

26. _____ offered his Bamboo Grove for the use of the Buddha and His disciples
 A. Anathapindika B. King Suddhodana
 C. King Ajatassattu D. King Bimbisara
27. _____ had guided Sariputta to attain the first stage of Sainthood
 A. The Buddha B. Venerable Assaji
 C. Venerable Kondanna D. Moggallana
28. King Suddhodana attained _____ on his death-bed
 A. Arahantship B. Anagami
 C. Sakadagami D. Sotapanna
29. Prince _____ was the stepbrother of the Buddha.
 A. Ananda B. Devadatta
 C. Nanda D. Ajatasattu
30. Angulimala Paritta is associated with _____
 A. loving-kindness B. Charity
 C. child birth D. Morality
31. Instigated by _____, Prince Ajatasattu caused the death of his father,
 A. his wife B. Devadatta
 C. Angulimala D. Nanda
32. The Buddha went up to _____ Heaven to preach the Dhamma to His mother who was born as a deva.
 A. Tavatimsa B. Tusita
 C. Catummaharajika D. Yama
33. The two chief Female Disciples in the Order of Nuns were _____
 A. Pajapati Gotami and Yasodhara
 B. Khema and Visakha
 C. Visakha and Sumana
 D. Khema and Uppalavanna
34. The Buddha spent most of His rainy Retreats in _____
 A. Jetavana Monastery B. Pubbarama
 C. Bamboo Grove D. Kapilavatthu
35. Who became a Sotapanna at the age of seven?
 A. Rahula B. Maha Subhadda
 C. Nanda D. Visakha
36. Throughout the _____ watch of the night, the Buddha received Celestial Beings and explained the doctrine to them.
 A. first B. middle
 C. third D. last
37. In the Buddha's opinion, by _____ is not one an outcast or a Brahman, by _____ is one an outcast or a Brahman
 A. birth, deeds B. birth, birth
 C. deeds, birth D. deeds, deeds
38. Who was the last personal convert of the Buddha?
 A. Cunda B. Mara
 C. Subhadda D. Anuruddha
39. The Buddha passed away at _____
 A. Rajagaha B. Benares
 C. Pava D. Kusinara
40. "Triple Gems" refers to
 A. Buddha, Dhamma, Sangha
 B. Sila, Samadhi, Panna
 C. Buddha, Bodhisatta, Arahant
 D. Buddha, Arahant, Pacceka Buddha
41. "Kamesu Micchacara Veramani Sikkha padam samadiyami" is the precept to abstain from _____
 A. liquor B. killing
 C. stealing D. sexual misconduct
42. The eight precepts include all of the following except _____
 A. to abstain from killing
 B. to abstain from talking
 C. to abstain from stealing
 D. to abstain from taking food at an unreasonable time
43. The four sublime states of mind are _____
 A. metta, karuna, mudita, upekkha
 B. metta, sila, panna, upekkha
 C. metta, karuna, sila, upekkha
 D. metta, dana, sila, upekkha
44. All of the following are among the Highest Blessings except _____
 A. to associate with the wise
 B. not to associate with the poor
 C. to support one's father and mother
 D. to reside in a suitable locality
45. Who was the Third Chief Disciple of the Buddha?
 A. Moggallana B. Ananda
 C. Assaji D. Mahakassapa
46. Choose the incorrect pair
 A. Dana-charity B. Sacca-truthfulness
 C. Khanti-determination D. Upekkha-equanimity
47. Supra-mundane wisdom can be developed through _____
 A. reading widely
 B. chanting
 C. listening to the Dhamma
 D. realization of the Four Noble Truths
48. The person who has _____ does not withhold his undertaking half-way on account of the obstacles, disappointments or laziness
 A. Upekkha B. Viriya
 C. Nekkhamma D. Metta
49. All the ethical rules which are in the positive form should be included in _____
 A. precepts B. commandments
 C. caritta sila D. Varitta sila
50. All the following are true about Pacceka Buddha except _____
 A. only one Pacceka Buddha arises at a time
 B. to become a Pacceka Buddha, one should practise ten perfections
 C. He attains Enlightenment without any outside spiritual assistance
 D. He had cultivated for a number of kalpas.

