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SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
BA I Semester Examination
Monday, 17 November 2014
2.30 - 5.30 pm
UA01CELT01 - English Literature Paper I (Poetry)

Total Marks: 70

Note : (1) Mention clearly the option you attempt.
             (2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q.1   Define and discuss 'Elegy' as a literary form with reference to the poems studied   (14)
       by you.
                                        OR
       Write a detailed note on the salient characteristics of 'Ode' with reference to the
       poems you have studied.

Q.2   "Death provides freedom from all mental fears". Examine the poem 'A Requiem'   [14]
       in the light of this statement.
                                        OR
       Discuss the concept of salvation as discussed in the poem 'A Hymn to God the Father'.

Q.3   Comment on **Any Two** of the following reference to context lines.   [14]
 (1)   "Not equal as their sex not equal seemd;
        For contemplation hee and velour formed;
        For softness shee and sweet attractive grace,
        Hee for God onely, she for God in him."
 (2)   "Know then thyself, presume not God to scan;
        The proper study of mankind is man.
        Plac'd on this isthmus of a middle state,
        A being darkly wise, and rudely great."
 (3)   "When the stars threw down their spears,
        And water'd heaven with their tears,
        Did he smile his work to see ?
        Did he who made the lamb make thee."
 (4)   "Fame is no plant that grows on mortal soil,
        Nor in the glistering foil,
        Set off the world, nor in broad rumour lies,
        But lives and spreads aloft by those pure eyes."

Q.4   Answer **Any Two** of the following :   [14]
 (1)   Critically examine the poem 'The Chimney Sweeper'.
 (2)   Discuss the theme of the poem 'The Tyger'.
 (3)   Write a note on Milton's 'Lycidas'.
 (4)   What message do you get from the poem 'Tears Idle Tears'.

Q.5   Answer **Any Two** of the following :   [14]
 (1)   Comment on the personification of season Autumn in the poem 'Ode to Autumn'.
 (2)   Discuss the theme of the poem 'From An Essay on Man'.
 (3)   Comment on Milton's description of Adam and Eve in the poem 'From the Paradise Lost'.
 (4)   Write a critical note on the poem you like the most. Also give your reasons.

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