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REL 422: COMPARATIVE RELIGION

Date:

Time: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer question one and any other two

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Explain the following terms
- (i) Comparative Religion (2 marks)
 - (ii) Vedas (2 marks)
 - (iii) Religious dialogue (2 marks)
 - (iv) Protestant Reformation (2 marks)
 - (v) Canonicity of the Bible (2 marks)
- (b) Discuss the caste system of Hinduism (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- (i) Hinduism is orthopraxy rather than orthodoxy. Discuss (10 marks)
- (ii) Mention and discuss the four truths of Buddhism (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- (i) Account for the formation of Buddhism (6 marks)
- (ii) Justify for the formation of Christianity (7 marks)
- (iii) Discuss the the protestant reformation (7 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (i) Account for the life and call of Mohammed (10 marks)
- (ii) Explain the ground rules for effective inter religious dialogue (10 marks)