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Final Examination Question Paper

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Instructions:

Answer any four of the following questions.

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QUESTION 1 (15 Marks)

Allah Almighty said in the Holy Quran, Surah al-Baqarah:

وَاتَّبَعُوا مَا تَثْلُو الشَّيَاطِينُ عَلَى مُلْكِ سُلَيْمَانَ وَمَا كَفَرَ سُلَيْمَانُ وَلَكِنَّ الْشَّيَاطِينَ كَفَرُوا يُعَلِّمُونَ النَّاسَ السِّيَجُّرُ وَمَا أُنْزِلَ عَلَى ۖ الْمَلَكَيْنِ بِبَابِلَ هَارُوتَ وَمَارُوتَ وَمَا يُعَلِّمَانِ مِنْ أَحَدٍ حَتَّى يَقُولًا إِنَّمَا غَنُنُ فِثْنَةٌ فَلَا تَكْفُرْ فَيَتَعَلَّمُونَ مِنْهُمَا هُمْ.يُفَرِقُونَ بِهِ بَيْنَ الْمَرْءِ وَزَوْجِهِ وَمَا هُمْ بِضَارِينَ بِهِ مِنْ أَحَدٍ إِلَّا بِإِذْنِ اللَّهِ وَيَتَعَلَّمُونَ مَا يَضُرُّهُمْ وَلَا يَنْفَعُهُمْ وَلَقَدْ عَلِمُوا لَمَنِ اشْتَرَاهُ مَا لَهُ فِي الْآخِرَةِ مِنْ خَلَاقٍ وَلَبِمْسَ مَا شَرَوْا بِهِ أَنْفُسَهُمْ لَوْ كَانُوا يَعْلَمُونَ (102)

102. And they followed [instead] what the devils had recited during the reign of Solomon. It was not Solomon who disbelieved, but the devils disbelieved, teaching people magic and that which was revealed to the two angels at Babylon, Harut and Marut. But they [i.e., the two angels] do not teach anyone unless they say, "We are a trial, so do not disbelieve [by practicing magic]." And [yet] they learn from them that by which they cause separation between a man and his wife. But they do not harm anyone through it except by permission of Allah. And they [i.e., people] learn what harms them and does not benefit them. But they [i.e., the Children of Israel] certainly knew that whoever purchased it [i.e., magic] would not have in the Hereafter any share. And wretched is that for which they sold themselves if they only knew.

From the above ayat, answer the followings:

a) Summarize the general meaning of the ayat.

(2 Marks)

b) Explain the reason of revelation of the above ayat.

(2 Marks)

c) Explain the meaning of al-sihr (magic) according to 'Ulama.

(3 Marks)

d) There are two different questions that arise about magic: Is it real? Are Muslims allowed to indulge in it? Discuss these two issues.

(6 Marks)

e) Explain the portion of ayat which says: "they learn from them that by which they cause separation between a man and his wife".

(2 Marks)

QUESTION 2 (15 Marks)

Allah Almighty said in Surah al-Baqarah:

وَإِنْ خِفْتُمْ أَلَا تُقْسِطُوا فِي الْيَتَامَى فَانْكِحُوا مَا طَابَ لَكُمْ مِنَ النِّسَاءِ مَثْنَى وَثُلَاثَ وَرُبَاعَ فَإِنْ خِفْتُمْ أَلَّا تَعْدِلُوا فَوَاْحِلَاْهُ أَوْ مَا مَلَكَتْ أَيْمَانُكُمْ ذَلِكَ أَدْنَى أَلَّا تَعُولُوا (3)

- 3. And if you fear that you will not be just in dealing with the orphans, then marry of other women as may be agreeable to you, two, or three, or four; and if you fear you will not be able to do justice, then marry only one or marry what your right hand possess. Thus, it is more likely that you will not do injustice.
 - a) Explain the reason of revelation of the above ayat.

(2 Marks)

b) What is nikah or marriage in Islam? Why is it allowed?

(2 Marks)

c) What are the conditions of male in marriage contract.

(6 Marks)

d) Deduce three (3) rules from the above ayat.

