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CTH 311 Gospel of John
Time Allowed: 2hrs

Instruction: Answer *all* questions in section A and any Two in section B.

SECTION A

1(a) Who is the author of the Gospel of John?

(b) What are the major arguments about John as the author of the Gospel?

SECTION B

2. Define the term “Synoptic gospel” and show the differences and similarities between synoptic Gospels and the Gospel of John.
3. Discuss the various types of signs in the Gospel of John and show their theological significance for the church today.
4. Enumerate the Old Testament figures John compares Jesus with and show the context in which he uses the Old Testament direct Quotations and allusions in his Gospel.
5. Write short notes on the following concepts:
(a) Paraclete (b) Eternal life (c) Deity (d) Cosmos (e) Dualism (f) Symbolic metaphors

