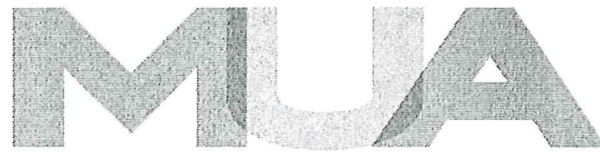


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DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

RES 223 : THEOLOGY OF THE OLD TESTAMENT

DATE: 28TH JULY 2022

DURATION: 2 HOURS

MAXIMUM MARKS: 70

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Write your registration number on the answer booklet.
2. **DO NOT** write on this question paper.
3. This paper contains **SIX (6)** questions.
4. Question **ONE** is compulsory.
5. Answer any other **THREE** questions.
6. Question **ONE** carries **25 MARKS** and the rest carry **15 MARKS** each.
7. Write all your answers in the Examination answer booklet provided.

QUESTION ONE

Read the Case Study below carefully and answer the questions that follow:

Deuterocanonical distinguished between the two different kinds of books whose authority the Roman catholic church recognized that is, Protocanonical and deuterocanonical, and in various Christian denominations also includes (those acknowledged later in the church history)

Required:

- a) Explain the significance of the term 'Canon' to Christians (3 MARKS)
- b) Explain the difference between protocanonical and deuterocanonical books of the Bible (4 MARKS)
- c) Give 4 reasons why the Roman Catholic Church and the Orthodox churches accept the Apocrypha as canonical books (8 MARKS)
- d) Assess why the apocalyptic books should be considered relevant to Christian life's today. (10 MARKS)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Differentiate between Biblical theology and Systematic theology (8 MARKS)
- b) Define the terms 'Theological Organization' and explain how it assists in the understanding of the nature of God (7 MARKS)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Examine any five effects or results of reformation that are still relevant in Christian churches today (5 MARKS)
- b) The Pentateuch forms a strong foundational theology for Judaism and Christianity. Evaluate this statement (10 MARKS)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Explain what Roman inquisition office was and evaluate its mandate (8 MARKS)

- b) Discuss the achievements of the Counter Reformation by the Roman church
(7 MARKS)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Explain the terms 'myth of creation' **(2 MARKS)**
- b) Account for your own ethnic myth of creation and the Biblical myth of creation and assess three similarities that they share **(13 MARKS)**

QUESTION SIX

- a) Explain what salvation means and assess its significance to a Christian today
(9 MARKS)
- b) In Christianity there are two types of sins. Differentiate between the two types of sin according to the Bible **(6 MARKS)**

