

Time : 2 hrs

**CODE - VALVET**

Mark : 50

**All questions are compulsory.**

**Figures in the right indicate full marks.**

- Q.1 a)** Describe the general characteristics of Victorian literature. 15

**OR**

- b)** Briefly describe pre - Raphaelite poetry 15

**OR**

- c)** Write short notes on any of the following 15

- i) Tennyson as a representative Victorian poet
- ii) Tess of the D' urbervilles
- iii) My last Duchess

- Q.2 a)** Critically examine Tennyson's 'Ulysses' 15

**OR**

- b)** What is an elegy ? Discuss in detail the elegiac poems prescribed to you. 15

**OR**

- c)** Write short notes on any two of the following :- 15

- i) Tennyson's 'Break, Break, Break'.
- ii) Soliloquy of the 'Spanish cloister'
- iii) Arnold's 'The Forsaken Merman'.

- Q.3 a)** 'Tess is a Tragic heroine', Discuss. 20

**OR**

- b)** 'Tess of the D' urbervilles' is the story of Man - woman relationship. Illustrate. 20

**OR**

- c)** Write short notes on any two of the following 20

- i) Angel clare.
- ii) The art of characterisation in Tess of the D' urbervilles
- iii) Alee D' urbervilles.

