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I. Briefly define the following terms: 25%

1. *The Defence of Poesy*
2. comedy of humor
3. picaresque fiction
4. mystery play
5. seven deadly sins

II. Interpret ONE of the following passages: 15%

- A. Whose fault?
Whose but his own? Ingrate, he had of me
All he could have; I made him just and right,
Sufficient to have stood, and fell who fell.
Not free, what proof could they have given sincere
Of true allegiance, constant faith, or love,
Where only what they needs must do appeared,
Not what they would?
- B. A strife is grown between Virtue and Love,
While each pretends that Stella must be his:
Her eyes, her lips, her all, saith Love, do this,
Since they do wear his badge, most firmly prove.
But Virtue thus that title doth disapprove,
That Stella (O dear name) that Stella is
That virtuous soul, sure heir of heavenly bliss;
Not this fair outside, which our hearts doth move.
And therefore, though her beauty and her grace
Be *Love's* indeed, in Stella's self he may
By no pretence claim any manner place.
Well, Love, since this demur our suit doth stay,
Let Virtue have that Stella's self; yet thus,
That Virtue but that body grant to us.

III. Essay Questions: Write on TWO of the following topics. 60%

- A. Compare *Beowulf* and *Sir Gawain and Green Knight* in terms of trials and heroism.
- B. Discuss the underlying moral, social or political principles of Thomas More's *Utopia*.
- C. Is Macbeth a hero or villain?
- D. Analyze Alexander Pope's philosophy of man in *An Essay on Man*.