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Please choose any Four from the following questions to answer: 100%

- 1. Do you like Beowulf? Why? Use examples from the poem to explain and discuss.
- 2. How can Chaucer's *The Canterbury Tales* reveal the medieval English society?
- 3. What is fabliau? How can "The Miller's Tale" in *The Canterbury Tales* be regarded as a good example of fabliau?
- 4. Do you enjoy reading *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight*, generally considered the finest Arthurian romance in English?
- 5. Spenser's The Faerie Queene can be read as a poem of allegory. Do you agree? Why?
- 6. What is sonnet? Can you use one or two examples written by William Shakespeare, for example, to explain?
- 7. Do you like *King Lear*, one of the most famous tragedies written by Shakespeare?
- 8. The portrait of Satan in Book I of *Paradise Lost* impressed many Romantic poets. Can you explain why? Are you impressed with Milton's depiction?
- 9. Jonathan Swift's *Gulliver's Travels* is acclaimed as a masterpiece of satire. Use examples to illustrate.
- 10. The Rape of the Lock written by Alexander Pope is considered the best mock-epic in English. Use examples to explain.