



National Champion Owasso Goes Undefeated; Ozark Wins Challenger Division

Owasso First Assembly of God from Owasso, Oklahoma, has made it a clean sweep. The second-year team from suburban Tulsa has completed a remarkable run, with an unblemished 19-0 record, to win the 2008 "Final 40" at Green Bay. From the start of the playoffs in the Oklahoma District Finals and South Central Regional through National Finals, Owasso has not lost a single game. The closest game of all was the very last match of Nationals, as second-place Cedar Park Assembly of Bothell, Washington, took Owasso down to the last question before the Oklahomans prevailed. On the Challenger Division side, James River Assembly's "In Chains" team from Ozark, Missouri, won. Congratulations to all of the winners!

Other category winners are as follows:

National Finals Championship Division Teams

1st Place—Owasso First Assembly, Owasso, OK
2nd Place—Cedar Park Assembly, Bothell, WA
3rd Place—James River Assembly, Ozark, MO

National Finals Championship Division Individual High Scorers

1st Place—Grant Warnock, Journey Church, Bridgeville, PA
2nd Place—Jared Burkhalter, Faith Assembly, Orlando, FL
3rd Place—Lucas Cox, First Assembly, Lexington, KY
4th Place—Joshua Echebiri, Braeswood Assembly, Houston, TX

Individual Quizzing

1st Place—Blake Porter, James River Assembly, Ozark, MO
2nd Place—Daniel Wagner, Owasso First Assembly, Owasso, OK
3rd Place—Jared Burkhalter, Faith Assembly, Orlando, FL

Quoting Bee

1st Place—Joshua Wagner, Owasso First Assembly, Owasso, OK
2nd Place—Jenna-Jo Duffy, Cedar Park Assembly, Bothell, WA
3rd Place—Lindsey Brower, Manassas Assembly, Bristow, VA

Preaching

1st Place (Tied)—LaJoie Ward, First Assembly, Binghamton, NY
1st Place (Tied)—Lindsey Brower, Manassas Assembly, Bristow, VA
3rd Place—Zach Brookbank, Overland Park AG, Overland Park, KS

2008 Quizzers of the Year

Female Quizzer of the Year—LaJoie Ward, First AG, Binghamton, NY
Male Quizzer of the Year—Jared Burkhalter, Faith Assembly, Orlando, FL

Assemblies of God Bible Quiz / National Youth Ministries Scholarship Recipients

Rebekah Nivala, Vineyard Assembly, Vineyard Haven, MA
Brittany Porter, James River Assembly, Ozark, MO
JP O'Connor, Tacoma Life Center, Tacoma, WA

National Finals Challenger Division Teams

1st Place—James River Assembly, Ozark, MO ("In Chains")
2nd Place—Calvary Assembly, South Bend, IN
3rd Place—Calvary Assembly, Dunwoody, GA

National Finals Challenger Division Individual High Scorers

1st Place—James Lex, Calvary Assembly, Dunwoody, GA
2nd Place—Danielle Brozovich, James River Assembly, Ozark, MO
3rd Place—James Pryer, Orange Hills Assembly, Orange, CA

National One-on-One Tournament

1st Place—Brandon Ford, Bethlehem Church, Richmond Hill, NY
2nd Place—Ariel Brookbank, Overland Park AG, Overland Park, KS
3rd Place—Chelsea Convis, First AG of Greater Lansing, East Lansing, MI

Dramatized Quoting

1st Place—Rebekah Nivala, Vineyard Assembly, Vineyard Haven, MA
2nd Place—LaJoie Ward, First Assembly, Binghamton, NY
3rd Place—Andric Hofrichter, Northridge Assembly, Grand Island, NE

Senior Shoot-Out High Scorers

James Pryer, Orange Hills Assembly, Orange Hills, CA
Joshua Forsman, Christian Temple, Houston, TX

Curtis Scholarship Recipient

Lindsey Brower, Manassas Assembly, Bristow, VA

Again this year the hotel complimented everyone for their gracious spirit and kindness to the staff. As Bible Quizzers it is always so important to reflect Christ in all that we do, even in winning and losing. For all who attended—thank you for letting Jesus shine as you walked with Christ through the week of National Finals. And students and coaches...you are amazing!

Bernie Elliot, Jr.
Assemblies of God National Bible Quiz Coordinator



National Finals Sponsors

Many times people think that the team and individual registration fees cover the cost of putting on a National Finals. Although that is part, amazing sponsors also provide donations to help with the Awards Banquet, National Finals events and many, many scholarships that are given to the students. To all of the sponsors below and to everyone who donated their time as staff, coaches and officials, thank you for making the Green Bay National Finals one of the best in the history of Bible Quiz.

