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**FACULTY OF EDUCATION, GOVERNANCE,
THEOLOGY & LEADERSHIP**

DEPARTMENT OF RELIGION AND THEOLOGY

EXAMINATION PAPER

PROGRAMME : MASTER OF ARTS IN THEOLOGY AND
RELIGIOUS STUDIES

COURSE CODE : MTRS 503

COURSE TITLE : RELIGION & ECOLOGY

DURATION : 3 Hours

10 OCT 2023

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. Answer any THREE questions.
2. Each question carries 100 Marks.
3. Start each question on a new page of your answer sheet.

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1. Explore the interface between religion and environment with special reference to **zvierwa/taboo**s of the Shona in Zimbabwe.
2. Comment on the conservation of the environment during the **colonial era** in Zimbabwe.
3. Explain the contribution of *Laudato Si* in the quest for ecological balance in Zimbabwe.
4. You are the invited guest on the Day of the African women. Prepare a speech on Ecofeminism as the solution to environmental degradation in Zimbabwe.
5. To what extent can the political and capitalistic nuances influence the course and execution of conservation of the environment in Zimbabwe?
6. Assess the contribution of **one** of the following African Scholars to Religion and Ecology;
 - i. Munyaradzi Mawere
 - ii. Tenson Muyambo
 - iii. Fortune Sibanda
 - iv. Mapara Jacob
 - v. Taringa Nisbert

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