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Part A: Grammar (60 Marks)

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once.

pangs	not	regard	drinking	up
A	harrow	cursed	literature	Survive

Coleridge's poem, (a) _____ Ballad, narrates the (b) _____ sea-voyage of an old mariner who at one point of his journey didn't have any water to drink because of a curse, c) _____ or not, we know how important drinking water is in our life. We know we cannot (d) _____ without it. In fact, two thirds of our body is made (e) _____ of water. (f) _____ for nothing is it said that the other name of water is life. Is there a crisis in our time with (g) _____ to access to clean drinking the water? The United Nations in a meeting on the eve of the new millennium identified the (h) _____ water problem as one of the challenges for the future. Rivers are everywhere in our life, (i) _____ economy and culture. A few are already dead and several are going through the (j) _____ of the death.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words

E-commerce has become a (a) _____ word at present. It may be (b) _____ a business (c) _____ electronic transactions. Buyers and sellers are not (d) _____ to talk face to face but they can buy or sell at (e) _____. People from home and (f) _____ can run their trade and (g) _____ using the system. It provides us (h) _____ global information, resources and services and within a (i) _____ of an eye. So, it becomes (j) _____ to all rapidly.

3. Make five sentences using the parts of sentences from each column of the table below.

A peace movement	may have	for peace and non-violent relationship
Means to achieve these ends	tends	to achieve ideals such as the ending of wars
Different organizations involved in peace movements	include	to oppose the proliferation of dangerous technologies and weapons of mass destruction
The peace movement	Seeks	advocacy of pacifism, non-violent resistance, diplomacy, etc.
People of the world	Long	some diverse goals

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

remain	have	rush	Worry	publish	shoulder	beseech	observe	hold	offer
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With extreme competition everywhere, parents are constantly (a) _____ about the results of their children. This b) _____ during the public examinations. Special prayers (c) _____ in families (d) _____ such an examinee. They are always ready to (e) _____ any risk so that their wards can study without the slight test of problems. Some parents (f) _____ to mosques or temples and (g) _____ for the examinees. Sometimes, they (h) _____ cash money to the beggars. They (i) _____ anxious until the result (j) _____.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

"Good for nothing fellow. Get out, of my sight." "Why, sir?" "You must know this," said the master. "What, sir?" said the servant. "You are worthy of nothing." "Sorry, sir. Pardon me this time please"

6. Change the sentences according to directions.
- We are not beasts. (Make affirmative)
 - God has bestowed conscience upon us. (Use Passive voice)
 - We know what is right and what is wrong. (Make Simple sentence)
 - All men must die. (Make Negative sentence)
 - It matters little if a man lives many years or not. (Make Interrogative sentence)
 - The deed of a man is the most important thing in life, (Use Comparative degree)
 - Our life is not measured by months or years. (Use Active voice)
 - The people living only for their own interest are not real human beings, (Make Complex sentence)
 - Their life is not better than that of a beast. (Use Positive degree)
 - What an unfortunate fellow he is! (Make Assertive sentence)
7. Complete the following sentences.
- It is Gulliver who _____.
 - He lay down on the grass _____.
 - _____, it was daylight.
 - He attempted to rise _____.
 - He was fastened to the ground lest _____.

Write a paragraph on **Arsenic Poisoning**.