

Chapter Thirteen — The Ethnic-Division Principle

1. Define the Ethnic-Division Principle.
2. What does the word “ethnic” mean in:
 - A. English -
 - B. Hebrew -
 - C. Greek -
3. What are the three basic ethnic divisions in the Bible?
 - A. _____
 - B. _____
 - C. _____
4. Which nation was the chosen nation under Old Testament times?
5. Give the threefold reason for God’s choice of this nation.
 - A. _____
 - B. _____
 - C. _____
6. When was the Chosen Nation divided into two kingdoms?
7. What were the designations of these two kingdoms?
8. Fill in all of the “two’s” from Section C concerning the division of Israel.

Two _____	Two _____
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9. Who is the term "Gentile" applied to in Scripture?

10. List the eightfold condition of the Gentile nations.

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____
- F. _____
- G. _____
- H. _____

11. Give one Scripture from the Old and New Testaments which clearly show that the Gentiles would come into blessing through Christ.

A. Old Testament _____

B. New Testament _____

12. Define the word "Church."

13. Fill in the following words:

"The threefold use of the word 'church' is used in its two basic senses:

_____ and _____."

14. What ethnic divisions is the New Testament Church composed of?

15. Who is "The Nation" in I Peter 2:9, Matthew 21:43, Isaiah 26:2, and Isaiah 65:1?

Give proof or reason as to your answer.

16. Using the five questions from Qualification A, answer the following:

A. Which ethnic division does Jeremiah 3:6 refer to?

B. Which ethnic division does Jeremiah 3:8 refer to?

- C. Which ethnic division does Jeremiah 31:31 refer to?
 - D. Which ethnic division does Joel 3:9 refer to?
 - E. Which ethnic division does Zechariah 2:11 refer to?
17. The name "Israel" is used in scripture to refer to:
- A. _____
 - B. _____
 - C. _____
 - D. _____
 - E. _____
18. Is "the Church" to be found in Old Testament prophecies?
19. What is "the key" to finding the Church in the Old Testament?

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Assignments

Assignment #1

Using the Ethnic-Division Principle, prove how Paul can justify his use of Isaiah 54:1 in Galatians 4:27 (verses 21-31, context) as referring to the New Testament Church.

Assignment #2

Using the Ethnic-Division Principle, study Genesis 12:3 with Galatians 3:8-29 and prove how Paul can justify his statement that “the seed of Abraham” refers to Christ and the Church.

Assignment #3

Using the Ethnic-Division Principle, determine which ethnic divisions are referred to in the following verses. Briefly explain why this is so.

A. Romans 9:4-8

B. Galatians 6:15-16

C. Revelation 21:12