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SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY**



**END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
ARTS
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CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU ONLINE

DEPARTMENT: BIBLICAL AND THEOLOGICAL STUDIES

COURSE CODE: UCC302

COURSE TITLE: CHRISTIAN ETHICS

EXAM DATE:

TIME ALLOWED:

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.**
- **Instructions: Answer Question 1 in Section A and two questions in Section B.**
- **PAC University examination regulations apply.**

Section A: Answer Question 1

1. There is a general agreement that we were all introduced to ethics in a number of ways. Giving practical examples, explain in details how you were introduced to ethics through:
 - a) Family and relatives. (4 marks)
 - b) Learning institutions. (4 marks)
 - c) Religious institutions (Church etc.) (4 mark)
 - d) The society you grew in. (4 marks)
 - e) Your own life experiences. (4 marks)

Section B: Answer ANY TWO questions.

2. There are benefits that come from studying ethical topics in a focused way in addition to reading the Bible from Genesis to Revelation or just studying individual books or passages.
 - a) Define Christian ethics. (1 mark)
 - b) With support of scriptures and giving practical examples, discuss six benefits of studying ethics. (9 marks)
3. The Seventh Commandment states that “You shall not commit adultery (Exodus 20:14 NIV) while 1 Corinthians 6:18 commands “Flee from sexual immorality”:
 - a) With support of scripture explain why God so strictly prohibits adultery and fornication. (6 marks)
 - b) Explain the safeguards will you take to protect yourself from adultery or fornication depending on your marital status. (4marks)
4. With support of scriptures and giving practical examples, discuss five harmful consequences of a Christian life that entertains sin. (10 marks)
5. Explain how the following characteristics of Christian ethics will help you live an ethical life. Support your answer with scriptures and practical examples. (10 marks)
 - a) Christian ethics is based on God’s will. (2 marks)
 - b) Christian Ethics is absolute. (2 marks)
 - c) Christian Ethics is based on God’s revelation. (2 marks)
 - d) Christian ethics is prescriptive. (2 marks)
 - e) Christian ethics is deontological. (2 marks)