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SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY**

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MASTERS OF DIVINITY  
MASTERS OF ARTS IN BIBLICAL THEOLOGY  
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**CAMPUS:** ROYSAMBU  
**DEPARTMENT:** BIBLICAL AND THEOLOGICAL STUDIES  
**COURSE CODE:** MBT510  
**COURSE TITLE:** GENESIS  
**EXAM DATE:** THURSDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2019  
**DURATION:** 3 hours  
**TIME:** 5:30PM-8:30PM

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Write your STUDENT NUMBER in the answer booklet given
- Answer ***all*** questions in Section A and choose any *two* questions in Section B.
- UNMARKED bibles to be provided.

### **SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS**

1. Explain the main purpose of the book of Genesis. (4 marks)
2. Discuss *two* arguments *for* and *two* arguments *against* the authorship of Moses for the book of Genesis. (8 marks)
3. Few books of Scripture reveal the lines of demarcation between their individual units as clearly as does Genesis. Construct the structure the book of Genesis. (4 marks)
4. Scholars have proposed a number of theories with the goal of explaining the meaning of the tree of knowledge of good and evil (Gen. 2:9). Explain your understanding of “the knowledge of good and evil”. (4 marks)

### **SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS**

5. One of the most obvious and essential element of the narrative text that forms almost the whole book of Genesis is the story line. Using Genesis 4:1-16, demonstrate five features associated with story line as the story moves from its beginning to its end. (10 marks)
6. Explain five hermeneutical principles that you can use to better unveil the wonder and glorious majesty of the creation. (10 marks)
7. Discuss any four themes found in the book of Genesis. (10 marks)
8. Using the theme of grace, discuss five ways as to how God dealt with any of the Patriarchs. (10 marks)