51. In Samkhapala Jataka, the Buddha as a Bodhisatta was born in the realm of _____

- A. Elephants
- B. Serpents
- C. Birds
- D. Dragons

52. Born as King Sutasoma, the Bodhisatta was practicing _____ to its perfection.

- A. loving-kindness
- B. morality
- C. patience
- D. truthfulness

53. One who is not affected by the conditions of gain and loss, fame and ill-fame, praise and blame and happiness and sorrow is one who has developed _____ paramita.

- A. Dana
- B. Upekkha
- C. Metta
- D. Sila

54. What can be regarded as the foundation for meditation?

- A. good health
- B. wealth
- C. sila
- D. dana

55. Which of the following deals with the discipline of monks and nuns?

- A. the Jataka
- B. the Sutta
- C. the Abhidhamma
- D. the Vinaya

For question 56 to 75 choose

- A. if I, II and III are correct
- B. if I & II are correct
- C. if I is correct
- D. if II & III are correct

56. Pick the correct statements about Prince Siddhattha

- I. He was born in the year 623 B.C
- II. He was married at the age of sixteen
- III. He personally named his son Rahula

57. Among the eight Requisites of a monk are _____

- I. Stick
- II. bowl
- III. knife

58. Among those who had attended on the ascetic Gotama during his search for truth were _____

- I. Kondanna
- II. Vappa
- III. Kanthaka

59. The Buddha did not declare himself _____

- I. a saviour
- II. an immortal being
- III. an incarnation of Vishnu

60. The Buddha taught that man could obtain his Deliverance from sorrow _____

- I. by his own exertion
- II. by depending on a God
- III. by depending on a mediating priest

61. Pick the correct statements

- I. The Buddhas point out the path, and it is left for us to follow the path to save ourselves
- II. The Buddha does not claim a monopoly of Buddhahood
- III. The Buddha ministered to the sick that were deserted

62. According to the Buddha, one can rightly call himself a Brahmin if _____

- I. his parents are Brahmins
- II. he has discarded evil
- III. he has led the Holy Life

63. The ascetics who did not have chance to listen to the Buddha's teaching were _____

- I. Alara Kalama
- II. Uddaka Ramaputta
- III. Asita

64. Who were admitted into the order by the Buddha with the mere utterance of the words: "Etha Bhikkhave! Come, O Bhikkhus!"

- I. Sariputta
- II. Moggallana
- III. Ananda

65. Among those who had finally attained Arahantship were _____

- I. Yasa
- II. Kaludayi
- III. Anathapindika

66. Pick the correct statements about Venerable Ananda

- I. He had pleaded for the establishment of the order of Nuns
- II. He was the Buddha's favourite attendant
- III. He attained Arahantship while he was about to lie down.

67. Pick the correct statements about the Buddha

- I. He had endeavoured His best to enlighten others.
- II. He converted others chiefly by expounding the Dhamma
- III. He was the perfect model of all the virtues He preached

68. Pick the correct statements.

- I. All religions lead to the same goal
- II. The Buddha had served humanity up to His last moment
- III. The Noble Eightfold path is found only in Buddhism

69. Who had predeceased the Buddha?

- I. Sariputta
- II. Yasodhara
- III. Mahakassapa

70. Evil caused by thoughts include _____

- I. Lying
- II. greediness
- III. anger

71. Mental culture (Bhavana) is repeated contemplation of _____

- I. dukkha
- II. anatta
- III. anicca

72. Straightening one's views is the moral volition of _____

- I. reading widely,
- II. establishing right understanding
- III. establishing the Four Noble Truths

73. The Ten Perfections include _____

- I. patience
- II. Iddhi
- III. Chanting

74. 'Nibbana' can be reached through _____

- I. Samma Sam Buddhahood
- II. Arahantship
- III. Pacceka Buddhahood

75. "Samma Sam Buddha" means

- I. the Perfect One
- II. the Omniscient
- III. the permanent one

