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TBS 102: JESUS AND THE GOSPELS

END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION 1

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DURATION: (3HRS)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer any three questions

2. Each question carries 20 marks

3. Start each question on a new page

1. Discuss any two of the following Christological titles and show whether Jesus understood himself as such.
 - (a) Son of Man
 - (b) Prophet
 - (c) Lord
 - (d) Messiah
2. What is the Synoptic problem? Discuss scholars' different hypotheses towards solving it.
3. With reference to either Jesus' parables or miracles, discuss his teaching about the Kingdom of God.
4. How does the gospel according to John differ from the Synoptic gospels? Show the implications of these differences from the perspective of Source Criticism.
5. Answer (a) OR (b)
 - (a) Critically discuss the date of writing, the place of origin and audience of the Gospel of Matthew.

OR

 - (b) Evaluate Mark's purpose and his major themes.
6. How are we to understand the resurrection of Jesus? Discuss this question in the light of a historical reconstruction of what happened at and around Easter.

THE END