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Poem-10 | For Anne Gregory?

Worksheet-2



Multiple Choice Questions

1.	Who is the protagonist of the poem, For Anne Gregory?	
	(a) Anne's Friend	(b) Anne's lover
	(c) Anne Gregory	(d) Anne Frank
2.	What is the rhyming scheme of the last stanza of the poem, For Anne Gregory?	
	(a) abcbdb	(b) ababab
	(c) abcbab	(d) aababa
3.	Why did Anne want people to love her	as she was and not for her beauty?
	(a) She didn't like external beauty	(b) She liked eternal beauty
	(c) She said it sarcastically	(d) Because beauty is temporary
4.	The poem is all about a conversation between two people. Who are those people?	
	(a) Two Bestfriends	(b) A Young Girl and A Young Boy
	(c) A Young man and A young woman	(d) An Old Man and An Old Woman
5.	But Yesternight declares. What do you mean by Yesternight?	
	(a) Last night	(b) Today's night
	(c) Night after two days	(d) Night after tomorrow
6.	Who is the poet of the poem For Anne Gregory?	
	(a) Carolyn Wells	(b) Ogden Nash
	(c) William Butler Yeats	(d) Carl Sandburg
7.	Which poetic device is used in the last stanza of the poem, For Anne Gregory?	
	(a) Imagery	(b) Paradox
	(c) Illusion	(d) Alliteration
8.	Which poetic device is used in the first stanza of the poem, For Anne Gregory?	
	(a) Alliteration	(b) Simile F TEST SERIES
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	(c) Metaphor	(d) Illusion

- 9. Which one of the following is correct regarding the poem, For Anne Gregory?
 - A. It was written by Ogden Nash.
 - B. It is in a Conversation form.
 - (a) Both the Statements are False
- (b) Only A is True
- (c) Both the Statements are True
- (d) Only B is True
- 10. Which one of the following is correct regarding the poem, For Anne Gregory?
 - A. The poem is written in a rhyming form.
 - B. Anne Gregory has beautiful yellow hair.
 - (a) Only A is True

- (b) Only B is True
- (c) Both the Statements are False
- (d) Both the Statements are True

Fill in the blanks:

- **11.** The metaphor used in the poem is " _______".
- **12.** Only _____ can love someone for their inner beauty, not for physical appearance.

True / False

- **13.** The poem conveys the message that beauty fades over time.
- **14.** Only God can love a person for their true inner self.

Very Short Type Questions

- **15.** Describe the method Anne Gregory suggested in order to prove that she is loved for who she is.
- **16.** What does the poet mean by " great honey colored ramparts at your ear "? Why does he say that young men are thrown into despair by them?

Short Type Questions

17. Why doesn't the young woman in the poem For Anne Gregory like to be loved for her yellow hair? What does she want to prove?

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18. What did the religious man tell the poet?

Essay Type Questions

19. Read the lines given below and answer the questions that follow:

But I can get a hair-dye

And set such colour there,

Brown or black, or carrot,

That young man in despair

May love me for myself alone

And not my yellow hair.

- a. Who is speaking this line?
- b. Why are young men in despair?
- c. What is the antonym of the word 'despair'?
- d. Name the poet of the above lines.
- **20.** Why do you think, the other speaker mentioned the old religious man and the text that proves that only God can love Anne for herself alone? (For Anne Gregory)

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21. Assertion (A): The poem uses literary devices like metaphor and alliteration.

Reason (R): The rhyming scheme of the poem is aabbcc.

- (a) Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A
- (b) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A
- (c) A is true, but R is false
- (d) A is false, but R is true



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Answer & Solution



1. (c)

The Protagonist means the main character of the poem and here the main character is Anne Gregory herself on whose name the title of the poem is based.

2. (a)

The rhyming scheme used in the last stanza of the poem is abcbdb. The second, fourth, and sixth lines of the stanza end with the same rhyming words while first, third and fifth lines of the stanza end with the different words.

3. (d)

Anne wanted people to love her as she was and not for her beauty, because beauty is temporary and cannot last her whole life.

4. (c)

The poem is all about a conversation between a young man and a young woman. The young woman is also the protagonist of the poem and that is Anne Gregory.

5. (a)

The meaning derived of the context of the poem is last night. Here, Yesternight means last night or the previous night.

6. (c)

William Butler Yeats is the poet of the poem.

7. (d)

The poetic device used in the last stanza of the poem is Alliteration. In the last line of the stanza, the consonant 'y' is used twice in the words like 'your' and 'yellow'.

8. (c)

The poetic device used in the first stanza of the poem is Metaphor. The poetic device is particularly used in the third line of the stanza.

9. (d)

The statement marked as B is cent per cent correct as the poem is in the conversation form but the statement marked as A is wrong as it is not written by Ogden Nash but by William Butler Yeats.

10. (d)

Both the Statements marked as A and B are cent per cent correct as the poem is definitely written in the rhyming form and also Anne Gregory has beautiful long hair. Both the Statements are True.

- **11.** great honey-coloured ramparts
- **12.** God

- **13.** True
- **14.** True
- **15.** Anne suggests that she can get her hair dyed and colour it brown, black or red so that young men would love her for herself and not for having golden hair.
- 16. By "great honey colored ramparts at your ear" the poet refers to the golden outer parts of the ears of young woman. He says that young men are thrown into despair by them because they are so beautiful and captivating.
- 17. The young lady has a point to prove. She wants to prove that she can change her external appearance or the colour of her hair easily. She can dye her hair brown, black or of carrot's colour. But she doesn't want to be loved for her beautiful long yellow hair. She should be loved for 'herself alone' or for what she actually is.
- 18. The old religious man told the poet that he had found a text to prove that only God could love her for herself alone. Only God could love her for her spiritual beauty and not for her physical beauty. However, her physical beauty carried significance for men.

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- 19.
 - a. The speaker is Anne Gregory.
 - b. Young men are in despair because her honey-coloured hair is so beautiful and distracting that they will love her for her hair and not for the person she is.
 - c. The antonym for 'despair' is 'cheerful'.
 - d. William Butler Yeats.
- 20. The other speaker mentioned the text found by an old religious man that proves that only God can love Anne for herself alone. The poet highlights this point because he wanted to tell Anne that her desire that men should not see her outer beauty is not going to be fulfilled. The speaker tells Anne that only God can be so great as to avoid external beauty and look beyond it. He loves us for our inner qualities. Man, on the other hand, falls for all things that appear pretty from outside and never bothers about what lies inside.

21. (c)

The poem uses literary devices like metaphor and alliteration, but the rhyming scheme is abcbdb, not aabbcc.