

P245/2

CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

(The New Testament)

Paper 2

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2 ½ hours



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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- ✓ This paper consists of three sections: **A**, **B** and **C**
- ✓ Candidate(s) **MUST** answer **FOUR** questions taken from all the **THREE** sections and at least **ONE** question from any section.
- ✓ All questions carry equal marks.
- ✓ Any additional question(s) answered will **NOT** be marked

SECTION A**THE PRE-GOSPEL ERA/ THE ORAL PERIOD (EARLY CHURCH)**

1. Before the Gospels there was a gospel termed as Kerygma and it was orally spread. Discuss its contents. (25 marks)
2. Justify the view that Jesus' disciples did not become active until after his death, resurrection and ascension into heaven. (25 marks)
3. Assess the role of persecutions of Christians in the expansion of the early Church. (25 marks)
4. (a) Account for the formation of the New Testament canon. (13 marks)
(b) Explain reasons why some books were left out in the composition of the New Testament Canon. (12 marks)

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SECTION B**THE GOSPELS OF MARK AND JOHN**

5. To what extent can the gospel of Mark be referred to as the gospel of Messianic secret? (25 marks)
6. (a) Explain the significance of feeding miracles in Mark? (13 marks)
(b) What lessons can Christians in Uganda today learn from the above miracle? (12 marks)
7. (a) What weakness of the people did Jesus refer in John 6:26? (13 marks)
(b) Describe the evidences that some of the people in Uganda have become Christians for reasons other than the cause of Jesus. (12 marks)
8. Compare the accounts given in the gospel of Mark and John about the Baptist's Ministry. (25 marks)

SECTION C**THE EPISTLES**

9. (a) Analyse Paul's teachings on the Concept of Resurrection to Christians today. (13 marks)
(b) Examine the importance of Jesus' resurrection to Christians today. (12 marks)
10. (a) How did St. Paul encourage Christians in the Church of Galatia to have concern for one another? (13 marks)
(b) How is Paul's encouragement to have concern for one another relevant to Christians today? (12 marks)
11. (a) Comment on 1st Peter teachings on family relations. (13 marks)
(b) Explain the significance of 1st Peter teachings in Uganda today. (12 marks)
12. With examples, justify the argument that James is a practical letter. (25 marks)

****THE END****