

## ACTS CHAPTER SEVEN

### ANSWERS

1. Why did the high priest ask Stephen to give a reply? (Cf. John 7:51)

Their law compelled him to do so

2. Why did Stephen start his defence with Abraham's call? (Cf. Acts 3:25)

The Jews were the descendants of Abraham, through his grandson, Jacob aka Israel

3. Why did Jacob go down to Egypt? (verse 11)

There was a famine in Canaan and Egypt, but Egypt had grain for sale

4. How did Joseph (a foreigner) become the second in command in Egypt?

God enabled him to interpret Pharaoh's dream and he stored up grain during the years of abundance

5. Why did Moses not want go on the errand when God sent him to Egypt?

He said he was not eloquent

6. Who led the Israelites into the promised land?

Joshua, the assistant of Moses

7. Why did God not want David to build Him a temple? (1Cf. 1 Chronicles 22:8)

David was guilty of shedding blood

8. Who, did Stephen say, murdered the Righteous One? (verse 52)

The Jewish leaders and people

9. When the Jews stoned Stephen, who "held their garments"?

Saul of Tarsus, who later became known as Paul (Acts 13:9)

10. What does that mean? (Cf. Acts 22:20)

Saul was in full agreement that he should be stoned to death.