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IV Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS- Reg./Sup./Imp.)

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(2014 Admn. Onwards)

CORE COURSE IN ENGLISH

4B05ENG : Studies in Poetry

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

I. Write an essay in about **200** words on **one** of the following :

1) Explain how " the most heterogeneous ideas are yoked by violence together"
in Donne's poems.

2) Consider "My Last Duchess" as a dramatic monologue. (1×8=8)

II. Annotate **any four** of the following :

3) "With this advantage then
To union and firm Faith and firm accord,
More then can be in Heav'n, we now return
To claim our just inheritance of old"

4) "For thy sweet love remembered such
wealth brings
That then I scorn to change my state
with kings".

5) "A damsel with a dulcimer
In a vision once I saw:
It was an Abyssinian maid
And on her dulcimer she played,
Singing of Mount Abora".

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6) She had
A heart- how shall I say ? -too soon
Made glad,
Too easily impressed; she liked whate'er
She looked on, and her looks went everywhere.

7) Since then 'tis centuries and yet each
Feels shorter than the day
I first surmised the horses' heads
were toward eternity

8) Between my finger and my thumb
The squat pen rests.
I'll dig with it.

(4×4=16)

III. Answer **any two** of the following in about **80** words **each** :

9) Assonance and consonance

10) Alliteration

11) Mock heroic

(2×4=8)

IV. Answer **any eight** of the following in **a** sentence or **two**.

12) What is the theme of the sonnet "When in disgrace" ?

13) What is the Abyssinian maid's song about ?

14) How is death portrayed in "Because I could not stop for Death" ?

15) What was Milton's purpose in the composition of Paradise Lost ?

16) Explain "To see a world in a grain of sand".

17) Comment on " I gave commands; then all smiles stopped together".

18) What is the paradox inherent in the title "The Canonization" ?

19) What is the significance of the statue of Neptune in ' My Last Duchess'?

20) Metaphor in 'Digging'.

21) What is the aim of Satan and his angels ?

(8×1=8)