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Online Viva Model Questions

Patrology

Answer in one word

1. Who is the author of the book “Ecclesiastical History”?
2. Who among the Church Fathers is named as “Sun of the Syrians”?
3. Who is known as the father of oriental monasticism?
4. In which name “The teachings of the Twelve Apostles” is generally known?
5. Name the Apologist who wrote “Dialogue with Trypho” defending Christianity against Judaism?
6. Name the first important Latin theologian who became a Montanist?
7. Name the Syrian Church Father born at Nisibis ?
8. Who among the church fathers is known as “golden mouthed”?
9. Name the council which defended definitively the doctrine that Christ is one person in two natures?
10. Who is the founder of the school of Antioch?
11. The homilies of St. Ephraem was written in _____ verse
12. Who is known as the pioneer in Syriac poetry?
13. St. Ephraem was known as the holy deacon of _____
14. Name the Church Father born at Antioch?
15. St. John Chrysostom died in the year _____ AD
16. Who is the younger brother of Gregory of Nyssa?
17. Who is the Latin writer most indebted to Origen?
18. Who is called as the “father of the homily?”
19. Along with whom Origen founded the school of Caesarea?
20. Tertullian was careless in his _____ statements

Short Essay (Not less than 3 minutes)

1. Explain the theological treaties on God, Logos by Justin?
2. Which are the important writings of St. Ephraem? Explain?
3. Who are the fathers of the church and how they are important to the church's growth?
4. Write shortly on the life and theological writings of St. John Chrysostom?
5. Explain briefly the importance and historical context of the Cappadocian Fathers?
6. Who are the Apologists and describe the characteristics and context of their epoch?
7. Which are the important writings of St. Irenaeus of Lyons?
8. Describe shortly the content of the Didache?