ENGEL-101 (Syllabus-2015)

2015

(October)

ENGLISH

(Elective)

FIRST PAPER

(Poetry-I)

Marks: 75

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer Question No. 1 and any three from the rest

- **1.** Answer any *five* of the following: $6 \times 5 = 30$
 - (a) Explain the concept of 'limiter' in Chaucer's *The Friar*.
 - (b) Give a short description of the corrupt clergy in Milton's Lycidas.
 - (c) Explain the myth of Philomela' in the poem, The Nightingale by Sir Philip Sidney.
 - (d) How does Shakespeare symbolize 'time' in 'Sonnet 60'?

- (e) Explain the phrase 'woman-head' in the poem, *The Relique*.
- (f) Give a short explanation of the 'darksome statesman' as presented in Vaughan's The World.
- 2. What is a 'pastoral elegy'? Discuss *Lycidas* as a 'pastoral elegy'. 3+12=15
- What do you mean by 'carpe diem'? Discuss
 the concept of 'carpe diem' as presented in
 Marvell's To His Coy Mistress. 3+12=15
- 4. What is a 'Sonnet'? Elaborate on the idea of beauty in Spenser's Amoretti: 'Sonnet 79'.
 3+12=15
- 5. Consider The Relique as a love poem. 15
- **6.** Give a critical appreciation of any *one* of the following:
 - (a) Epistle to Miss Blount
 - (b) The World
 - (c) Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard

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