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RELIGIOUS STUDIES (BIBLE KNOWLEDGE)

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Paper 1 Luke and Acts 1–21:15 (Short-answer questions)

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1 hour 15 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer **all** questions.

You should spend no longer than 35 minutes on Section A.

Where there are differences in quotations from the Bible,

NIV indicates New International Version,

RSV indicates Revised Standard Version.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

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Section A (20 marks)

Answer **all** questions **1** to **10**.

Answers in phrases or incomplete sentences are acceptable.

Each question carries 2 marks.

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The Gospel of Luke

- 1 (a) Why did the angel Gabriel cause Zechariah to become dumb?
.....[1]
- (b) What did the people who were waiting for Zechariah think had happened to him?
.....[1]

- 2 In the parable of the Sower, what did Jesus say was the meaning of
 - (a) the seed that fell on the path, **and**
.....[1]
 - (b) the seed that fell on the rock?
.....[1]

- 3 (a) In which town was Jesus when he read from the scroll in the synagogue?
.....[1]
- (b) What was the name of the prophet from whose scroll he read?
.....[1]

- 4 (a) How did Judas identify Jesus to those who went to arrest him?
.....[1]
- (b) When Jesus was arrested, whose ear was cut off by one of Jesus' followers?
.....[1]

- 5 (a) Why did Pilate send Jesus to be tried by Herod?
.....[1]
- (b) Why was Herod pleased to see Jesus?
.....[1]

Acts of the Apostles 1–21:15

6 (a) Who was the husband of Sapphira?

..... [1]

(b) What lie did Sapphira tell Peter?

..... [1]

7 (a) Name one group of believers in the early church who were able to perform miraculous signs and wonders.

..... [1]

(b) People brought the sick into the streets of Jerusalem and laid them on beds and mats (**RSV** pallets). How was it hoped they would be healed?

..... [1]

8 (a) After Saul's experience on the Damascus road, he went to Damascus. Why did some Jews later plot to kill him while he was there?

..... [1]

(b) How did Saul escape from Damascus?

.....

..... [1]

9 State **two** things that Acts tells us about Timothy.

(a) [1]

(b) [1]

10 According to Acts, what was the meaning of the action of the prophet Agabus when he took Paul's belt (**RSV** girdle) and tied his own hands and feet with it?

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..... [2]

Section B (20 marks)

Answer **all** questions **11** to **14**.

Each question carries 5 marks.

Keep your answers short.

Answers should be in complete sentences.

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11 NIV A squall came down on the lake, so that the boat was being swamped, and they were in great danger.

RSV And a storm of wind came down on the lake, and they were filling with water, and were in danger.

(Luke 8:23)

(a) What did Jesus do when the disciples woke him?

..... [1]

(b) What immediately happened?

..... [1]

(c) What did the disciples then say to one another?

.....
.....
..... [3]

12 NIV And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who want to go from here to you cannot, nor can anyone cross over from there to us.

RSV And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.

(Luke 16:26)

(a) In the parable Jesus told, who said this?

..... [1]

(b) To whom did he say it?

..... [1]

(c) What did the person to whom this was said beg him to do?

.....
.....
..... [3]

13 NIV Then Peter said, "Silver or gold I do not have, but what I have I give you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk."

RSV But Peter said, "I have no silver and gold, but I give you what I have; in the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk."

(Acts 3:6)

(a) Where did this conversation take place?

..... [1]

(b) What did Peter do immediately after saying these words?

.....
..... [2]

(c) What did the man do next?

.....
..... [2]

14 NIV We went ahead to the ship and sailed for Assos, where we were going to take Paul aboard.

RSV But going ahead to the ship, we set sail for Assos, intending to take Paul aboard there.

(Acts 20:13)

(a) Name one person who was thought to be on the ship going to Assos, and give a reason to support your answer.

.....
..... [2]

(b) Whom did Paul call to meet him at Miletus, and what did he warn them would happen after he had departed from them?

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..... [2]

(c) What words of Jesus did Paul quote on this occasion?

..... [1]

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