



General Certificate of Secondary Education
2022 Reserve Series

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Religious Studies

Paper 4

Christianity through a Study
of the Gospel of Matthew



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FRIDAY 1 JULY, MORNING

TIME

1 hour 30 minutes.

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.

Do not write outside the boxed area on each page or on blank pages.

Complete in black ink only. **Do not write with a gel pen.**

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 100.

Quality of written communication 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 down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.



Section A

Answer **all** questions.

1 The Kingdom of God

(a) (i) What is a parable?

_____ [1]

(ii) How many sheep did the man have before he lost one?

_____ [1]

(iii) Where does he leave the sheep when he goes to look for the missing one?

_____ [1]

(iv) How does the man react when he finds the lost sheep?

_____ [1]

(v) In the story, what does Jesus compare the lost sheep to?

_____ [1]



2 Peter's declaration about Jesus

(a) (i) Where did Peter's declaration take place?

_____ [1]

(ii) In this story, who did some people think Jesus was?

_____ [2]

(iii) Who did Peter say Jesus was?

_____ [1]

(iv) What did Jesus say he would give Peter?

_____ [1]



Section B

Answer **two** questions from this section.

5 Discipleship

- (a) Outline Jesus' teaching on prayer. [5]
- (b) Explain the difference between the Old Testament teaching on revenge and Jesus' teaching. [5]
- (c) "Christians should always show forgiveness."

Do you agree or disagree? Give reasons for your answer showing that you have considered different points of view. You should refer to Matthew's Gospel in your answer. [10]

6 Jesus' birth

- (a) Describe what happened when the angel appeared to Joseph before Jesus was born. [5]
- (b) Explain the significance of the gifts presented by the visitors from the East. [5]
- (c) "The events surrounding Jesus' birth are difficult to accept."

Do you agree or disagree? Give reasons for your answer showing that you have considered different points of view. You should refer to Matthew's Gospel in your answer. [10]

7 The crucifixion and resurrection

- (a) Outline Matthew's account of the resurrection of Jesus. [5]
- (b) Explain how Jesus' resurrection proved that he was the Son of God. [5]
- (c) "The resurrection of Jesus is more important than the crucifixion."

Do you agree or disagree? Give reasons for your answer showing that you have considered different points of view. You should refer to Matthew's Gospel in your answer. [10]





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