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CODE: 014 BIBLE KNOWLEDGE

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Instructions

1. This paper consists of three (3) sections A,B and with a total of **thirteen (13)** questions.
2. Answer **all** questions in sections A and B.
3. You are required to answer a total of nine (9) questions
4. Answer all questions in section A, Five (5) questions from section B and Two questions in Section B and Two questions in section C
5. Section A carries **Twenty five (25)** marks, section B **Forty five (45)** marks and section C carries **thirty (30)** marks
6. All communication devices, Bibles and any unauthorized materials are not allowed in the examination room.
7. Write your **Examination number** on every page of your answer booklet (s).

SECTION A (25 Marks)

1. For each of the following items (i)-(xx) choose the correct answer from among the given alternatives and write its letter beside the item number in the answer booklet(s) provided.
 - i. Whatever the authors of the Bible wrote:
 - A. Was an inspiration from spirits
 - B. Was an inspiration from God through Holy Spirit
 - C. Was an inspiration from Bible experts
 - D. Was an inspiration from Holy Spirit only
 - E. Was an inspiration from their wise elders
 - ii. These are the three steps that unified Man and Woman presented by God (**Genesis 2:24**)
 - A. A man leaves his parents and unites with her wife and become unique
 - B. A man leaves his parents and unites his wife and become unique
 - C. A man leaves his father and mother unites with his wife and both become one flesh
 - D. A woman leaves her parents and unites with her husband and both become one flesh
 - E. A woman leaves her parents and unites with her Uncle to become one flesh
 - iii. The following are the pillars and attributes of God **except**
 - A. God is transcendent
 - B. God is good
 - C. God is omnipotent
 - D. God is omniscient
 - E. God is Unjust and Unfaithful
 - iv. Abraham is very famous and peculiar in the history of Israel, this is because:
 - A. He was obedient and faithful to God
 - B. He lived not faithful life before God
 - C. He was trustworthy towards his wife for he never cheated
 - D. He fulfilled the plan of his family
 - E. He was the first man to be polygamous in the history of man kind
 - v. The conflicts between the son of Jacob against Joseph at the end benefited them in Egypt. But these were result of.....
 - A. Jacob's love to his son Joseph
 - B. Joseph's fear of his father
 - C. God's love to Joseph's brother
 - D. Joseph's faith in God, his heart of endurance and not revenging attitude
 - E. Both Joseph and his brother played their part to make it possible
 - vi. The understanding we get from the story of language confusion in Genesis 11, is
 - A. Peoples disobedience bring benefit to them
 - B. Peoples disobedience was because of the king of Shinar
 - C. Babel is the beginning of many languages in the world.
 - D. God himself wanted people to scatter all over the world
 - E. Babel is the beginning of faithfulness and confusion in the world

- vii. In Eden, God told Adam and his wife to fill and rule over the garden but sin has destroyed all the good environment that the Lord God created (**Genesis 2:15**). The environmental degradation becomes a major threat to our communities today. In reference to God's command to Adam and Eve, which of the best methods do you think can help in preserving our environment?
- A. By deforestation and replacement of trees
 - B. By zero grazing and slope agriculture
 - C. By using modern methods of agriculture and afforestation
 - D. By carrying out recycling and using modern birth control methods
 - E. By mulching and carrying out deforestation
- viii. On his journey from Egypt to the land of Negeb (genesis 13:1) after the Lord afflicted Pharaoh and his house with great plagues. Abraham went with.
- A. Sarah, his Slaves and Isaac
 - B. Sarah, lot and Haran
 - C. Sarah, lot and Lameck
 - D. Sarah, lot and all that he had
 - E. Sarah, Terah and Lot.
- ix. Caleb vowed that, he who attacks Kiriathsepher and takes it, I will give him Achusah my daughter as a wife (Judges 1:2). Assume you were given a chance to advise him, what will you teach him conserving the Vow?
- A. Whenever he promise anything to our fellows, we have to be careful and committed to fulfill it
 - B. Whenever he promise anything to our fellows, we are free to do anything
 - C. Whenever he promise anything to our fellows, we have to be careful and committed to fulfill it
 - D. Whenever he promise anything to our fellows, God is not involved in the promise
 - E. Whenever he promise anything to our fellows, there is no need to remember anything
- x. The Decalogue can best be summarized into two groups of commandments which are:
- A. One's love for God and the rest of other creatures
 - B. One's attitude to God and his environment
 - C. One's attitude to God and his neighbor
 - D. One's attitude to God and his son Jesus Christ
 - E. One's attitude to God and the Holy Spirit
- xi. Abel was found culprit to his brother Cain, we know where Cain took Abel out into the field, presumably, Abel would not be witnessed. What is generally understood to be Cain's motives?
- A. Cain was angry at Adam and took out on Abel
 - B. Abel had stolen Cain's girl friend
 - C. God approved Abel's sacrifice more than that of Cain
 - D. Cain desired Abel's inheritance to add his own
 - E. God approve on Cain sacrifice more than that of Abel

