MTH 325, Quiz #7, Spring 2024 Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions**: Answer each question as thoroughly as possible. Round answers to 4 decimal places as needed. Exact answers are best when possible. Be sure to answer all parts of each question.

- 1. Using the same data from Quiz #5 (**325quiz5data.xlsx**), perform three types of model selection procedures to predict Credit Card Debt from the remaining numerical variables:
  - a. Best subset selection
  - b. Backward selection
  - c. LASSO (penalized) regression (see Lab #6 for code examples)

Report the results of the coefficients and variables in the model in each case. Compare the results using the following criteria:

- i. The  $R^2$  value if available
- ii. The values of the coefficients
- iii. The residual standard error
- iv. The AIC and BIC
- v. Which model is the simplest (has the fewest variables)? Did any come out the same?
- vi. Using plot(modelname) in R, create diagnostic plots for each model.

Based on this information, write a paragraph explaining how you would choose from among these models. You are free to bring in additional criteria as needed.