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CHRISTIAN

RELIGIOUS

EDUCATION

(The Old Testament)

Paper 1

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$2\frac{1}{2}$ hours



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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. "The Israelite way of life was dependent on the exodus event". Discuss.
2. (a) Examine the very first sacrifice Aron the High Priest offered to God in Leviticus 9.

(b) Why were the prophets in Israel not happy with the sacrifices that the Israelites offered?
3. (a) Discuss the commandment of love in the book of Deuteronomy.

(b) What did Jesus teach on love?
4. Ahaz did not do what was pleasing to God, as his ancestor David had done". (2 Kings 16:2).

(a) How did Ahaz fail to live up to the true worship of God?

(b) Discuss Isaiah's response to Ahaz's reign.
5. (a) Discuss the circumstances that led to the anointing of David as King of Israel.

(b) How did King David fail to live up to the covenant law?
6. "...so David and all the house of Israel brought up the ark of the Lord with shouting and the sound of the horn". (2 Samuel 6:15 RSV).

(a) Discuss the events that led to the taking of the ark of the covenant to Jerusalem.

(b) Show the significance of this incident to the Israelites.
7. (a) How did Solomon display the wisdom he had received from God?

(b) Examine the lessons modern political leaders should learn from Solomon's failures and successes.
8. (a) Explain the significance of Ezekiel's vision of the Valley of Dry bones.

(b) What message does this vision have for Christians today?
9. (a) Comment on what Hosea taught about God's love for Israel.

(b) What is the relevance of Hosea's book to Christians today?
10. (a) Examine the nature of Jeremiah's prophetic call and mission. (Jeremiah 1:1-19).

(b) Why is Jeremiah often called the suffering prophet?

11. (a) Comment on Isaiah's call to be a prophet. (Isaiah 6).
(b) What can Christians learn from Isaiah's call today.
12. (a) Discuss the background and message of Psalm 20.
(b) How significant was this psalm in the Post-exilic period.

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