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FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

LITT 423: LATIN AMERICAN LITERATURE

STREAMS: BA

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 10/04/2018

8.30 A.M – 10.30 A.M

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer any three questions**
1. Outline and critically discuss the representation of the Mexican revolution in Mariano Azuela The underdogs and carols Fuentes the Death of Artemio Cruz.
 2. Referring closely to three short stories by Jorge Luis Borges in fiction, discuss their main metaphysical abstractions.
 3. Making close reference to Miguel Angel Asturias The President and Alejo Carpenter's The Kingdom of this World, critically discuss the novelists, critically discuss the novelists use of magic realism.
 4. (a) either
Critically evaluate the structure and content of Julio Cortazas' Hopscotch.
Or
(b) Discuss the significance of the title One Hundred years of Solitude in Gabriel Garcia Marquez's novel of the same title.
 5. Critically evaluate Pablo Nerudas' poem, the heights of macchu picchu.
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