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Romantic Poets - ENGL - E 3015

Answer any four (04) questions

No. of questions: 05

Time: 03 Hours

- "Blake's use of imagery manifests the tension between individual freedom and individual restraint". Discuss with reference to the poetry of William Blake that you have studied.
- "Wordsworth writes poetry of individual, personal emotion, which intertwines the image of man and nature". Examine this statement in relation to at least three of William Wordsworth's poems.
- 3. "Shelley's poetic imagery, often drawn from nature, combines descriptions of the external world with the expression of the inner world." Examine this statement with reference to at least two of Percy Bysshe Shelley's poems.
- 4. "Keats' poetry embodies and interprets the conflicts of mortality and desire." Discuss this statement with regard to at least two poems by John Keats.
- 5. "Romantic poetry reflects the idealistic passion- for nature and for individualism during a time of deep social changes." Discuss this statement with reference to any **two poets** you have studied.