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(The New Testament)

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2 hours 30 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

Answer any four questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Any additional question(s) answered will not be marked.

- 1. Examine the basic ways in which the gospel was preserved before it was committed to writing.
- 2. Explain the significance of the following practices during the apostolic age;
 - (a) The Lord's supper,
 - (b) Baptism.
- 3. (a) Who was the Mark who wrote the "Gospel According to Mark".
 - (c) Examine what he intended to achieve by writing this gospel.
- 4. Discuss the occasions when the disciples of Jesus showed lack of faith and understanding of Jesus the Messiah.
- 5. (a) Comment on the significance of the calling and choosing of the 12 Apostles by Jesus Christ.
 - (b) Explain the role of the Apostolic ministry in the church today.
- 6. Examine the ways the authors of the gospels of Mark and John try to shoe that Jesus' ministry is a fulfillment of the Old Testament scriptures.
- 7. (a) How does John's gospel present the Messiahship of Jesus?
- (b) Comment on the significance of the use of the phrase "I am" by Jesus in the gospel of John.
- 8. (a) Discuss the significance of water int he gospel of Jonah.
 - (b) Comment on the other symbols the church uses today.
- 9. (a) "I may be able to speak the languages of men and even of angels, but if I have no Love....." (I Cor 13:1 GNB). Explain Paul's teaching on the importance of love in the church.
 - (b) What advice does Paul give to the Corinthians on the use of spiritual gifts?
- 10. "For I would have you know brethren, that the Gospel which was preached by me is not man's Gospel (Galatians 1:11, R.S.V).
 - (a) Justify Paul's defence of his apostleship.
- (b) Identify and explain in the areas in which modern evangelists would encounter opposition from other Christians.
- 11. (a) Discuss James' teaching on how to face trials and difficulties.
 - (b) What is the relevance of this teaching to Christians today?
- 12. To what extent is Peter's letter a discussion on Christian suffering.