



**REFORMED CHURCH UNIVERSITY**

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**FACULTY OF ARTS, THEOLOGY, CULTURE AND  
HERITAGE STUDIES**

**BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY HONOURS DEGREE**

**THE PROPHETIC LITERATURE**

**HBATH 203**

**PART 2 SEMESTER 1 EXAMINATION**

**TOTAL MARKS [100]**

Date: December, 2024

Time: 3 Hours

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. This paper has *five (5)* questions
2. Answer any *three (3)* questions
3. Each question carries *100 marks*
4. Start each question on a new page

- 1) Examine the implications of interpreting historical books as prophetic literature. (100)
- 2) Justify that, 'the establishment of the monarchy and the Davidic dynasty contributed to the rise and institutionalization of the prophetic guild in ancient Israel.' (100)
- 3) Analyse the ways Old Testament literature addresses the contemporary issues of justice in Zimbabwe. (100)
- 4) Assess the characterization of Jeremiah as the "weeping prophet" and its significance in understanding his prophetic ministry. (100)
- 5) Critique the nature of divine involvement in the prophetic oracles of Hosea. (100)

**END OF PAPER**