

M.A. Previous Degree Examination
August / September 2009
Directorate of Correspondence Course
(Freshers)
English
Paper - III : The Nineteenth Century

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Note : Answer any FIVE of the following questions.

(16x5=80)

1. Discuss the idea of change in Shelley's "Ode to the West Wind".
2. Examine Wordsworth's notions of solitude and humanity with reference to the poems you have studied.
3. Comment on the elements of wonder and the extraordinary in Blake's poetry.
4. Discuss nostalgia as a conditioning emotion in Tennyson's poetry.
5. How does Robert Browning use the dramatic element in his poetry ? Discuss.
6. Comment on the use of the supernatural theme in The Rime of the Ancient Mariner.
7. Discuss Keats's sensuousness in his odes.
8. Consider Hard Times as a social satire.
9. Critique the idea of freedom and liberty with reference to J.S, Mill's text.
10. " Jude the obscure in a novel about victimization of women" Elaborate.
11. Discuss the major preoccupations of Jane Austen in Sense and Sensibility.

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