Solution to Study 0067

- 1. What is the lineage of the new covenant priest? (John 1:12-13; Galatians 3:26)
 The lineage of God
- 2. What is the proof of the new covenant priest's lineage? (Romans 8:9, 14-17; 2 Timothy 2:19)
 - The Spirit of God dwells in him;
 - He is led by the Spirit of God;
 - He is willing to suffer for Christ; and,
 - He departs from iniquity (does not make a practice of sin).
- 3. What is the clothing of the new covenant priest? (Romans 13:12-14; Ephesians 4:20-24; 6:13-17; Isaiah 61:3, 10; Revelation 19:8)

 The clothing of the new covenant priest is Christ, which includes garments of light, righteousness, holiness, truth, salvation, peace, faith, the word of God, praise, and our righteous acts.
- 4. How often do new covenant priests enter the true tabernacle? (1 Corinthians 3:16-17; 6:19; 2 Corinthians 6:16)

 We dwell there!
- 5. What sacrifices do new covenant priests bring into the true tabernacle? (Romans 12:1; Hebrews 13:15)

 They present their lives, filled with praise and thanksgiving.
- 6. What are the responsibilities or ministry of new covenant priests? *Please apply* (5)-(7) in the body of this study to answer this question, as well as the scriptures provided here (Matthew 5:13-16; Luke 12:35; 1 Thessalonians 5:19; 1 John 1:1-3; John 6:48-51; 15:4-6; 1 Peter 2:2; Ephesians 6:18; 1 Thessalonians 5:17; Luke 18:1; Matthew 28:19-20; 2 Timothy 2:24).

Our responsibilities/ministry include:

- Shinning forth the light of God in the world;
- Keeping the fire of the Holy Spirit burning in our lives;
- Having fellowship and communion with God through the word of God, which lead to fruitfulness and spiritual growth;
- Praying always;
- Interceding for sinners and saints;
- Ensuring that the worship of God is not profaned (as we live right, and refuse unbelievers involvement in ministry to God);
- Carrying the presence and authority of God in our lives;
- Telling the unsaved about the good news of the kingdom of God;
- Making disciples of those who believe the good news and are saved through biblical teachings; and,
- Giving sound judgment and counsel on matters arising between believers and between believers and unbelievers.
- 7. When and where do new covenant priests perform their ministry to God? **At anytime and everywhere**

Conclusion

Our worship as new covenant worshippers is not just about singing and lifting our hands in the sanctuary. Our worship also includes our service and ministry to God, which can be done **at anytime** and **everywhere**. Before we are able to serve God acceptably, we must ensure that we are appropriately **clothed**, and be ready to present **ourselves** as sacrifices, and bring our sacrifices of **praise and thanksgiving** for, and in, all things. Our acts of worship include:

- Fervency in spirit;
- Ministry of the word of God;
- Praying always;
- Intercession;
- Holy living;
- Evangelism;
- Discipling; and,
- Giving godly counsel.

We pray that the Lord will continue to grant us grace to worship Him as we should, and that we will serve as priests indeed, and not just in words only!