(3 Marks)

QUESTION 3 (15 Marks)

Allah Almighty said in Surah al-Baqarah:

يَا أَيُهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا كُتِبَ عَلَيْكُمُ الصِّيَامُ كَمَا كُتِبَ عَلَى الَّذِينَ مِنْ قَبْلِكُمْ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَتَّقُونَ (183) أَيَّامًا مَعْدُودَاتٍ فَمَنْ كَانَ مِنْ قَبْلِكُمْ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَتَّقُونَ (183) أَيَّامًا مَعْدُودَاتٍ فَمَنْ كَانَ مِنْكُمْ مَرِيضًا أَوْ عَلَى سَفَرٍ فَعِدَّةٌ مِنْ أَيَّامٍ أُخَرَ وَعَلَى الَّذِينَ يُطِيقُونَهُ فِدْيَةٌ طَعَامُ مِسْكِينٍ فَمَنْ تَطَوَّعَ خَيْرًا فَهُوَ خَيْرٌ لَهُ وَأَنْ تَصُومُوا خَيْرٌ لَكُمْ إِنْ كُنْهُم تَعْلَمُونَ (184) شَهْرُ رَمَضَانَ الَّذِي أُنْزِلَ فِيهِ الْقُرْآنُ هُدًى لِلنَّاسِ وَبَيِّنَاتٍ مِنَ الْمُدَى وَالْفُرْقَانِ فَمَنْ تَصُومُوا خَيْرٌ لَكُمْ إِنْ كُنْهُم تَعْلَمُونَ (184) شَهْرُ رَمَضَانَ الَّذِي أُنْزِلَ فِيهِ الْقُرْآنُ هُدًى لِلنَّاسِ وَبَيِّنَاتٍ مِنَ الْمُدَى وَالْفُرْقَانِ فَمَنْ شَهُو مَنْ كَانَ مَرِيضًا أَوْ عَلَى سَفَرٍ فَعِدَّةٌ مِنْ أَيَّامٍ أُخَرَ يُرِيدُ اللّهُ بِكُمُ النِّسْرَ وَلا يُويِدُ بِكُمُ الْعُسْرَ وَلِانَكُمْ لَفَعْدَ وَلِيُكُمِلُوا اللهُ عَلَى مَا هَدَاكُمْ وَلَعَلَّكُمْ تَشْكُرُونَ (185)

183. O you who believe! Fasting is prescribed for you as it was prescribed for those before you, that you may acquire Taqwa.) (184. Fast for a fixed number of days, but if any of you is ill or on a journey, the same number (should be made up) from other days. And as for those who can fast with difficulty, (e.g., an old man), they have (a choice either to fast or) to feed a Miskin (poor person) (for every day). But whoever does good of his own accord, it is better for him. And that you fast is better for you if only you know.) (185. The month of Ramadan in

which was revealed the Qur'an, a guidance for mankind and clear proofs for the guidance and the criterion (between right and wrong). So whoever of you sights (the crescent on the first night of) the month (of Ramadan, i.e., is present at his home), he must observe Sawm (fasting) that month, and whoever is ill or on a journey, the same number of days which one did not observe Sawm (fasting) must be made up from other days. Allah intends for you ease, and He does not want to make things difficult for you. (He wants that you) must complete the same number (of days), and that you must magnify Allah i.e., to say Takbir (Allahu Akbar: Allah is the Most Great) for having guided you so that you may be grateful to Him.)

a) Explain the general meaning of the above ayat.

(2 Marks)

- b) What is fasting? What is the kind of fasting for the previous people? (2 Marks)
- c) Which part of the *ayat* that ordered muslims to fast in Ramadan? Explain. (2 Marks)
- d) State the various stage of Fasting in Islam

(2 Marks)

e) Discuss the rules of Fidyah in fasting of Ramadan.

(5 Marks)

f) Explain the portion of the above ayat which says: "Allah intends for you ease, and He does not want to make things difficult for you".

(2 Marks)

QUESTION 4 (15 Marks)

Islam prohibited Riba and consider it as a capital sin.

a) Write the *ayah* from the Holy Quran which indicates the above statement. And explain it.

(3 Marks)

b) State the reason of revelation of the ayah.

(2 Marks)

c) Define <i>Riba</i> and discuss its types.	(4 Marks)
d) Is banking interest considered as Riba? Why?	(4 Marks)
e) How does Riba constitute war against Allah and His Messenger	? (2 Marks)
QUESTION 5 (15 Marks)	
Discuss the following rules or matters: -	
a) The meaning of Qisas and its ayat in the Holy Quran.	(3 Marks)
b) Seeking Refuge before reciting the Qur'an.	(3 Marks)
c) Types of killing in Islamic law.	(3 Marks)
d) Being kind to debtors who face financial difficulties.	

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e) Types of Iddah.

(3 Marks)

(3 Marks)