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QUIZ on the Rule of St. Benedict						

I. Indicate whether the following are TRUE or FALSE:

F 1. St. Benedict lived in the seventh century. **F** 2. The Rule of St. Benedict applies only to monasteries. **F** 3. St Benedict encouraged much conversation. **F** 4. The Rule of St. Benedict never used the term "Superior". ${f T}$ 5. Only humble people will be saved. **F** 6. Our wills are naturally inclined to good; only the devil can incline our wills to sin. $\underline{\mathbf{T}}$ 7. We are not naturally humble. T 8. Each person has an angel assigned to him. ${f T}$ 9. We naturally love our own will. **F** 10. All obedience is exclusively and only to God. F 11. Religious obedience is less meritorious when we dislike what we are told to do. T 12. Every human being has to suffer. T 13. Patience is voluntary suffering. **F** 14. It is better that we never tell anyone about our interior failings or sins. **F** 15. We should never demean ourselves in our own eyes. T 16. Every thought tends to become a desire. **F** 17. Every desire does not tend to become an action. **F** 18. Those who truly love God do not, in any sense, fear God. **F** 19. Our tongue and lips have only involuntary muscles. T 20. It is impossible to control our speech unless we control our thoughts. **F** 21. Holy people never have unholy thoughts. **F** 22. Wise people talk a great deal.

II. MATCH the terms in the following columns:

F 23. Laughter is a sure sign of happiness.F 24. Tears are a sure sign of unhappiness.

T 25. The normal path to humility is through humiliations.

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