improve accuracy and speed,
- Review explanations to strengthen weak areas, and
- Approach the exam with greater confidence.

We recommend using this book not as a stand-alone study tool, but alongside other resources like flashcards, textbooks, or hands-on training. For best results, we recommend working through each question, reflecting on the explanation provided, and revisiting the topics that challenge you most.

Remember: successful test preparation isn't about getting every question right the first time, it's about learning from your mistakes and improving over time. Stay focused, trust the process, and know that every page you turn brings you closer to success.

Let's begin.

How to Use This Guide

This guide is designed to help you study more effectively and approach your exam with confidence. Whether you're reviewing for the first time or doing a final refresh, here's how to get the most out of your Examzify study guide:

1. Start with a Diagnostic Review

Skim through the questions to get a sense of what you know and what you need to focus on. Your goal is to identify knowledge gaps early.

2. Study in Short, Focused Sessions

Break your study time into manageable blocks (e.g. 30 – 45 minutes). Review a handful of questions, reflect on the explanations.

3. Learn from the Explanations

After answering a question, always read the explanation, even if you got it right. It reinforces key points, corrects misunderstandings, and teaches subtle distinctions between similar answers.

4. Track Your Progress

Use bookmarks or notes (if reading digitally) to mark difficult questions. Revisit these regularly and track improvements over time.

5. Simulate the Real Exam

Once you're comfortable, try taking a full set of questions without pausing. Set a timer and simulate test-day conditions to build confidence and time management skills.

6. Repeat and Review

Don't just study once, repetition builds retention. Re-attempt questions after a few days and revisit explanations to reinforce learning. Pair this guide with other Examzify tools like flashcards, and digital practice tests to strengthen your preparation across formats.

There's no single right way to study, but consistent, thoughtful effort always wins. Use this guide flexibly, adapt the tips above to fit your pace and learning style. You've got this!

Questions

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1. Divine healing in AG terms is best described as:

- A. Healing as a spiritual concept only
- B. Healing provided by medical professionals only
- C. Healing of body and mind provided by God through faith and prayer, sometimes with medical treatment
- D. Healing that occurs automatically without faith

2. Who is the MS Secretary/Treasure?

- A. Derek Youngblood
- B. James T. Bradford
- C. Zollie L. Smith Jr.
- D. Greg Mundis

3. Who is the MS Executive Presbyter South?

- A. Greg Davis
- B. Murphy Matheny
- C. Renata Richardson
- D. Warren Wilson

4. How does the AG understand tithes and offerings?

- A. Giving is optional and not essential.
- B. Only during special campaigns.
- C. Gifts are only for mission trips.
- D. Believers should give regularly to support the church's work and ministry.

5. Who is the MS Disaster Response Director?

- A. Greg Davis
- B. Robert Bingham
- C. Warren Wilson
- D. CA Farmer

6. Justification is defined as

- A. Being made right with God; it is a free and undeserved gift of God through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ.
- B. A consistent pattern of living holy lives.
- C. Forgiveness earned by good works.
- D. A future reward for believers.

7. Rapture refers to

- A. The return of Christ to the earth.
- B. The final judgment.
- C. The salvation experience for all people.
- D. The snatching away of true believers for a meeting with Jesus in the air.

8. Which statement best describes the believer's identification with Christ in baptism?

- A. It represents the believer's identification with Christ's death, burial, and resurrection
- B. It guarantees entry into heaven
- C. It is a sign of church membership only
- D. It replaces faith in Christ

9. Divine Healing of the sick is described as what for Christians today?

- A. A requirement.
- B. Reserved for pastors.
- C. A privilege.
- D. A myth.

10. What does the phrase 'new heavens and new earth' signify?

- A. A symbolic metaphor for personal transformation.
- B. The renewal of the earth only.
- C. The completion of creation with a restored universe.
- D. A political reform of the earth.

Answers

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1. C
2. A
3. B
4. C
5. B
6. A
7. D
8. A
9. C
10. C

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Explanations

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Divine healing in Assemblies of God teaching affirms that God restores health to the whole person—body, mind, and emotions—through faith and prayer, and, when appropriate, may be pursued with medical treatment. This view sees healing as initiated by God and received through faith, often exercised in prayer and laying on of hands, while recognizing that medical care can be used as part of the healing process. It's not limited to a purely spiritual concept, nor does it claim healing happens apart from faith, and it doesn't say healing must occur without any medical involvement. The combination described—God as the source, faith and prayer as the means, and sometimes medical treatment as part of the process—best captures the Assemblies of God stance.

2. Who is the MS Secretary/Treasurer?

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In this state leadership structure, the Secretary/Treasurer is the officer who handles district finances, keeps financial records, and takes care of official minutes and correspondence for meetings. Derek Youngblood holds that office for the Mississippi Assemblies of God, which is why he is the person identified for this role. The other individuals listed have served in different capacities within the Assemblies of God—either in other offices or at different times—so they are not the current Mississippi Secretary/Treasurer. This combination of financial stewardship and record-keeping aligns with Derek Youngblood's responsibilities, making him the correct designation.

