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RST 3101: RELIGIOUS ETHICS
FINAL ASSESSMENT
ACADEMIC YEAR 2023/2024 SEMESTER ONE
BAED III
DATE: 8TH/DEC/2023**

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS (2:00pm-5:00pm)

INSTRUCTIONS:

- *Attempt any four questions of choice At Least **Two Questions** from Each Section.*
 - *All questions carry equal marks*
 - *Start every question on a new page*
 - *Do not write anything on the question paper*
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SECTION: A

Qn.1. a) Briefly elaborate on the various definitions of religion in relation to religious ethics.
(10mks)

b) “the necessity for social cooperation has created rules that are translated into cultural norms”. Explain the relevance of this statement up to the establishment of Religion.
(15mks)

Qn.2. a) State the philosophical needs for the study of ethics according to your religious perspective. (7mks)

b) Discuss the relevance of undertaking the study of religious ethics as a teacher in the third millennium. (18mks)

Qn.3 a) Identify the sources of religious ethics in accordance with your personal experience.
(10mks)

b) With examples, explain the causes of divergences in ethical practices or beliefs of any three religions of your choice today. **(15mks)**

Qn.4) Discuss the appropriate remedies towards the remonstrance of differences in religious ethical dilemmas. **(25mks)**

SECTION: B

Qn.5 a) In the study of ethics, demonstrate how the following controversial issues are managed in the three major world religions:

- i)** Homosexuality **(5mks)**
- ii)** Extra-marital affairs **(5mks)**
- iii)** Corruption or embezzlement **(5mks)**
- iv)** War **(5mks)**
- v)** Domestic violence **(5mks)**

b) Discuss how and why morality and faith are inter-connected in religious matters?

Qn.6 a) when is human conduct considered as ethically wrong or immoral in the daily Christian living. **(8mks)**

b) with real life examples, demonstrate how the moral upbringing of the people of God is fostered by the traditional elders in the society today. **(17mks)**

Qn.7 a) Compare and contrast the ethical teaching of any two the following Churches: Catholicism, Hinduism, and Islamic on;

- i)** Drunkenness, **(5mks)**
- ii)** Musturbation, **(5mks)**
- iii)** Bestiality and human trafficking, **(5mks)**
- iv)** Codes regarding dress and hairstyles, **(5mks)**
- v)** Divorce **(5mks)**

b) with examples, explain the factors responsible with the controversies in the social teachings in the rest of the world religions of your time. **(15mks)**

Qn.8 a) State the reasons why Church and the State always have a bearing in the upbringing of the individuals of the same society. (10mks)

b) “there is multi diversity of religious practices in regards to beliefs, ritual and ethics”. Focusing on this statement, discuss the conceptual problems contained in at least any two of the world religions today. **(15mks)**

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