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BIBLE KNOWLEDGE 2
(For Both School and Private Candidates)

TIME: 2:30 Hours

Wednesday, 13th October 2010 p.m.

Instructions

1. This paper consists of alternatives **A** and **B**. Each alternative comprises **eight (8)** questions.
2. Confine yourself to only one alternative.
3. Answer **five (5)** questions.
4. Question **number 1** is compulsory for alternative A and question **number (9)** is compulsory for alternative B.
5. Each question carries twenty (20) marks.
6. Bibles and any other religious materials are **not** allowed in the examination room.
7. Calculators are **not** allowed in the examination room.
8. Cellular phones are **not** allowed in the examination room.
9. Write your **Examination Number** on every page of your answer booklet(s).

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ALTERNATIVE A

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MATTHEW AND THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

1. “A voice was heard in Ramah; wailing and loud lamentation, Rachel weeping for her children; she refused to be consoled, because they were no more.” (Mt. 2:18). What was the incidence which fulfilled this prophecy?
2. “I have sinned by betraying innocent blood” (Mt 27:4). Briefly describe the occasion which led to this statement to be spoken.
3. “Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest.” (Mt 21:9).
 - (a) Who said these words?
 - (b) Describe the incidence.
4. Identify the following people:
 - (a) Stephan and Philip
 - (b) Joseph of Arimathea
 - (c) Barnabas
 - (d) Theophilus
5. “How is it that you have agreed together to tempt the spirit of the Lord? Look, the feet of those that have buried your husband are at the door, and they will carry you out” (Acts 5:9).
 - (a) Who said these words?
 - (b) To whom were they spoken?
 - (c) What were the outcomes?
 - (d) Describe the event briefly.
6. “But we believe it is through the grace of our Lord Jesus that we are saved, just as they are.” (Acts 15:11).
 - (a) Who said these words?
 - (b) What was the major issue behind this statement?
 - (c) Where was the discussion held?
 - (d) What was the outcome?
 - (e) Explain how the church handles issues that cause division among Christians today.

7. Match the items in **List A** with the responses in **List B** by writing the letter of the correct response beside the item number.

List A	List B
(i) These men are the servants of the Most High God.	A Gamaliel spoke the words to the council members
(ii) Tell us if you are the Christ, Son of God.	B All the congregation asked Ananias and Sapphira C Philip the evangelist spoke these words
(iii) Hail, King of the Jews.	D The soldiers mocked Jesus
(iv) Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the son of man standing at the right hand of God.	E Stephen's words F Jesus' warning to the evil doers G Herod said to Jesus as he tried him
(v) If this plan is of men, it will fail, but if it is of God, you will not be able to overthrow them.	H Nathaniel spoke these words I The shepherds asked Herod
(vi) The angel spoke of him that he would be called a Nazarene.	J The two men who were crucified with Jesus mocked him (Jesus).
(vii) Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.	K Words of a slave girl with a spirit of divination who followed Paul and his fellows
(viii) After Peter's speech on the day of Pentecost, this happened.	L Three thousand men were baptized M Those who were present mocked Jesus' disciples that they had drunk wine
(ix) This is the reason why Peter baptized Cornelius.	N Nazarene refers to John the Baptist
(x) This Jesus, who I proclaimed to you, is the Christ	O He and his people spoke in tongues P The context of the words is the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem
	Q He gave generously to God
	R The Nazarene was Jesus
	S The multitude shouted at Jesus as they cursed him
	T This is Paul's statement at Thessalonica

8. Give an account of the conversion of Lydia at Philippi (Acts 16:11-15).

ALTERNATIVE B

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE AND THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

9. The Gospel of St. Luke has several sub-themes (or descriptions) on which the writer bases his materials. Mention and explain five of them.
10. Mention the outstanding political rulers and religious leaders during the ministry of John the Baptist (Lk. 3:1-3). What did John insist in this message?
11. According to the Gospel of St. Luke, Jesus was criticized on four different occasions for eating with the wrong kind of people (sinners). Briefly describe each incidence.
12. Identify the following people:
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 - (c) Barnabas
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