- xii.** The Lord sold them into the hands of Cushan-rishathaim and they served him for a considerable period of **time (Judges 3:8)**.
- A.** He was the king of Mesopotania
 - B.** He was the king of Sebain
 - C.** He was the king of Perizites
 - D.** He was the king of Hitites
 - E.** He was the king of Kadesh-barnea
- xiii.** Which of the following Jewish sect was not in good terms with the Jews
- A. Sadducees
 - B. Pharisees
 - C. Essenes
 - D. Samaritan
 - E. Scribes
- xiv.** Christianity has been growing tremendously during the time of oppression and persecution why?
- A. Because Christianity is not the work of human but of God through the Holyspirit
 - B. Because Christianity is the work of humans but of God through Holyspirit
 - C. Because Christianity is a work of Persecutors and Apostles of Jesus
 - D. Because Christianity is the work of Persecutors through the Holyspirit that filled them
 - E. Because Christianity is the work of Apostles of Jesus through their own
- xv.** In (acts 14:6-8), when Paul and Barnabas visited Lystra and Derbe the people thought that their pagan gods have come to visit them. How did they call Paul and Barnabas respectively?
- A. Paul, Hermes and Barnabas, Zero
 - B. Paul, Athens and Barnabas, Hermes
 - C. Paul, Zeus and Barnabas, Elder
 - D. Paul, elder, and Barnabas, Athens
 - E. Paul, Deacon and Barnabas, Evangelist
- xvi.** The disciples were persecuted because of the gospel and some were scattered to different places for preaching the word of God **(Acts 8: 1 - 3)**. What should Christians have to do if persecution comes in today's context?
- A. Escape from preaching
 - B. Go on preaching the word of God without fear
 - C. Stop those who persecute others and put them to prison
 - D. Revenge against the persecutors
 - E. Complain in favour of government's persecution
- xvii.** The disciple called Tabitha who lived in Joppa, fell sick and later died, the Peter raised her from the death **(Act 9:36-43)**. Tabitha was raised because.....
- A. She was generous and God granted the works of His people which glorifies Him.
 - B. She was going to church daily

- C. She had a good heart and the Holy Spirit was filled to her heart
 D. She had a good relationship with her neighbors which motivated God to raise her
 E. She helped her family for what was filled to her heart.
- xviii. What was the main purpose of the Jerusalem Council according to (Acts 15 :)?
 A. To discuss the spread of the gospel to the gentiles
 B. To solve the problem of the doctrine of circumcision
 C. To make sure that salvation will be attained by the law of Moses including circumcision
 D. To make sure that only Jews are circumcised
 E. To attract Jews and gentiles to Christianity
- xix. Gamaliel's advice to the Sanhedrin Council in Act 4, teaches us today that;
 A. We should work with all denominations **except** Non-Christian
 B. We should stay away from false prophets and Apostles
 C. We should love our enemies whenever they go against us
 D. We should love people whom we worship with
 E. We should not hate and despise believers of other denominations
- xx. The woman called Lydia from the city of Thyatira welcomed Paul and Barnabas to stay to her house because she joined Christianity (**Acts 16:13-15**) all Christians can learn that;
 A. They should welcome only the people whom they know their background
 B. To the believers welcoming the guests it is their responsibility according to the teachings of Jesus Christ.
 C. They can welcome guests purposely to benefit from them
 D. They can welcome guests if they have enough money
 E. They can welcome other members of the Christian only

2. Match the item in Column A with their responses in column B and write the letter of the correct answer in the answer booklet (s) provided.

