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RELIGIOUS STUDIES (BIBLE KNOWLEDGE)

2048/12

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

October/November 2014

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, 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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This document consists of **6** printed pages and **2** blank pages.

Section A (20 marks)

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

Answers in phrases or incomplete sentences are acceptable.

Each question carries 2 marks.

The Gospel of Luke

1 John the Baptist said he baptised with water. What did John say that the one coming would baptise with?

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

2 (a) What was the name of the town where Jesus first saw Zacchaeus, a chief tax collector?

.....[1]

(b) Where had Zacchaeus gone to first see Jesus?

.....[1]

3 What was the name of:-

(a) the person who was busy with all the preparations for Jesus coming to her house, **and**

.....[1]

(b) her sister who sat at Jesus' feet and listened to his teaching?

.....[1]

4 What comment did Jesus make about the poor widow who put two small coins into the Temple treasury?

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

5 According to Luke's Gospel, who said:-

(a) this was a righteous (**RSV** innocent) man, **and**

.....[1]

(b) are you the only visitor to Jerusalem who does not know what has happened there?

.....[1]

Acts of the Apostles 1–21:15

6 What was the name of:-

(a) the town where Sergius Paulus was the proconsul, **and**

.....[1]

(b) the husband who with his wife’s knowledge sold a piece of property and kept back some of the proceeds?

.....[1]

7 At Saul’s conversion on the road to Damascus, what did the voice reply when Saul asked, “Who are you, Lord?”

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

8 (a) Why did the people of Tyre and Sidon seek peace with Herod?

.....[1]

(b) Why did an angel of the Lord strike Herod down?

.....[1]

9 What happened to the sons of Sceva when they attempted to cast out evil spirits in the name of Jesus?

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.....[2]

10 What warning did Paul give to the Ephesian elders about what would happen to their flock after he left them?

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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.

11 NIV Then he [Jesus] went up and touched the coffin, and those carrying it stood still. He said, “Young man, I say to you, get up!” The dead man sat up and began to talk, and Jesus gave him back to his mother.

RSV And he [Jesus] came and touched the bier, and the bearers stood still. And he said, “Young man, I say to you, arise.” And the dead man sat up, and began to speak. And he gave him to his mother.

(Luke 7:14–15)

(a) In which town did this miracle occur?

.....[1]

(b) How might this story show Luke’s special interests?

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

(c) What did the people say when Jesus brought the man back to life?

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

12 NIV That day Herod and Pilate became friends – before this they had been enemies.

RSV And Herod and Pilate became friends with each other that very day, for before this they had been at enmity with each other.

(Luke 23:12)

(a) Why did Pilate send Jesus to Herod?

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

(b) Why had Herod wanted to see Jesus?

.....[1]

(c) Who was accusing Jesus in front of Herod?

.....[1]

13 NIV He said to them: “You are well aware that it is against our law for a Jew to associate with a Gentile or visit him. But God has shown me that I should not call any man impure or unclean. So when I was sent for, I came without raising any objection.”

RSV ...and he said to them, “You yourselves know how unlawful it is for a Jew to associate with or to visit anyone of another nation; but God has shown me that I should not call any man common or unclean. So when I was sent for, I came without objection.”

(Acts 10:28–29)

(a) Who is the person speaking?

.....[1]

(b) How had that person been shown that he should not call any man impure (RSV common) or unclean?

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

(c) To whom was the person speaking?

.....[1]

(d) Why was this meeting important for the spread of the church?

.....[1]

14 **NIV** When the Jews in Thessalonica learned that Paul was preaching the word of God at Berea...

RSV But when the Jews of Thessalonica learned that the word of God was proclaimed by Paul at Berea...

(Acts 17:13)

(a) What did the Thessalonians do next ?

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.....[2]

(b) How does Acts describe the Bereans?

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.....[3]

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