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MODE OF STUDY: ONLINE

UNIT TITLE: PASTORAL THEOLOGY
UNIT CODE: MDV 512
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TIME ALLOWED: 3HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Section A is compulsory.
- Answer any TWO question in Section B.
- You are allowed to use the Bible.
- Once you have opened the exam you must complete within the allotted time (3 hours)
- Once you exit the exam you cannot return
- When the three-hour period elapses, the exam will automatically expire and cannot be recovered.

Section A: Answer ALL questions (20 Marks)

Read the following passages and answer the questions below (20 Marks)

1. John 10:1-21; The Good Shepherd

2. Luke 15:1-7; The Seeking Shepherd

Discuss the following questions:

- a) Highlight five teachings from the above passage about “good pastors/shepherds” (10 Marks)
- b) Discuss what we learn from the passages above about those we are called to lead (5 Marks)
- c) Assess practical steps that you can take to become a better shepherd (5 Marks)

Section B: Answer ANY TWO questions (20 marks).

2. Assess five reasons why it is important that church leaders regularly spend time reading and studying God's Word (10 marks)

3. It is important to have a written description of “a disciple”. Discuss two things that must be in a description of a disciple and explain the significance of each. (10 marks)

4. Discuss two verses or passages that you know would be most helpful when talking to someone who is experiencing suffering. For each of these, explain why you think the truth of that passage would help the person. (10 marks)

5. Assess how the following passages help us better understand church leadership. (You can summarize your views in one paragraph) (10 Marks).

- Paul's interaction with the Ephesian leaders in Acts 20.
- Paul's instructions to Timothy in 1 Timothy.
- Peter's teaching in 1 Peter 5.