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COURSE CODE: PRT 110

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO FAITH AND REASON

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Answer **any two** questions from each section

Section A

1. Explain the concept of knowledge and wisdom in real life situations.
2. 'Reality is conceived by reason as either ontological or logical'. Elaborate.
Or,
✓ With reference to the branches of philosophy, explain how philosophy can make one understand one's faith.
3. Discuss the relevance of the first principles being in guiding reason to grasp reality.
Or,
Religious statements are mere fallacies. Comment.
- ✓ 4. Interrogate the concept of change and permanence in respect to the Greek philosopher Plato.
Or,
✓ What is 'faith'? Using any theory, evaluate how faith develops in a person.

Section B

- ✓ 5. Discuss the relationship between Faith and reason.
6. Discuss St. Anselm's dictum "*Fidei Queres intellectum*" and its relevance in understanding one's faith.
7. Elaborate on the role of faith in human existence.
- ✓ 8. With relevant examples discuss the four divine attributes.

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