

DEUTERONOMY ANSWER KEY

TOTAL POINTS POSSIBLE: 274 (1 point for each blank)

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CHAPTER 1

1. the fortieth year, the first day of the eleventh month
2. you have stayed here long enough, break camp and take your journey
3. go and possess the land which the Lord has promised to give to you
4. there were too many people for Moses to hear all of their problems
5. choose some wise and understanding men from each tribe and I will make them rulers over you
6. they were to hear the disputes between them and to judge fairly
7. take them to Moses
8. they said, "It is a good land that the Lord our God is giving us" and brought back some of the fruit to show the people
9. rebelled
10. refer to verses 27 and 28
11. don't be afraid because the Lord goes before you and will fight for you
12. no
13. Joshua and Caleb
14. no
15. He paid no attention

CHAPTER 2

1. don't provoke the people, God would not give them that land, pass through it but pay for the food and water as needed
2. refer to verse 7
3. 38 years
4. they will be fearful and be in anguish because of the Israelites
5. let us cross through your country and we'll pay for food and water
6. he refused to let them pass through
7. the Israelites
8. none
9. not even one, none; because the Israelites did according to God's command

CHAPTER 3

1. Reuben and Gad
2. half tribe of Manasseh
3. all able-bodied men
4. don't be afraid, the Lord will fight for you
5. let me go over and see the land beyond Jordan
6. don't speak about this to me any more
7. go to the top of Mt. Pisgah and look all around and see the land
8. Joshua

CHAPTER 4

1. don't add to nor subtract from it but keep the commandments of the Lord
2. their wisdom and understanding
3. surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people
4. so they wouldn't forget them or let them depart from their heart
5. their children and children's children
6. idolatry or not make graven images
7. to be a people of his inheritance
8. consuming fire, a jealous God
9. they will find the Lord
10. merciful (faithful)
11. so they'd know the Lord is God and there is no other besides Him
12. know this, consider it in your heart, keep His statutes and commandments
13. so it will go well with you and your children and you may live long in the land God gave you forever

CHAPTER 5

1. learn them, keep them and do them

2. with us (the Israelites)
3. X
4. they were afraid of the fire
5. no - wording may vary: We are at peace with God, we've been justified through faith, we have gained access by faith into his grace, we may approach God freely.
6. X
7. refer to verses 23-27 for correct content
8. He desired that the people would fear him and keep all his commandments always
9. observe all God has commanded, walk in all his ways so you will live a long and prosperous life

CHAPTER 6

1. so they and their children would obey the Lord, fear him, increase and have a long, enriching life
2. He told the people that this commandment was the greatest and most important one.
3. upon our hearts
4. to your children
5. When you walk along the road, sit at home, lie down and get up. Tie them as symbols on your hands, bind them on your forehead, write them on the doorframes of your houses and your gates.
6. the Lord
7. jealous
8. X
9. refer to verses 20-25 for content

CHAPTER 7

1. refer to verses 2-5, 6 things should be listed
2. refer to verse 6
3. because He loved them and would keep His oath (promise) to their fathers
4. yes - for a thousand generations to those who love Him and keep His commandments
5. refer to verses 12-15, 6 blessings should be listed
6. destroy all the people and have no pity on them and not serve their gods

CHAPTER 8

1. man does not live by bread alone but by every word that proceeds from God's mouth
2. because He loves them
3. a good land of brooks of water, fountains and flowing springs, a land with abundant crops, where bread will not be scarce, where stones are iron and where brass (copper) can be dug out of the hills
4. beware that you do not forget God in not keeping his commandments, judgments and statutes
5. when they become prosperous, they might forget God
6. led them, protected them, gave them water and food (manna)
7. my power and the might (strength) of my hand has gotten me (produced) this wealth
8. the Lord God
9. they would perish (be destroyed)

CHAPTER 9

1. God
2. because of the wickedness of those nations
3. that God didn't give them the land because of their righteousness
4. X

CHAPTER 10

1. Moses
2. God
3. an ark
4. in the ark
5. the Levites
6. to stand before the Lord to minister
7. the Lord
8. 40 days and nights
9. no - go in and possess the land God gave to them
10. fear the Lord, walk in all his ways, love him, serve God with all their heart and soul, keep his commandments and statutes (decrees)

11. their forefathers' seed (descendants)
12. refer to verses 17, 18 and 21
13. fear the Lord, serve him, cleave to him, swear by his name

CHAPTER 11

1. love the Lord, keep his decrees, statutes, judgments (laws) and commandments
2. those standing before him (the older ones)
3. rain in due season, corn, wine, oil, grass for the cattle
4. there will be no rain and the land will not produce and they would perish
5. refer to verses 22-25, three promises should be listed
6. a blessing - a curse
7. observe all of God's statutes and judgments (obey all the decrees and laws)

