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CHRISTIAN

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EDUCATION

(The New Testament)

Paper 2

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**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 show 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 in the gospel of John.
  - (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....."(1 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?

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