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Religious Studies

Paper 4

Christianity through a Study
of the Gospel of Matthew



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THURSDAY 26 MAY, 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 Transfiguration

(a) (i) Where did the Transfiguration take place?

_____ [1]

(ii) What happened to Jesus' clothes?

_____ [1]

(iii) Name the **two** Old Testament figures who appeared with Jesus.

1. _____ [1]

2. _____ [1]

(iv) What did Peter want to do to mark the importance of the occasion?

_____ [1]



2 John the Baptist and Jesus' Baptism

(a) (i) In which river did John baptise Jesus?

_____ [1]

(ii) Give **two** reasons why people believed John was the second Elijah.

1. _____ [1]

2. _____ [1]

(iii) What did John say to suggest he was unworthy to baptise Jesus?

_____ [1]

(iv) How did John refer to the Pharisees and Sadducees?

_____ [1]



Section B

Answer **two** questions from this section.

5 Jesus' teaching from the Sermon on the Mount

- (a) Describe Jesus' teaching on charity and fasting in the Sermon on the Mount. [5]
- (b) Explain Jesus' teaching on salt and light. [5]
- (c) "Followers of Jesus should never be angry."

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 The death and resurrection of Jesus

- (a) Describe the events of the crucifixion of Jesus. [5]
- (b) Explain the importance of Jesus' death for Christians today. [5]
- (c) "You can only be a Christian if you believe in the resurrection."

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 Miracles

- (a) Retell the story of the leprosy sufferer. [5]
- (b) Explain why miracles were an important part of Jesus' ministry. [5]
- (c) "Christians today are too selfish to care about others."

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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