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Religious Studies

Paper 5

Christianity through a Study
of the Gospel of Mark

MV24

[GRE51]

WEDNESDAY 15 MAY, AFTERNOON

Time

1 hour 30 minutes, plus your additional time allowance.

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 on blank pages.

Complete in black ink only. 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 at the end of each question indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

Section A

Answer **all** questions.

1 Parables and the Kingdom of God

(a) (i) Why did Jesus use parables?
[1 mark]

(ii) In the Parable of the Sower, what happened to the seed that fell on the path? [1 mark]

(iii) In the Parable of the Sower, what happened to the seed that fell among thorn bushes? [1 mark]

(iv) Where did Jesus say you should not put a lamp? [1 mark]

(v) What type of seed did Jesus say was the smallest seed in the world?
[1 mark]

(b) Explain the meaning of the Parable of the Sower. [5 marks]

2 Discipleship

(a) (i) Name **two** of the twelve disciples.
[1 mark for each]

1. _____
2. _____

(ii) Name **one** thing Jesus ordered his disciples not to take with them on their mission. [1 mark]

(iii) What did Jesus give his disciples authority over? [1 mark]

(iv) Why did Jesus praise the widow at the Temple Treasury? [1 mark]

3 Miracles: Jesus heals a boy with an evil spirit

14 When they joined the rest of the disciples, they saw a large crowd around them and some teachers of the Law arguing with them. **15** When the people saw Jesus, they were greatly surprised, and ran to him and greeted him. **16** Jesus asked his disciples, “What are you arguing with them about?”

17 A man in the crowd answered, “Teacher, I brought my son to you, because he has an evil spirit in him and cannot talk.

18 Whenever the spirit attacks him, it throws him to the ground, and he foams at the mouth, grits his teeth, and becomes stiff all over. I asked your disciples to drive the spirit out, but they could not.”

(Mark 9 v 14-18) (GNT)

(b) Explain why some people were marginalised from society in the time of Jesus. [5 marks]

Use the lines below if required.

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question paper**

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