

Book of Mormon Doctrinal Mastery: Assessment 2

ALMA - MORONI

Doctrinal mastery references

For questions 1–3, write the letter of the corresponding reference in the blank next to each phrase. Please do not use your scriptures for this portion of the assessment.

Key Phrases	Scripture References
_____ 1. "Charity is the pure love of Christ."	a. Alma 39:9
_____ 2. "And he shall go forth, suffering pains and afflictions and temptations of every kind."	b. Alma 41:10
_____ 3. "Go no more after the lusts of your eyes."	c. Moroni 7:45–48
	d. Helaman 5:12
	e. Alma 7:11–13

Key scripture phrases

For questions 4–6, fill in the missing words in the doctrinal mastery key scripture phrases. Please do not use your scriptures for this portion of the assessment.

4. "Ask with a _____ heart, with real _____, having faith in Christ. . . . And by the power of the Holy Ghost ye may _____ the truth of all things." (Moroni 10:4–5)
5. "It is upon the _____ of our _____ . . . that ye must build your _____." (Helaman 5:12)
6. "Ye receive no _____ until after the _____ of your _____." (Ether 12:6)

Application to real-life situations

You may use your scriptures for the remainder of the assessment.

For questions 7–9, identify one or more doctrinal mastery passages from Alma through Moroni that could help someone in the following situations. Explain why you selected the passage(s) you did.

7. A young woman who is learning about the Church wants to know what she should do to follow Jesus Christ.

8. Your friend does not understand the significance of Jesus Christ and asks you what He has done for us.

9. A young man wants to know how he can receive God's help and strength to be protected from Satan's temptations.

Principles of acquiring spiritual knowledge

For questions 10–11, demonstrate your knowledge of and ability to use the principles of acquiring spiritual knowledge.

10. How would you explain the following principles of acquiring spiritual knowledge to someone?

a. Act in faith.

b. Examine concepts and questions with an eternal perspective.

c. Seek further understanding through divinely appointed sources.

11. A young woman sometimes feels like God's commandments are too restrictive. She wonders if she would be happier if she could just live her life in whatever way she feels is best.

Answer the following questions:

a. What specific things could this person do to act in faith?

b. How could seeing this situation with an eternal perspective help her?

- c. Doctrinal mastery passages are examples of divinely appointed sources. What doctrinal mastery passage(s) might be helpful in this situation? How so?

12. Of the 12 doctrinal mastery passages you studied in the second half of the Book of Mormon, what doctrinal mastery passage has been particularly helpful or meaningful to you? Why?
