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**S.Y.B.A. Paper III – American Literature in English Sem III**

**Duration: 3hrs**

**Marks: 100**

**Note: i. All questions are compulsory**

**ii. Figures to the right indicate full marks**

Q.1) Write short notes on Any Two of the following: 20

- i. Naturalism in 20<sup>th</sup> Century American Fiction
- ii. Lost Generation Writers
- iii. Jewish American Fiction
- iv. Literature of Chinese American Diaspora

Q.2a) Critically analyse the character of Sula in Toni Morrison's novel, 'Sula'. 20  
OR

b) "A man can be destroyed but not defeated." Illustrate your answer with a special reference to 'The Old Man and The Sea'.

Q.3 a) Discuss the symbolic significance of quilt in Alice Walker's 'Everyday Use'. 20  
OR

b) Write the critical appreciation of the story 'The Chrysanthemums' by John Steinbeck.

Q.4) Write short notes on Any Two of the following: 20

- a. Good vs. Evil in 'Sula'
- b. Character of Eva
- c. Importance of lions in 'The Old Man and The Sea'
- d. Santiago-Code hero

Q.5) Write short notes on Any Two of the following: 20

- a. Character of Jing-Mei
- b. Setting of 'The Chrysanthemums'
- c. Loneliness in 'Unaccustomed Earth'
- d. Significance of the title 'The German Refugee'