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QUIZ on Fortitude, St. Thomas Aquinas, Summa Theologica, II, III Q.123

I. Indicate whether the following are TRUE or FALSE:

- T 1. Fortitude is a moral virtue.
- T 2. Virtue makes a person good.
- T 3. Vice makes a person evil.
- F 4. Fortitude is a virtue of the intellect.
- T 5. A person can perform a brave act without having the virtue of fortitude.
- F 6. Fortitude moderates fear and curbs daring.
- T 7. Fortitude curbs fear and moderates daring.
- F 8. It is unreasonable to have fear.
- F 9. It is always reasonable to have fear.
- T 10. Courage in the full requires conviction in the mind.
- T 11. The saints excelled in fortitude.
- T 12. Fear is born of love.
- T 13. A greater fear can overcome a lesser fear.
- T 14. Christian fortitude enables a person to endure suffering.
- F 15. True fortitude is possible without patience.
- T 16. The principal act of fortitude is endurance.
- F 17. Aggression is more difficult than endurance.
- T 18. Fortitude is love ready to bear all things for God.
- F 19. A truly brave person takes positive delight in his brave actions.
- F 20. The more courageous a person is the more he enjoys even the most painful actions.
- T 21. It is natural to fear death.
- F 22. Brave people never get angry.
- T 23. Brave people use anger for their courageous actions.
- T 24. Fortitude without justice is an occasion of injustice.
- T 25. The stronger a man the more ready he is to oppress the weaker.

II. MATCH the terms in the following columns:

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| <u> 32 </u> 26. Christian fortitude | 26. Courageous witness to the truth |
| <u> 28 </u> 27. Fortitude | 27. Helps the brave |
| <u> 35 </u> 28. We can love the trials of this life | 28. Courage |
| <u> 33 </u> 29. The greatest natural fear | 29. Third of the cardinal virtues |
| <u> 26 </u> 30. Martyrdom | 30. Most beneficial to others |
| <u> 27 </u> 31. Anger | 31. First of the cardinal virtues |
| <u> 34 </u> 32. We naturally avoid pain | 32. Endurance of pain |
| <u> 31 </u> 33. Prudence | 33. death |
| <u> 30 </u> 34. The greatest virtue | 34. More than desire pleasure |
| <u> 29 </u> 35. Fortitude | 35. For the sake of the eternal reward |