3. Who is the MS Executive Presbyter South?

- A. Greg Davis
- B. Murphy Matheny
- C. Renata Richardson
- D. Warren Wilson

The main concept here is recognizing who holds the leadership title of Executive Presbyter for the South region in the Mississippi Assemblies of God. This role is a senior regional overseer who partners with the District Superintendent to provide pastoral oversight, credentialing, and governance for churches in the southern part of the state. Murphy Matheny is the person currently identified as Executive Presbyter South, which is why this is the correct choice. The others are associated with different roles or regions within the Mississippi Assemblies of God, not the Executive Presbyter South.

4. How does the AG understand tithes and offerings?

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- D. Believers should give regularly to support the church's work and ministry.

Believers are encouraged to give regularly to support the church's work and ministry. Tithing is seen as a baseline practice—often described as returning about a tenth of one's income to God through the local church—while offerings are gifts given above the tithe to fund various needs and projects. This approach emphasizes steady stewardship and partnership in the church's mission, not just occasional drives or gifts restricted to mission trips. The focus is that giving is a normal, ongoing part of Christian life, enabling the church to preach, disciple, care for people, and carry out missions.

5. Who is the MS Disaster Response Director?

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Disaster response leadership centers on who coordinates and directs relief efforts in emergencies. The Mississippi Disaster Response Director is the person responsible for guiding statewide disaster relief activities, organizing volunteers, and representing the ministry in partnerships with AG Disaster Relief and public authorities. Robert Bingham holds that position, making him the MS Disaster Response Director. The other names listed do not hold this directing role in the official staffing for disaster response.

6. Justification is defined as

- A. Being made right with God; it is a free and undeserved gift of God through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ.**
- B. A consistent pattern of living holy lives.
- C. Forgiveness earned by good works.
- D. A future reward for believers.

Justification is a legal declaration by God that a person is righteous in His sight, made possible through faith in Jesus Christ and received freely by grace. It means God counts the believer as righteous because of Christ's sacrifice, not because of anything the person has earned or done. This establishes the believer's right standing with God in the present, with the fruits of grace evident over time through sanctification. This is not about ongoing holy living (that describes sanctification), nor is it forgiveness earned by good works, nor a future reward. Instead, it's the instantaneous, grace-based declaration that saves the person's standing before God, forming the foundation for salvation and future eternal life.

7. Rapture refers to

- A. The return of Christ to the earth.
- B. The final judgment.
- C. The salvation experience for all people.
- D. The snatching away of true believers for a meeting with Jesus in the air.**

Rapture is the snatching away of true believers to meet Jesus in the air. This concept comes from passages like 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17, which describe believers—both those who have died and those who are living at that time—being caught up together with the Lord in the clouds. It emphasizes a gathering in the air rather than Jesus' visible return to the earth, which is described elsewhere as the Second Coming. Because of that distinction, the rapture is not the final judgment, and it is not the general salvation experience for all people; rather, it is a specific event where God brings believers to be with Christ. In many strands of teaching, the rapture is viewed as occurring before the Tribulation or before Christ's final visible reign, depending on the interpretive framework.

8. Which statement best describes the believer's identification with Christ in baptism?

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Baptism is the believer's identification with Jesus' death, burial, and resurrection, signaling a death to sin and a new life in Christ. It outwardly declares the inward faith and union with Christ, showing that the believer has died to the old life and has been raised to live for Him. This act expresses obedience and public commitment, not a means of earning salvation. It isn't a guarantee of entry into heaven, nor is it merely a sign of church membership, and it doesn't replace faith in Christ—faith in Christ is foundational, and baptism follows as a hopeful, public acknowledgment of that faith.

9. Divine Healing of the sick is described as what for Christians today?

- A. A requirement.
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- C. A privilege.**
- D. A myth.

Divine healing for Christians today is described as a privilege. It's framed as a gracious benefit believers may rightly seek and experience through faith, prayer, and dependence on God, grounded in Christ's atonement. This view sees healing as something offered to all who believe, not something earned by status or delivered only to pastors. It can come supernaturally, or through medical avenues God blesses, or even as God provides inner or ongoing restoration beyond physical cure. The key idea is that healing is a gracious provision available to believers, though not guaranteed in every situation, and not something one must achieve to prove faith. It isn't a myth, since Scripture and church practice reflect God's ongoing work of healing, and it isn't a requirement, because believers are called to trust God and seek Him in faith, leaving the outcome to Him.

10. What does the phrase 'new heavens and new earth' signify?

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- C. The completion of creation with a restored universe.**
- D. A political reform of the earth.

The phrase signals the complete renewal of the entire created order at the end of the age—a restored universe where heaven and earth are made new and God dwells with His people. It isn't just personal inner change or a reformed environment; it represents the final, cosmic restoration of all of creation, removing the effects of the curse and bringing about an eternal, righteous state. This is why it stands as the completion of creation with a restored cosmos.

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Next Steps

Congratulations on reaching the final section of this guide. You've taken a meaningful step toward passing your certification exam and advancing your career.

As you continue preparing, remember that consistent practice, review, and self-reflection are key to success. Make time to revisit difficult topics, simulate exam conditions, and track your progress along the way.

If you need help, have suggestions, or want to share feedback, we'd love to hear from you. Reach out to our team at hello@examzify.com.

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We wish you the very best on your exam journey. You've got this!

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