CHAPTER 12

1. utterly destroy them
2. they were to worship God in the place He chose taking their sacrifices, tithes and offerings
3. God
4. refer to verses 15-17
5. rejoice before the Lord
6. the Levites
7. yes
8. pour it upon the earth
9. to the place the Lord shall choose
10. upon the altar of the Lord
11. yes, verse 31

CHAPTER 13

1. do not hearken (listen) to his words
2. walk after the Lord, fear (revere) him, keep his commandments, obey his voice, serve him, cleave (hold fast) unto him
3. he must be put to death
4. kill him, stone him to death - because he turn you away from the Lord
5. if it is true, then completely destroy the people and animals and burn the town and everything in it
6. He will turn from his anger, show mercy, have compassion, multiply them

CHAPTER 14

1. the Israelites
2. refer to verses 4-6
3. refer to verses 7 and 8
4. those that have fins and scales
5. eagle, vultures, ravens, owls, hawks, swan, pelican, stork (refer to vv. 12-19 for a complete list)
6. a tenth (the tithe)
7. at the end of three years they were to bring all the tithes of that year and store it within the gates, it would be for the Levites

CHAPTER 15

1. they are canceled
2. refer to verses 2-11
3. openhanded (open your hand wide)
4. in the seventh year
5. don't send him away empty, furnish him liberally from God's blessings
6. so they would remember that they once were slaves until God delivered them
7. wording may vary: If a servant does not want to leave, take an awl and trust it through his ear and he will be your servant for life.
8. set them apart for the Lord and then eat them each year in God's chosen place

CHAPTER 16

1. it was the month when the Lord brought them out of Egypt
2. seven days; it was the bread affliction because they left Egypt in haste
3. where God chose, at sundown on the anniversary of their departure from Egypt
4. hold a solemn assembly to the Lord and do no work
5. seven weeks from the beginning of harvest
6. a freewill offering

7. seven
8. rejoice (be joyful)
9. Feast of Unleavened Bread, Feast of Weeks, Feast of Tabernacles
10. as he is able according to the blessing the Lord had given him
11. judges and officers
12. justly, not perverting justice, showing no partiality, not accepting a bribe
13. that which is altogether just (justice and justice alone)

CHAPTER 17

1. one with a defect (blemish)
2. take him/her to the city gate and stone him/her to death
3. 2 or 3; they are to be the first in carrying out the sentence
4. go to the place God will choose, the priests and judge will give the verdict
5. he shall die
6. all the people will hear and fear and do no more presumptuously
7. whom the Lord will choose
8. he shall not multiply horses to himself, nor cause the people to return to Egypt, neither shall he multiply wives to himself, neither shall he greatly multiply to himself silver and gold
9. make a copy for himself, keep it with him, read it all the days of his life
10. his kingdom will remain for a long time

CHAPTER 18

1. from the offerings of the Lord made by fire, the Lord is their inheritance
2. the shoulder, the two cheeks (jowls) and the maw (inner parts), the firstfruits of the corn, wine and oil, and the first of the fleece of the sheep
3. God chose them to stand and minister in the name of the Lord for ever
4. a Prophet
5. when it comes to pass as he had prophesied

CHAPTER 19

1. three
2. in the midst of the land (centrally located)
3. cities of refuge where a man could run if he had killed someone, whether by accident or on purpose
4. the elders of his town bring him back and turn him over to the avenger
5. two or three
6. refer to verses 16-21

CHAPTER 20

1. refer to verses 3 and 4
2. a man who has built a new house, one who has planted a vineyard, a man who is pledged to a woman and not as yet married, a man who is fearful and fainthearted
3. peace
4. kill them
5. they could take them for themselves
6. destroy everything that breathes; if not, the people would teach the Israelites their abominations and cause them to sin against God
7. don't cut down fruit trees, the other trees can be cut down to use for building

CHAPTER 21

1. refer to verses 1-9
2. yes
3. she would have to shave her head, trim her nails, put aside the clothes she was wearing when captured, then she would mourn her parents for one month
4. let her go
5. he received a double portion from his father
6. the parents were to take him to the elders of the city and declare his rebelliousness, then the men of the city were to stone him to death
7. to put away the evil from among them, all the people would hear and fear
8. he was to be buried the same day so the land would not be defiled
9. Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law being made a curse for us

