

M.A. Semester-III Examination 2016
Comparative Religion
Course : IX
Mystical Tradition of India

Time : Three Hours

Full Marks : 40

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin

Answer **any four** questions

1. Discuss briefly the Bridal Mysticism of Mirabai. 10
 2. Write briefly how Mirabai expressed her love and devotion to God.
 3. Is Mirabai's love and devotion to God was accepted by her family? Discuss. 10
 4. State and explain some of the poetries of Mirabai which express her love for God. 10
 5. Give a brief account of Bengal Vaishnavism propounded by Sri Chaitanya. 10
 6. Write short notes on **any two** of the following : 5+5=10
 - (a) The various kinds of *bhakti* after Sri Chaitanya.
 - (b) Nāmsamkirtana of Sri Chaitanya.
 - (c) Mirabai's Refusal to commit *sati*.
 - (d) Challenges faced by Mirabai as a nystic saint.
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