

JUNE/JULY 2016

Duration: 3 Hours

Max.Marks:100

Instructions:

- 1. Answer Q.NO. 9 and five of the remaining questions.**
- 2. Q No.9 carries 20 marks and the remaining questions carry 16 marks each.**
- 3. Answers should be written either English of Kannada completely.**

1. Explain the sources of Hindu Law. *(Refer Page No.)*
2. Define and distinguish between judicial separation and divorce. . *(Refer Page No.)*
3. Who is Karta? What are the circumstances under which a Karta can alienate joint family property. . *(Refer Page No.)*
4. Who is guardian? Narrate the duties of a natural guardian. . *(Refer Page No.)*
5. What do you mean by adoption? Discuss the changes brought about by legislation to adoption. . *(Refer Page No.)*
6. "Once partition is made, it is done once for all and irrevocable". Do you agree with this statement? Discuss. . *(Refer Page No.)*
7. What are the changes introduced on Hindu marriages under the Hindu Marriage Act? . *(Refer Page No.)*
8. Write short notes on any two of the following:
 - a. Will . *(Refer Page No.)*
 - b. Gift. . *(Refer Page No.)*
 - c. Void marriage. . *(Refer Page No.)*

9. Decide any two of the following:

- a. Kantimati refuses to live with her husband as long as he stayed with his aged parents. She approaches the court against her husband seeking separate residence and maintenance. Will she succeeded? Decide. **(Refer Family Law I & II, Volume-II Problems Book)**
- b. Varun writes a will that if he dies, his child karan should be taken care of by his sister and Varun's wife Srimati writes a will that in case of her death her brother should be the guardian of her son. Both die in an accident. Who shall be the guardian of the son? **(Refer Family Law I & II, Volume-II Problems Book)**
- c. A female Hindu inherited 2 acres of land from her father and 2 acres of land from her husband. She dies leaving behind husband, mother, step son and a brother. Distribute the properties as per rule. **(Refer Family Law I & II, Volume-II Problems Book)**

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DECEMBER - 2016

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1. Discuss the various sources of Hindu Law. **(Refer Page No.)**

2. What is marriage? Explain the essential requisites of valid marriage. **(Refer Page No.)**

3. What is partition? Describe the modes of effecting partition and when can it be re-opened? **(Refer Page No.)**

4. Explain the powers and liabilities of the natural guardian over the person and property of a Hindu minor. **(Refer Page No.)**

5. Define 'adoption'. Discuss the significant changes relating to 'adoption' introduced under Hindu Adoption and Maintenance Act, 1956. **(Refer Page No.)**

6. Narrate the rules as to the succession of the property of a under Hindu Succession Act. **(Refer Page No.)**

7. Explain the constitutionality of Restitution of Conjugal rights with the help of leading cases. **(Refer Page No.)**

8. Write a short note on any two of the following:

a) Who are dependents? **(Refer Page No.)**

b) "Manu Smrithi." **(Refer Page No.)**

c) Will. **(Refer Page No.)**

9. Decide any two of the following:

a) Father enters into an agreement to sell the minor's property and delivers actual possession of the same in pursuance of that agreement. When minor becomes major, wants to set aside the agreement, for want of proper consideration? Decide. **(Refer Family Law I & II, Volume-II Problems Book)**

b) 'X' executes a registered gift deed of seven villages to his daughter 'Y' and delivers immediate possession of four villages to 'Y'. As regards the remaining three villages, 'X' inserts a condition that she would retain possession and enjoy profits thereof during her life-time but she could not have right to transfer to anyone else. Is the entire gift valid? Or is partially valid? Decide. **(Refer Family Law I & II, Volume-II Problems Book)**

- c) 'M' a male Hindu marries 'W' a non-Hindu Women but does not renounce his religion. What will be the status of their son 's' born of their wedlock? Decide. ***(Refer Family Law I & II, Volume-II Problems Book)***

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