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B. A. (HONOURS) ENGLISH

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Term-End Examination

June, 2025

BEGC-104 : BRITISH POETRY AND DRAMA

(14TH TO 17TH CENTURY)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : *Answer all questions.*

Section—A

1. Write short notes on any **two** of the following : 2×10=20

(a) Chaucer's Humanism

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- (b) Courtly love sonnet
- (c) Lady Macbeth
- (d) Good Angel and Evil Angel in
Dr. Faustus

Section—B

2. Explain with reference to context any **two** of the following : 2×10=20

- (a) In slaying him that would live gladly
yours ?

Make peace therefore, and graunte me
timely grace,

That al my wound would heale in little
space.

- (b) When in eternal lines to time thou
grow'st :

So long as men can breathe, or eyes can
see,

So long lives this, and this gives life to
thee.

(c) Thou seyest, right as wormesshende a
tree,

Right so a wyfdestroyeth hire
housebonde,

This knowe they that been to wives
bonde.

(d) Stay, you imperfect speakers, tell me
more

By Sinel's death I know I amthane of
glamis;

But how of cawdor ? The thane of
cawdor lives.

Section—C

3. Answer any **three** of the following
questions in about **400** words each : $3 \times 20 = 60$

(a) Critically analyse the Banquet scene in
the play *Macbeth*.

(b) Write a critical note on Donne's poetic
sensitivity.

- (c) Discuss the wife as interpreter in *The Wife of Bath's Prologue*.
- (d) Discuss the themes in the play *Dr. Faustus*.
- (e) Critically analyse *Sonnet 75*.

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