

M.A (ENGLISH) Semester - 4 (CBCS) Examination
April/May-2023 (OLD COURSE)
EUROPEAN LITERATURE: MODERN CLASSICS(ELECTIVE-5)

Time: 2:30 Hours**Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate marks.

Q-1 Do you consider *Duino Elegies* to be Rilke's most important work? Justify (14)

OR

Q-1 Symbolism in *The Duino Elegies*

Q-2 Justify *The Trial* as an Absurdist fiction. (14)

OR

Q-2 Review the plot of *The Trial*

Q-3 Is *Mother Courage Her Children* a tragedy? Explain (14)

OR

Q-3 Discuss the central idea in *Mother Courage Her Children*.

Q-4 Appreciate the title of *The Myth of Sisyphus* (14)

OR

Q-4 Throw light on the thematic concern of *The Myth of Sisyphus*.

Q-5 Write any two short notes (14)

- 1) Emotions expressed in the first elegy in *The Duino Elegies*
- 2) The protagonist of *The Trial*.
- 3) The role of Eilif in *Mother Courage Her Children*
- 4) Don Juan