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
i. He was the father of Joseph ii. He was Joseph's father-in-law iii. He was the father of Abraham iv. He was the father of Edom v. He was the father of Milcah and Iscah	A. Haran B. Jacob C. Terah D. Potiphar E. Potipher F. Isaac G. Terah

SECTION B (45 MARKS)

Answer Five (5) questions from this section including Question number three (3) and four are Compulsory.

3. “And the LORD SAID is not good for a man to be alone, I will make him a suitable companion fit for him” (**Genesis 2:18**).
 - a) Briefly explain how the helper was created?
 - b) Write three steps of unifying a man and woman as quoted in (Genesis 2: 14)
 - c) Mention any three challenges which married couples are facing in the today’s society
4. In acts 16:16-12 narrates the story an Innocent girl being possessed by Evil spirit. Paul healed her in the name of Jesus because of her faith in God. With reference to this events.
 - a) How effective is the church in addressing the problems of girls in your society. Give three (3) points.
 - b) What can you do to help the less privileged girls in your society? Give three (3) points
 - c) Give three measures taken by the government against those who abuse women.
5. In Mathew **27: 29**; Jesus encountered mockery, torture, death but He finally rose from the dead
 - a) In three ways how do we mock Jesus in everyday life situation?
 - b) Joseph of arimethea is known for his generosity and being charitable to Jesus. In your understanding what do you know about him towards Jesus Ministry
 - c) Imagine you were the one of the eye witnesses of Jesus, how can you convince someone that Jesus resurrected? Give three(3) points
6. With reference to the parable of the vineyard in Luke **20:9-19** answer the following questions
 - a) Define the term parable
 - b) Identify any three (3) types of parables in the gospel of Luke.
 - c) Why should people use parables to teach modern people
7. Ivon and Grace are faithful members in a certain church and they were taught about the sermon of Jesus on the mountain according to Mathew 5. Through your own experience as a bible scholar.
 - a) State six (6) beautitudes Jesus taught about his disciples on the mountain
 - b) What essential things Christian today should do when attending church and worship services?
8. In the ministry of Jesus in Judea. He taught on divorce which is the existing problem in our community (**Mathew 19: 1-12**)
 - a) Give the meaning of divorce according to Jesus teachings
 - b) How can divorce affect the children (three points)
 - c) What are the causes of divorce in the today’s society? Give three (3)
9. The scribes were among the Jewish institution during the time of Jesus
 - a) Who were the scribes
 - b) What are the similarities between the Jewish scribes and the Lawyers of today? Three points (3).
 - c) What are the differences between the Jewish scribes and the Lawyers of today? Three points (3).

10. When Jesus called Levi, a tax collector had a dinner with him together with his fellow tax collectors, he was accused by the Jews like the Pharisees and the scribes for eating with Sinners (Luke 5:27 – 32).
- a) What are the three reasons why most of the Tanzanians hate to pay taxes
 - b) State three reason why the Jews hated the tax collector
 - c) Suppose you were a tax collector in Tanzania, explain three ways (3) how you would be responsible to your work to avoid being hated by the people.

SECTION C (30MARKS)

Answer TWO (2) Questions from this section

11. Bible knowledge is not given an upper hand in some schools even some prominent leaders in the society. Based on what you have acquired from this discipline, educate the society in four points (4) how this subject can bring social, economic and political transformation in today's society
12. Kanyerezi is twenty five years old student who has just graduated from the university, his parents adviced him to get married to Joanita but he preferred to marry his fellow friend Kazigazi who is of the same gender something which looked barbaric and unwarrantable to the society he lives in. In your opinion how should religious and political leaders combat the increasing homosexuality tendencies in the society today? Give four (4) points
13. In Acts 3:11-26, we read about Peter's healing speech after the crippled man at the beautiful gate. Imagine you were asked to arrange Peter's speech in four points, how would you arrange it?