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Evaluate each limit. For full credit, please show your work and explain the reasons that lead to your answer.

1. (5 points)
$$\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{x^4 - 16}{x^2 - 4}$$

2. (5 points)
$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{x^4 - x + 1}{3x^5 + 4}$$

3. (5 points)
$$\lim_{x \to -2} (x^3 + 1)$$

4. (5 points)
$$\lim_{x \to 5} \frac{\sqrt{x} - 5}{x - 25}$$