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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS**

RELI 232: NEW TESTAMENT

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) P/T

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 03/12/2019

2.30 PM – 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer ALL Questions in Section A and Two in Section B

SECTION A

1. (i) Give reasons that makes the gospel of John unique in relation to the synoptics. [5 marks]
- (ii) Describe the religious background to the New Testament. [10 marks]
2. (i) Describe the process of canonization of the books of the New Testament. [10 marks]
- (ii) Write briefly on the authorship and the purpose of the book of Acts of Apostles. [5 marks]

SECTION B

3. The gospel according to Mark is the centre of the synoptic gospel. Discuss [20 marks]
 4. Identify and discuss any four major themes in the Pauline epistles. [20 marks]
 5. Critically analyze the lessons that a Christian can draw from the study of the new testament themes for his life. [20 marks]
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