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Centre Number

71

Candidate Number

Religious Studies

Paper 4

Christianity through a Study of
the Gospel of Matthew

[GRS41]

FRIDAY 17 MAY, MORNING

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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.

Answer **all** the questions in **Section A** in the spaces provided in this booklet **and two** from **three** questions in **Section B** on the lined pages at the end of this booklet.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 105.

Quality of written communication will be assessed in **all** questions. Spelling, punctuation and accurate use of grammar 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 down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

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Question Number	Marks
Section A	
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Section A

Answer **all** questions.

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1 The Trials of Jesus

(a) (i) In what city did the Trials of Jesus take place?

_____ [1]

(ii) What is the name of the man who was set free during Jesus' trial by Pilate?

_____ [1]

(iii) What did the crowd want Pilate to do with Jesus?

_____ [1]

(iv) Who turned the crowd against Jesus?

_____ [1]

(v) What did Pilate do after the crowd turned against Jesus?

_____ [1]

(b) Explain why the Trials of Jesus were unfair.

_____ [5]

2 The Transfiguration

(a) (i) Where did the Transfiguration take place?

_____ [1]

(ii) Name **one** way in which Jesus' appearance changed.

_____ [1]

(iii) What is the name of **one** Old Testament figure who talked with Jesus?

_____ [1]

(iv) What did Peter want to build?

_____ [1]

(v) Peter was at this event. Write down the name of another disciple who was at this event.

_____ [1]

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Marks Remark

Section B

Answer **two** from **three** questions.

Five marks will be awarded for spelling, punctuation and accurate use of grammar in part (c) of your answers.

Write your answers on the pages that follow (pages 11–16).

5 The Temptations of Jesus

- (a) Describe the Temptations of Jesus in the wilderness. [5]
- (b) Use examples from passages you have studied to explain how Jesus faced temptation on other occasions. [5]
- (c) “It is impossible for Christians to resist temptation today.”
Do you agree? Write down reasons for your answer. [10]

6 Parables

- (a) Describe the Parable of the Wedding Feast. [5]
- (b) Explain what this parable teaches about the Kingdom of God/Kingdom of Heaven. [5]
- (c) “People today do not believe that Jesus will return.”
Do you agree? Write down reasons for your answer. [10]

7 The Last Supper

- (a) Describe the main events that took place during the Last Supper. [5]
- (b) Explain why Jesus gave a new meaning to this meal. [5]
- (c) “The Christian church places too much emphasis on sacraments or ordinances and not enough on Christian behaviour.”
Do you agree? Write down reasons for your answer. [10]

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