

MATHEW 22:35
LAWYER, AN EXPERT IN THE LAW (NOMIKOS)

*One of them, an expert in the law, tested him with this question: **Mathew 22:35***

A profession of laymen who studied, taught, interpreted and dealt with the practical questions of Jewish law. They were a special group within the profession commonly called Scribes (Mk. 12:28). They functioned both in the court and synagogues (Lk. 7:30; 10:25; 11:45, 46, 52; 14:3; Tit. 3:13). They apparently dealt more with the study and interpretation of the law. □