



General Certificate of Secondary Education
2016

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Religious Studies

Paper 5

Christianity through a Study
of the Gospel of Mark

[GRS51]

MV18

WEDNESDAY 18 MAY, AFTERNOON

Time

1 hour 30 minutes, plus your additional time allowance.

Instructions to Candidates

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.

Complete in blue or black ink only.

Answer **all** the questions in **Section A** and **two** from **three** questions in **Section B** in the spaces provided in this booklet.

Information for Candidates

The total mark for this paper is 105.

Quality of written communication will be assessed in **all** questions.

Spelling, punctuation and accurate use of grammar will be assessed in Section B Questions **5(c)**, **6(c)** and **7(c)**, where **two** questions only are required to be completed.

Figures in brackets printed at the end of each question indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

Section A

Answer **all** questions.

1 Baptism of Jesus

(a) (i) Who baptised Jesus? [1 mark]

(ii) Name the river where Jesus was baptised.
[1 mark]

(iii) Name **three** things which happened when Jesus was baptised. [1 mark for each]

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

2 Kingdom of God

(a) (i) Where did Jesus say a lamp should not be placed?
[1 mark]

(ii) Which seed is the smallest of all seeds on earth?
[1 mark]

(iii) Complete the following [3 marks]

“Listen Israel! The Lord our God is the only Lord.

Love the Lord with all your _____, with all
your _____, with all your _____, and
with all your strength.”

(b) Why did Jesus use the title Son of Man? [5 marks]

(c) “Jesus’ titles have little meaning for Christians today.”

Do you agree or disagree? Give reasons for your answer. [5 marks]

4 Christian Discipleship

(a) Retell what happened when Jesus was rejected at Nazareth. [5 marks]

(b) Explain why Pilate may have had doubts about Jesus' guilt. [5 marks]

Use the lines below if required.

(b) Explain what Christians mean by the “cost of discipleship”. [5 marks]

Use the lines below if required.

(c) “There are occasions when Christians have every right to be angry.”

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer.
[10 marks]

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Question Number	Marks
Section A	
1	
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