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Model Question

The Gospel of St. Luke

1. What are the internal and external evidences for the authorship of the Gospel of St. Luke?
2. Explain the purpose, content and the sources of the Gospel of St. Luke.
3. Which are the arguments in favor of the accuracy of the Gospel of St. Luke?
4. Write a note on the census of Quirinus.
5. Explain the references to prayer found in the Gospel of St. Luke.
6. "The Gospel of St. Luke is good news to the poor". Explain.
7. Explain the eschatological implications of Jesus' teachings regarding the poor.
8. Explain the theological meaning of the announcement of John's birth [1: 8-23].
9. Mary's hymn of praise [Magnificat] is one of the three major hymnic pieces in the infancy material. Explain?
10. Describe the salvific dimensions of the temptations of Jesus [4: 1-13].
11. How does synagogue speech announce the will of God and fulfill His promise?
12. Jesus tackles demons and diseases to show that He possesses the key to life [4: 31-44]. Explain.
13. Jesus showed His power over death by raising the Son of a widow [7: 11-17]. Explain.
14. Explain briefly the wordless worship of an unnamed woman in Lk 7: 36-50.
15. Describe the theological meaning of the story of the good Samaritan in Lk 10: 25-37.
16. "Our happiness and comfort do not depend upon our having a great deal of the wealth of this world?" - Why did Jesus say so?
17. Explain the meaning of divine providence according to St. Luke [12: 22-40].
18. The parable of the prodigal son [15: 11-32] is the expression of the boundless mercy of the Heavenly Father. Explain.
19. What are the differences and similarities between the two sons in Lk 15: 11-32?
20. Which are the main themes in Lukan passion narrative?