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Class-XII

English

Flamingo

Poem-3



John Keats

A Thing of Beauty

Part - 1

Neha Rajvanshi

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A thing of beauty is a joy forever A
Its loveliness increases, it will never A
Pass into nothingness; but will keep B
A bower quiet for us, and a sleep B
Full of sweet dreams, and health, and quiet breathing. C
Therefore, on every morrow, are we wreathing C

increases: बढ़ना
Pass into: परिवर्तित होना
bower : छायादार पेड़ के नीचे
wreathing: माला गुँथना

Metaphor –

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flowery band: फूलों का गुच्छा
bind : बाँधना / जोड़ना
despondence: निराशा
inhuman : अमानवीयता
dearth: कमी
gloomy : उदास
over-darkened: गलत/बुरा

A flowery band to bind us to the earth,
Spite of despondence, of the inhuman dearth
Of noble natures, of the gloomy days,
Of all the unhealthy and over-darkened ways
Made for our searching: yes, in spite of all,

Alliteration :-

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pall: दुख का आवरण
spirits: अन्तरआत्मा
sprouting : अंकुरित करना
boon: वरदान

Some shape of beauty moves away the pall
From our dark spirits. Such the sun, the moon,
Trees old, and young, sprouting a shady boon
For simple sheep; and such are daffodils

rills: झरना

covert : आश्रय

With the green world they live in; and clear rills

That for themselves a cooling covert make

'Gainst the hot season; the mid forest brake,





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sprinkling : फैलना
blooms: खिलना
grandeur : वैभव/शानदार



Rich with a sprinkling of fair musk-rose blooms;
And such too is the grandeur of the dooms
We have imagined for the mighty dead;
All lovely tales that we have heard or read;

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fountain : झरना
immortal : अमर
Pouring : बहना
brink: किनारा

An endless fountain of immortal drink,
Pouring unto us from the heaven's brink.