MAY 2025 **P/ID 36511/PEN1A**

Time : Three hours Maximum : 80 marks

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in 50 words each.

1. What do the dove and the eagle symbolize in The *Canonization?*

2. "For God's sake hold your tongue, and let me love" – who does the poet say this to and why?

3. What is *Ecstasy?*

4. What type of flower appears in the poem *Ecstasy*?

5. Who was St.Thomas Beckett?

6. What is the actual name of Prioress?

7. Who is the narrator in *Absalon, and Achitophel?*

8. How did David look upon Absalom?

9. How does Eve fall?

10. Why is Prothalamion called as spousal verses?

11. Who is desperate for a skillful sailor in Sir Patrick Spens Ballad?

12. Whose contributions laid the foundation for the Golden Age of English Literature?

PART B — (5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in 250 words each.

13. Sketch the character of Satan in *Paradise Lost.*

14. How does the prioress's prayer connect with her story in *the Canterbury tales?*

15. Describe the adverse effects of the Popish plot in *Absalom and Achitrophel*.

16. Write a short note on the concept of Platonic love in *The Ecstasy?*

17. How did the Poet compare the swans in *Prothalamion?*

18. Write a short note on Surrey's use of imagery in Sonnet II?

19. What is the theme of Sir Patrick Spens Ballad?

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 500 words each.

20. Critically analyse the wife of Bath's tale.

21. Illustrate the fall of Adam and Eve in *Paradise Lost*

22. Determine the Political Allegory in *Absalom and Achitophel.*

23. Consider Spenser's *Prothalamion* as a wedding song.

24. Describe how Donne use paradox to illustrate the metaphysical concerts in Ecstasy.

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