

THE INDIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL, KOCHI

GRADE X -ICSE SUBJECT- ENGLISH

TOPIC- TEST ON ANGEL IN DISGUISE Marks-30

Time- 40 minutes

Q1. FILL IN THE BLANKS WITH WORDS FROM THE TEXT. [5]

- 1.The drunken woman was ------by the villagers. [scoffed at, shuffled]
- 2. The villagers, however wanted to give her a decent-----. [intermingle, interment]
- 3. Mrs.Ellis has been looking around for a ----- girl. [bond, bound]
- 4. Mr. Thompson considered his wife to be----- [vinegar-tempered, vinegar-sweet]
- 5. There was a childish sweetness in Maggie which suffering had not------[oblivious, obliterated.

Q2. Match the following with the meanings. [5]

Sl no.	Words	Meanings
1	unwonted	harshness
2	asperity	Lack of restrain
3	obliterate	anger
4	intemperance	A job with no hope of success
5	subdued	face
6	Indignation	Giving pain or suffering to oneself
7	countenance	Lack of interest or concern
8	Fools' errand	unusual
9	Self-afflicting	destroy
10	indifference	Hushed up

Q3. Read the extract and answer the following questions.

a) 'A bond had already corded itself around them both, and love was springing into life'.			
1. Who are the 'both' referred to here? What type of bond corded between them and when?			
2. What explanation had the speaker earlier given to his wife for brining the child home?	[3]		
3. What instruction did the speaker give to his wife soon after he brought the child home?	[3]		
4. Who is Joe Thompson?	[1]		
b)'What is to be done with the children. That was the chief question now'.			
1. Who are these children? Why is something to be done with them?	[3]		
2. What effect does Maggie's condition have on the villagers?	[3]		
3.According to the villagers how would the poor house benefit Maggie?	[3]		
4.Who stood back to save Maggie?	[1]		