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Special Thanks

For the ninth year in a row, we would like to give special thanks to Myers Trophies of Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and Wayne and Tammy Myers (owners), for their generosity of hours in designing and supplying this year's National Finals awards. They have also donated the 2008 National Championship Coach award.

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7th Annual Oklahoma Bible Quiz Camp

July 21-23, 2008

Crossroads Church, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Know a team just starting in Bible Quiz? Or do you want to refine your quizzing skills? The Oklahoma District Bible Quiz Camp will be an invaluable asset to each team as individuals learn techniques needed to be all that they can be in Quiz. The camp will feature special sessions for training quizzers in memorization tips, interruption skills, buzzing styles, quotation skills, referencing, teamwork and using the Word to grow in Christ. Quizzers will have a great time learning while, at the same time, building friendships.

The registration cost is \$40 per person after July 7 for three days of camp. Registration includes the following:

- T-shirt
- Notebook with training information
- Questions
- Study Tips and Ideas
- Lunch each day

For those interested, there will also be a special fun outing on Tuesday evening for an additional \$6 per person.

To register, or for more information, call Cheri Smith at 405.329.2322 or Patricia Reynolds at 405.210.1269.



MARK BREAKDOWN AND INFORMATION

What an exciting time as we get ready for a new book in the Bible Quiz cycle—the Gospel of Mark. New products are developed and people across the country are excited to memorize a new book of God’s Word. Start recruiting your students now. For tips on recruiting from coaches around the country, check out “Recruiting Quizzers” under Coaching Tips at www.biblequiz.com. For a complete description on each of the products on the next page, go to www.gospelpublishing.com and enter the product number. The breakdown of material for competition will be:

A-League

Meet #1	Chapters 1-5	192 verses
Meet #2	Chapters 6-9	178 verses
Meet #3	Chapters 10-12	128 verses
Meet #4	Chapters 13-16	<u>175 verses</u>
		Total: 673 verses

Novice League

Meet #1	Chapters 1-4	149 verses
Meet #2	Chapters 5-6	99 verses
Meet #3	Chapters 7-8	74 verses
Meet #4	Chapters 9-10	<u>100 verses</u>
		Total: 422 verses



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FIRE STARTERS at fbse.ag.org/firestarters.cfm

A new National Youth Ministries resource that you will not want to miss this year are the Fire Starters. Each downloadable pdf contains Fire Starters for two days of study. You can download these free of charge or simply refer to them online.

INDIVIDUALS (SELF-GUIDED STUDY)

Fire Starters are designed to help you read and study through the New Testament in one year, regardless of when and where you start. But, even if you aren’t following the one-year track, you can still select the Fire Starter that corresponds to whatever you are reading in the Bible on any given day. The Fire Starters provide 10 to 20 minutes of study, including the Bible reading. Check out the Fire Starters for the book of Mark as you begin study for the quiz season!

FAMILIES

Fire Starters can also be used to facilitate family time in God’s Word. The family leader can start by referring to the “THINK” section. Sometimes this gives background information on the passage. Other times it may be an illustration that could remind family members of personal examples or opinions they could share. Often, the first section contains thought-provoking questions that could spark some opening discussion.

SMALL GROUPS and BIBLE QUIZ TEAMS

The Fire Starters are highly adaptable for small group leadership and study, directly linked to the notes and commentary in the FIRE BIBLE: STUDENT EDITION. The wide array of questions in the “RESPOND” section will provide more than enough interaction to fill most small group discussion times. Use Fire Starters together with the Mark Bible Quiz Study Guide with your Bible Quiz team this year.

MARK PRODUCTS FOR 2008-2009

Almost all new Mark materials are already completed and are available for order now through Gospel Publishing House. To order, contact GPH Customer Service at 1.800.641.4310 or order online at www.gospelpublishing.com. See below for a complete list of product numbers.

The following products are currently available for order or preorder:

731-434	Reproducible Score Sheets (downloadable)
731-435	Official Score Sheets
731-702	Mark Scripture Portion
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731-707	Mark Quote Cards
731-716	BQ Study Pro CD ROM
731-717	BQ Quiz Pro CD ROM
731-718	BQ Question / Writer Pro CD ROM
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731-736	Mark Lapel Pin
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731-738	Mark Study Guide
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080-560	Mark Basic Season Starter Kit
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*Question data files compatible with Question / Writer Pro. For a hands-on preview of the Study Pro, Quiz Pro, Question / Writer Pro, and Coach Pro products, go to www.biblebowl.net.

2008-2009 Bible Quiz Tournaments

Coaches—mark your calendars now to attend some of the best Bible Quiz tournaments in the country. You won't want to miss them!

