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FOR
BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY
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CAMPUS: Roysambu Online
DEPARTMENT: Biblical and Theological Studies
COURSE CODE: BTH 2323
COURSE TITLE: Gospels
EXAM DATE:
TIME: 3 hours

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer ALL the questions in section A.
- Answer ANY TWO questions from section B.
- You are allowed to use unmarked Bibles.

SECTION A: Answer All Questions (20 Marks)

1. Explain the significance of the Greco-Roman background for understanding the gospels. (10 marks)
2. Discuss the process by which the gospel moved from events in Jesus life to the written form that we have today. (10 marks)

SECTION B: Answer Any Two Questions (20 Marks)

3. Discuss the key themes in the gospels. Give biblical references to support your answers. (10 marks)
4. Account for the significant differences in the Synoptic Gospels' Birth narrative of Jesus Christ. (10 marks)
5. Compare the Christology of the Synoptic Gospels with that of the gospel according to John. (10 marks)
6. Discuss elements of authorial bias residual in the gospels and the significance of such bias for understanding the content of each of the gospels. Give biblical references to support your answers. (10 marks)