1. if you see a stray animal, take it back to its owner
2. men are not to wear women's clothing and women are not to wear men's clothing
3. all that do so are an abomination to the Lord (God detests it)
4. so you will not bring the guilt of bloodshed on your house if someone should fall from the roof
5. not only the crops you've sown but the fruit of your vineyard will be defiled
6. accept any answer
7. wool and linen
8. it deals with marriage violations: also refer to verses 13-19 for content
9. she is to be stoned at the door of her father's house
10. both the man and woman must die
11. he pays the father 50 shekels of silver and marries the girl

CHAPTER 23

1. one who has been emasculated, a bastard, nor his descendants, no Ammonites or Moabites
2. because they didn't give them bread and water when they came out of Egypt, and because they hired Balaam to curse the Israelites
3. all the days for ever
4. he is your brother
5. refer to verses 9-13
6. holy
7. no, yes
8. whatever you vow (your lips utter), you must do (perform)
9. they were allowed to eat grapes and pick ears (kernels) but were not to gather in a vessel (basket) nor use a sickle in standing corn

CHAPTER 24

1. refer to verses 1-4
2. whoever shall put away (divorces) his wife, except for fornication, causes her to commit adultery
3. He explained that God's plan was that there should be no divorce, but Moses permitted divorce because of the hardness of their hearts
4. he must not be sent to war but be free at home for one year
5. they were God's chosen people, so the disease would not spread, and because God had given the instructions they should follow
6. don't oppress him (don't take advantage of him), pay his wages each day
7. no
8. they should remember they were bondsmen (slaves) in Egypt and God redeemed them
9. they were commanded to leave some of the harvest so strangers (aliens) could glean the fields

CHAPTER 25

1. the judges
2. 40
3. refer to Proverbs 12:10 and Deut. 25:4
4. refer to verses 5-10
5. X
6. always use perfect and just (honest and accurate) weights and measures
7. all that do unrighteously (who deal dishonestly)
8. the Amalekites took advantage of the Israelites when they came out of Egypt

CHAPTER 26

1. take the firstfruits of the earth and offer it to the Lord in the place the Lord shall choose
2. before the altar
3. they mistreated them, afflicted them, and laid upon them hard bondage
4. cried unto the Lord God
5. He heard them and brought them out of Egypt to the promised land
6. rejoice in every good thing
7. give it to the Levites, strangers, fatherless and widows
8. refer to verses 13-15
9. the Lord is our God, we will walk in his ways, keep his commandments and laws, obey him
10. this day you are my people, my treasured possession, you are high above all nations in praise, name and honor and are a holy people to the Lord

CHAPTER 27

1. all the words of the law
2. an altar, burnt and peace offerings
3. obey the Lord and follow his commandments and statutes (decrees)
4. refer to verses 15-26 for the list of all the curses (six should be written down)
5. Amen

CHAPTER 28

1. refer to each verse indicated, in the version used by the student
2. will be afraid
3. the head
4. refer to verses 16-24 for a list from which the student may choose
5. be a thing of horror, powerless, shall become an object of scorn and ridicule
6. X
7. yes

CHAPTER 29

1. refer to chapter 29 for content in checking student's answer

CHAPTER 30

1. refer to verses 3-7
2. if they hearken to (obey) the Lord
3. yes, because the word is nigh them in their mouth and heart
4. they will perish and not live long in the land
5. they are to choose life so that they will love the Lord and obey him
6. the Lord

CHAPTER 31

1. 120
2. Joshua, the Lord
3. be strong and courageous, don't fear, God will go with you and never leave you
4. he told Joshua to be strong, courageous and not to fear, he must lead the people into the promised land, the Lord will be with him and not fail nor forsake him
5. to the priests
6. at the end of every seven years, the year of release, in the feast of tabernacles
7. so their children, who do not know the law, may hear and learn to fear the Lord
8. Moses and Joshua
9. the Lord
10. break it
11. a song
12. in the side of the ark of the covenant
13. they would be rebellious and corrupt themselves

CHAPTER 32

1. answers may vary, but these are suggested: a. v. 1, b. v. 15, c. v. 36
2. set your hearts to all the words I testify among you this day, it is your life
3. go up to mount Nebo and behold the land of Canaan, you will die on the mountain
4. he had sinned against the Lord and didn't sanctify the Lord before the Israelites

CHAPTER 33

1. a blessing and the law
2. refer to each verse indicated, in the version used by the student
3. God and the people and the blessing for the Israelites

CHAPTER 34

1. the land God had promised
2. God
3. he was strong
4. the spirit of wisdom
5. there arose not a prophet since like Moses whom the Lord knew face to face and performed signs and wonders, no one has ever performed the awesome deeds Moses did in all Israel