

## Questions on Matthew chapter 17

1. What “high mountain” would be near Caesarea Philippi, the place in Matthew chapter 16? Verse 1.
2. What does “transfigured” mean to you? Verse 2.
3. How do you think the disciples learned who Moses and Elijah were? Verse 3.
4. Why did Peter propose building three tabernacles? Verse 4. (See Mark 9:6)
5. What was the reaction of the disciples when the Heavenly Father spoke from the cloud? Verses 5-6.
6. Why didn’t the disciples see the departure of Moses and Elijah? Verses 7-8.
7. Do you think people would have believed the disciples if they had told the vision? Verse 9.

8. What do you think caused the disciples to ask the question about Elijah? Verse 10.

9. What lesson does Jesus teach his disciples about Elijah for the second time? Verses 11-12. (See the first time in Matthew 11:14)

10. What evidence do we have that Jesus and the three left a multitude when they went into the mountain? Verse 14.

11. What is the meaning of the term “lunatic”? (Look it up) Verse 15.

12. What did the father think was the cause of his son’s “lunacy”? Verses 15-16.

13. Was the rebuke of Jesus addressed to the father of the boy or to the disciples and the multitude? Verse 17.

14. What was it that cured the son? Verse 18.

15. Is faith necessary even if men are supernaturally endowed as were the apostles? Verses 19-20.

16. Was the demon in the son obstinate? How do we know? Verse 21.

17. What announcement did Jesus make in Galilee that caused his disciples to be “exceeding sorry” (deeply grieved, American Standard Version)? Verses 22-23.

18. May we infer from the question that the “tribute money” was voluntary? Verse 24.

19. Do you think the Romans would have imposed a “voluntary” tax? Verse 24.

20. What does it mean when it says, “Jesus prevented him”? Verse 25.

21. How does Jesus imply that He is free from the temple tribute? Verses 25-26.

22. Did Jesus agree to pay the tribute on the grounds of expediency or because it was an absolute obligation? Verse 27.

23. Where did Jesus get the money to pay the tribute? Verse 27.

24. What other proof of Jesus' divinity did Peter see? Verse 27.