2008 Empire Classic

September 27, 2008
First Assembly of God, Binghamton, NY

23rd Annual Michiana Tournament

October 25, 2008
Calvary Assembly of God, Elkhart, IN

2008 Peach Classic

November 1, 2008
DaySpring Assembly of God, Rome, GA

15th Annual Gobblefest Tournament

November 21-22, 2008
Valley Forge Christian College, Phoenixville, PA

Missouri Classic

December 12-13, 2008
Central Assembly of God, Springfield, MO

2009 Mid-Winter Classic

January 9-10, 2009
Oshkosh, WI

Southern Fried Classic

January 10, 2009
Texas (location TBA)

24th Annual Friendship Classic

January 30-31, 2009
Allison Park AG, Allison Park, PA

Snake River Classic

February 13-14, 2009
Meridian Assembly of God, Meridian, ID

24th South Texas Tournament

February 13-14, 2009
Texas (location TBA)

2009 Atlanta Open Tournament

February 20-21, 2009
Evangel Community Church, Snellville, GA

The River Classic

March 6-7, 2009
James River Assembly of God, Ozark, MO

Midway Bible Quiz

March 12-13, 2009
Rockford, IL

2009 Rocky Mountain High

March 2009
Colorado (location TBA)

Three Rivers Tournament

March 28, 2009
South Hills Assembly, Bethel Park, PA

2008-2009 Additional Question Sets

Karl Dawson Questions

100 sets now available for \$50 over the Gospel of Mark by Karl Dawson, former National Finals quizzer and coach and author of BQ Coach Blog. Sets are written to help "A" quizzers master material and to help Novice quizzers develop their skills. A new system was used this year to ensure sets are better organized. Set breakdown includes:

- 2 sets per chapter (32)
- 4 sets per "A" section (16)
- 4 sets per Novice section (16)
- 16 sets over Mark 1-10
- 20 sets over Mark 1-16

All proceeds go to help a new Bible Quiz ministry get started. To order, or for more information, details and samples, visit www.bqcoach.blogspot.com, www.agtbq.com or e-mail Karl at karltdawson@mac.com.

Kevin Dawson

Kevin Dawson, former National Finals coach and quizzer with 20 years experience in Bible Quiz, has 100 sets of Mark questions for \$40. Practice sets contain two sets per chapter, five per league and 48 comprehensive, including 24 comprehensive sets focusing on concordance. Questions ship via e-mail and can be ordered online by credit card at www.agtbq.com. To pay by check please e-mail kevinraydawson@gmail.com. Kevin is also available to write for tournaments.

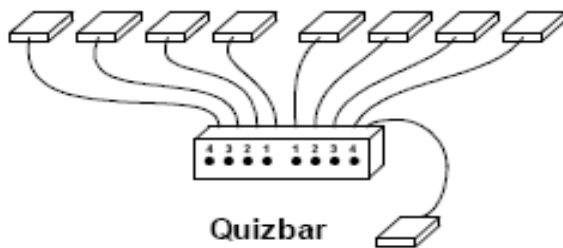
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Richard Fair has 60 sets of Mark questions available. Set breakdown includes:

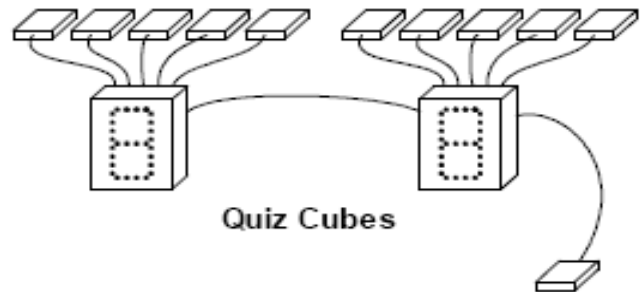
- 1 set per chapter
- 8 sets covering the first four league breakdowns
- 3 sets written at League Finals level
- 3 sets written at District Finals level
- 3 sets written at Regional Finals level
- 3 sets written at National Finals level

The price for these sets is \$30. Please contact Richard at richardcfair@gmail.com or 417.818.9753.

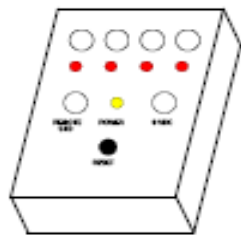
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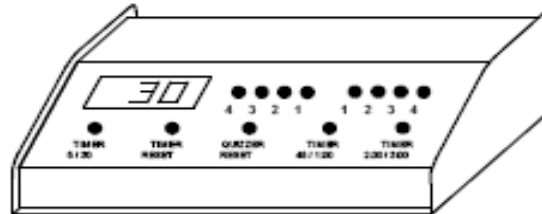
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