

POEM – LINES WRITTEN IN EARLY SPRING

A. Answer the following questions

1. What kind of mood do you think the poet is in?

Ans. The poet is in a reflective and sweet mood.

2. What all does he notice around him?

Ans. The poet notices the blended notes of nature Flowers like Primrose plants like pre winkle birds hoping and playing around him.

3. To whom is man compared to in the poem?

Ans. Man is compared to other living things in nature such as Flowers birds and plants who seem to be taking pleasure in the gifts of nature while mankind leads a fast paced life.

4. What does the poet observe about the birds?

Ans. The poet observes that the birds around him hooping and playing it seems as if they undergo a thrill of pleasure in every small movement they make.

5. In what things around him does the poet find pleasure?

Ans. The poet finds pleasure in the Flowers the prime rose blue of pre winkle and the greenness of the Woodland area where he sits he also derives pleasure by seeing the birds hoping and playing around him.

B. Answer the following questions with reference to context.

1. I heard a thousand.....to the mind.

a. What is the poet doing?

Ans. The poet sitting in a Woodland Grove and listening to the birds singing.

b. What does he mean by the phrase thousand blended notes.

Ans. The phrase 1000 blended notes refer to many different sounds of nature that he hears all around him.

c. What is the poet feeling?

Ans. The poet is feeling saddened by the thought that men had become too materialistic and was leading a stressful life .As a result man had stopped enjoying the beauty of nature.

2. And 'tis my faith.....It breathes.

a. Which Flowers have been mentioned in the poem?

Ans. The poet has mentioned primerose and periwinkle.

b. What does the poet notice about the Flowers?

Ans.The poet notices that the Flowers are enjoying the breeze that is blowing.

c. What does the poet wish to convey through these lines?

Ans.The poet wishes to say that the word of nature is cooperative and pleasurable every living thing is nature enjoys nature.

3. . If this belief..... made of man?

a. What is the belief that has been sent from heaven?

Ans.The belief that has been sent from heaven is that life is meant to be rejoiced nature is related to humanity through the very concept of soul.

b.What is nature's holy plan according to the poet?

Ans.According to the poet the nature has a holy plan to heal the injuries mankind has inflicted on itself natures plans is to bring happiness and joy to all the things on the earth.

c. What is the thought behind the last line of the poem?

Ans.The thought behind the last line of the poem is that if everything is nature can be full of joy why has men stopped enjoying an acknowledging nature. And so the poet laments that mankind has made his life so stressful and fast paced that he doesn't have the time to enjoy nature.

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