MAY 2023 **P/ID 1022/PCR1B**

Time : Three hours Maximum : 80 marks

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in 50 words each.

1. What is TaNaK.
2. What is Septuagint?
3. What are the biblical languages?
4. Comment on the inspiration of the Bible.
5. How does the rational approach interpret the salvation history of the Old Testament?
6. Which are the four documents woven together in the Old Testament?
7. What is masoretic text of the Old Testament?
8. List out the early translations of the Bible.
9. Name some of the important Judges of the Old Testament.
10. Who is Samuel?
11. What is Exodus?
12. Comment on the theme of Election in the Old Testament.

PART B — ($5 \times 6 = 30$ marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in 250 words each.

13. Discuss about the important early translations of the Bible.

14. Write a short note on Textual Criticism and Redaction Criticism.

15. Comment on Four Source Theory.

16. Present the process of formation of the Old Testament.

17. Write about the Key events in the history of Israel.

18. Present the role of the Kings of United Kingdom of Israel.

19. Comment on the themes: Election, Covenant.

PART C — ($3 \times 10 = 30$ marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 500 words each.

20. Write an essay on the authorship, inspiration and inerrancy of the Bible.

21. Present the various interpretative approaches of the Bible.

22. Present the historical account of the division of the kingdom of Israel.

23. Discuss the theme "Holiness Code" of the Old Testament in detail.

24. Write an essay on the role of the Judges in protecting the people of Israel.

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