

**P245/1**  
**CHRISTIAN**  
**RELIGIOUS**  
**EDUCATION**  
**(The Old Testament)**  
**Paper 1**  
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**2½ hours**



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**2 hours 30 minutes**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

*Answer any four questions.*

*All questions carry equal marks.*

*Any additional question(s) attempted will not be marked.*

1. (a) Examine the teaching of Genesis 1 and 2 about marriage. (13 marks)
- (b) Discuss the New Testament understanding of marriage. (12 marks)
2. (a) Account for the liberation of the Israelites from Egyptian bondage by God. (13 marks)
- (b) Explain the role of Moses in the liberation of Israel. (12 marks)
3. (a) Comment on the Jewish practice of Herem (total destruction of the enemy). (12 marks)
- (b) How should Christians treat their enemies? (13 marks)
4. (a) Analyse the importance of the call of Samuel in the history of Israel. (13 marks)
- (b) What can the modern political leaders learn from the reign of Samuel? (12 marks)
5. (a) Examine the significance of the event of carrying the ark to Jerusalem by David. (13 marks)
- (b) What lessons can Christians learn from this event? (12 marks)
6. To what extent could Solomon's fame be attributed to King David? (25 marks)
7. (a) Analyse the factors that led to the failure of King Ahaz of Judah. (13 marks)
- (b) What lessons can political leaders today learn from the reign of King Ahaz? (12 marks)
8. (a) Analyse the forms of worship in Israel during the reign of Jeroboam II. (13 marks)
- (b) What was the prophecy of Amos on these forms of worship? (12 marks)
9. "The Lord says, when Israel was a child, I loved him, called him out of Egypt as my son ...." Hosea 11 : 1 (GNB).
  - (a) Explain the circumstances which compelled Hosea to utter this statement. (13 marks)
  - (b) What lessons can Christians learn from this statement in regard to their relationship with God? (12 marks)

- 10. (a) Comment on the call of Prophet Isaiah. (15 marks)**
- (b) What lessons can Christians learn from Isaiah's call? (10 marks)**
- 11. (a) Account for God's refusal of Jeremiah to marry and have children. (13 marks)**
- (b) Assess the significance of celibacy to a Christian. (12 marks)**
- 12. (a) Discuss the message of Psalm 22. (15 marks)**
- (b) Show the relevance of this Psalm to Christians today. (10 marks)**