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2021_2 EXAMINATION 45678

COURSE CODE: CRS302

COURSE TITLE: MESSIANISM

CREDIT UNIT: 2

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS each question carries equal

marks (23 marks).

QUESTIONS

- 1. Various passages in the OT that speak of a time in the future when God would perform a decisive and irreversible saving act on behalf of Israel. Discuss this within the context of the Torah and the Psalms.
- 2. On what basis did Christians claim that Jesus rose from the dead; and what has this to contribute to the claim that He is the Messiah.
- 3. Show, with examples from the contemporary NT scholar Albert Schweitzer, how Paul's understanding of the "day of the Lord" influenced his contribution to the Messiah discourse.
- 4. Using some key points in the baptism at Jordan and in the trial incident in the Gospels, prove how the early Christians come to the view that Jesus is the Anointed of the Lord