



# KISII UNIVERSITY

## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE  
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS/SCIENCE)

SECOND SEMESTER, 2021/2022

(FEBRUARY - JUNE, 2022)

RELI 222: NEW TESTAMENT

**STREAM: Y2 S2**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY:**

**DATE:**

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### INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.*
- 2. Answer Question ONE [Compulsory] and any other TWO Questions.*

### **QUESTION ONE**

- Explain the political background to the development of the New Testament  
[10 marks]
- Discuss the results of Paul's imprisonment in the development of the church  
[10 marks]
- In the development of the New Testament, the Church experienced some persecutions. Explain briefly the outcomes of such persecutions to the Church?  
[10 marks]

### **QUESTION TWO**

- Outline and discuss four themes in the Gospel of Mathew [10 marks]
- Why is Mark's Gospel called "a Ground Breaking Gospel"? [10 marks]

### **QUESTION THREE**

- a. Briefly give an account of the life and teaching of Jesus in the Gospel of Luke [10 marks]
- b. Explain the Synoptic Problem in the writing of the Gospels [10 marks]

### **QUESTION FOUR**

- a. Describe the Acts of Peter as an Apostle in Jerusalem and discuss how the Holy Spirit worked with him in Jerusalem and Antioch [10 marks]
- b. Explain what you understand by “Salvation History” and justify your answer with the claim that we are saved by faith alone [10 marks]

### **QUESTION FIVE**

- a. List any four sources that the New Testament writers used [10 marks]
- b. Explain any five issues that Paul deals with in his first letter to the Corinthians [10 marks]