

Section 2: Christianity and the Roman Empire  
The Fate of Ancient Rome**Section Quiz****A. Key Terms**

**Directions:** Read the statements below. If a statement is true, write T in the blank provided. If it is false, write F. Rewrite false statements on another sheet of paper to make them true.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Epistles are stories written by Jesus' disciples.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Jews and Christians refer to a savior as a messiah.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Jesus founded Christianity and was believed to be the Messiah.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Christians became martyrs when they were imprisoned for their cause.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Disciples are founders of a religion or belief.

**B. Main Ideas**

**Directions:** Write the letter of the correct answer in each blank.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Which of the following describes Roman rule in Judaea before Jesus?
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| a. Romans worshipped the Jewish religion.         | c. Romans punished Jews harshly for their opposition. |
| b. Disciples were allowed to write their stories. | d. Romans allowed Jews to govern themselves.          |
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Which of the following describes belief about Jesus' teaching?
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| a. He taught Jews beginning at the age of 20.                            | c. He taught mostly in cities where there were large temples.           |
| b. He traveled and taught Jews in the countryside for about three years. | d. He taught that Jews should begin an armed revolt against the Romans. |
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Which of the following is one reason Paul was an effective disciple?
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| a. He was a Roman citizen.                            | c. He only taught Jews.             |
| b. He could not write but was a talented storyteller. | d. He read his diary to Christians. |
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Christians chose Sunday for their day of worship because they thought it was
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| a. the day God created the earth. | c. the day Jesus was born.           |
| b. the day Jesus was crucified.   | d. the day Jesus rose from the dead. |
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. During the years of Christian persecutions, the Roman Empire was
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| a. losing its power.          | c. changing to a Republic. |
| b. expanding its territories. | d. increasing its size.    |