

**Time: 2.30 Hrs**

**Total Marks: 75**

**All questions carry equal marks:**

Q1 a. How does the Wife of Bath raise the issue of women's desires? Discuss

**OR**

b. Comment on the features of Donne's love poetry

Q 2 a. Describe how Milton portrayed the devil's side in Paradise Lost Book II

**OR**

b. How does Gray ruminate on death in his 'Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard'? Discuss

Q 3 a. What inner conflicts does the persona experience in the poem "Resolution and Independence" by Wordsworth? What criticism of man and life is shown?

**OR**

b. How does the West Wind act as a destroyer and a preserver? Explain

Q 4 a. How does the poem "A Prayer for My Daughter," reveal a father's concern for his daughter? Discuss.

**OR**

b. Explain the Biblical allusions in the The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock?

**Q5. Write Short notes on. (Any 3)**

**(15)**

- i) The theme of transformation in the poem "Ode to the West Wind."
- ii) Browning's use of language and imagery in the poem "Andrea Del Sarto."
- iii) The central theme of the poem "The Forsaken Garden" by Swinburne.
- iv) A father's concern for his daughter in the poem "A Prayer for My Daughter,"
- v) W.H. Auden's criticism of the rulers and the authority in his poem —September 1, 1939
- vi) Justify the title of the poem "The Whitsun Weddings" by Philip Larkin.

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