1. The r.v.s N and  $X_i$ ,  $i \ge 1$  are all independent, and the  $X_i$  are iid Poisson, 1, and N has pmf

$$P_N(n) = P(N = n) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{4} & \text{if } n = 1\\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } n = 2\\ \frac{1}{4} & \text{if } n = 3\\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Consider the r.v. (the random sum of r.v.s)

$$S = \sum_{i=1}^{N} X_i \; .$$

- (a) Obtain (derive) the formula for E(S|N=n) and  $E(S^2|N=n)$ .
- (b) Give the r.v.s E(S|N),  $E(S^2|N)$ .
- (c) State an appropriate Theorem and use it to find E(S),  $E(S^2)$  and Var(S).
- (d) Find P(S = 1). Hint : Use conditional probability. You may also use the property that a sum of m iid Poisson,  $\lambda$ , r.v.s has a Poisson,  $m\lambda$ , distribution.