2051

Bachelor of Commerce First Semester

BCM-101B: History and Culture of Punjab (From the Earliest Times to 1849)

(Common with BBA)

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 45

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting one question from each Unit.

- I. Answer any five of the following in about 25-30 words each:
 - a) What was Lothal famous for?
 - b) Name the four Vedas.
 - c) What are the Four Noble Truths' of Buddhism?
 - d) Name the two different form of art which were prominent during the Mauryan dynasty.
 - e) Name four evil practice^ which goes against the condition of women during the Gupta period.
 - f) What are the three ways to attaint salvation according the Hindu religion?
 - g) Who started the Masand system and who bronchi an end?
 - h) What is Daswandh?
 - i) When and where the Khalsa was founded by Guru Gobind Singh?
 - j) Name any two methods of assessing the land revenue during the reign of Maharaja Ranjit Singh. (5x1)

UNIT - I

- II. What do you know about the social, economic and religious condition of Harappan people? (10)
- III. Briefly explain in detail the life and teaching of Gautam Buddha. (10) -

UNIT - II

Briefly discuss the social, religious and economic life in Punjab during the Gupta IV. period. (10)

V. Discuss the salient features of the Sufism and its effects on Punjab. (10)

<u>UNIT - III</u>

- VI. Explain the causes for the martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur and its impact. (10)
- VII. What do you know about the principles of the Khalsa and its significance? (10)

UNIT - IV

- VIII. Discuss the social, economic and religious life of Punjab under the reign of Maharaja Ranjit Singh. (10)
 - IX. On the outline map of Punjab, show the following places; ind write explanatory notes on any two:
 - Mohenjodaro, Lahore, Amritsar, Anandpur Sahib, Taran Taran, Goindwal. (6+4)