

Civics: A Christian Worldview – Test 2A

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 - C. promote moral behavior
 - D. guarantee economic security
- _____ 2. Plunder occurs when wealth is ____.
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 - B. taken without consent and given to non-earners
 - C. unequally distributed
 - D. inherited
- _____ 3. Legal plunder is especially harmful because ____.
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 - B. it benefits no one
 - C. it is hidden behind the authority of law
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- A. promote social welfare
 - B. shape culture
 - C. prevent harm to others
 - D. improve personal virtue
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- A. discourages participation in voting
 - B. stops injustice rather than directing behavior
 - C. avoids automatically handing out punishment
 - D. rejects the authority of the government
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- A. punish evildoers
 - B. enforce Christian morality
 - C. provide welfare
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- A. obey leaders who acknowledge God’s authority
 - B. resist rulers if they have exceeded their authority
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| ___ 13. Christians are "___ with the saints." | C. meekness |
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| ___ 16. "___ not evil." | F. conversation |
| ___ 17. "These filthy dreamers... speak ___ of dignities." | G. principalities |
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