

**Lecture Sheet, Final Term, 2020**

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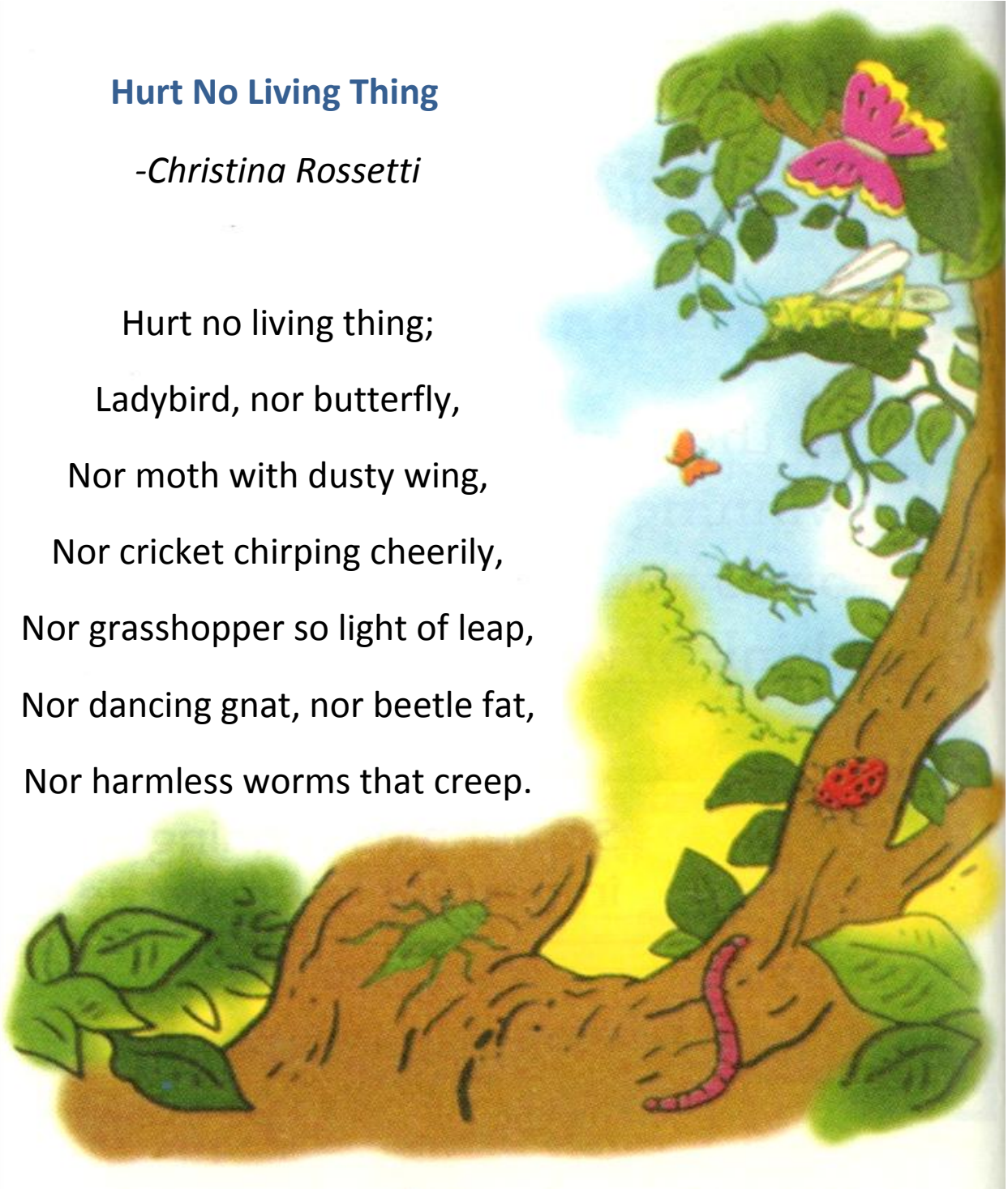
**Topic: Hurt No Living Thing**

**Lecture- 1**

**Hurt No Living Thing**

*-Christina Rossetti*

Hurt no living thing;  
Ladybird, nor butterfly,  
Nor moth with dusty wing,  
Nor cricket chirping cheerily,  
Nor grasshopper so light of leap,  
Nor dancing gnat, nor beetle fat,  
Nor harmless worms that creep.



**Summary:**

**Here the poet said not to hurt the living thing, not even a small insect. All the living things make our world more beautiful and cheerful.**

**VOCABULARY:**

<b>Main Word</b>	<b>Word Meaning</b>
<b>1. Ladybird (n.)</b>	a small red beetle
<b>2. Cricket (n.)</b>	a brown or black insect
<b>3. Gnat (n.)</b>	a tiny flying insect biting animals and people
<b>4. Chirp</b>	to make a short high sound
<b>5. Cheerily</b>	happily
<b>6. Leap (n.)</b>	a forceful or quick movement
<b>7. Creep</b>	crawl

**Make sentences with the following sentences:**

- a) Hurt- We should not hurt any living thing.**
- b) Ladybird- Ladybird is a small red beetle.**
- c) Chirping- Cricket is chirping cheerily.**
- d) Butterfly- Butterfly has wings.**