

M.Phil/Ph.D in Sociology
Term End Examination (RSO)
June, 2014
RSOE-001: Religion, Symbols and Society

Time: 3 hrs

Maximum Marks: 100

Answer **any five** of the following questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Analyse any two of the major approaches to the study of religion. 20
 2. Outline the relationship between symbols and civil religion. 20
 3. Bring out the relationship between religion, mysticism and symbols. 20
 4. What is popular religion? Answer with relevant examples. 20
 5. Write on aspects of religious revivalism with suitable examples. 20
 6. "Secularism is a utopian concept". Discuss. 20
 7. Describe the relationship between religion and society. 20
 8. Outline the relationship between science, religion and development. 20
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