

25. How did John Byro recognise the horse to be his own ? Still why could he not believe his eyes ?
26. How did the dogs at John Byro's vineyard behave ? What explanation did Mourad give for this behaviour ?
27. Why was Mrs. Dorling surprised to see Mrs S's daughter ?
28. What reasons did Mrs Dorling give to the narrator for not letting her in the house? What was the actual cause behind it.
29. When and from whom did the narrator get the address of Mrs. Dorling ?
30. Who was Mrs Dorling and what made her renew her contact with Mrs S, the narrator's mother ?
31. What was the suggestion made by Mrs. Dorling to Mrs S ? What made the latter agree to it ?
32. Did the narrator approve of her mother's giving away household articles to Mrs Dorling ? How did the mother react to the narrator's attitude ?

LONG ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS

1. On the basis of your reading of the see voyage account, "We're Not Afraid to Die....If we can All Be Together" write an article on the topic "God Helps Those Who Help Themselves"
2. Proper guidance is a must to help children understand and deal with the complexities of life. What values had the narrator and his wife cultivated in their children that helped them keep their cool in the face of the crisis ?
3. What different moral lessons do you get to learn from the story "We're Not Afraid to Die....If we Can All Be Together" ?
4. Why do you think human beings follow rituals on important occasions in their lives? Why in your opinion are some of them so elaborate ?
5. The curse of the Pharaoh is a superstition. Why do you think people believe in superstitions ? Do you think they should ? Give reasons in support of your views.
6. What views on life after death did the ancient Egyptians have ? How does Tut's tomb bring out the futiity of any such beliefs ?\
7. Death and Time spare non. Discuss the truth of this statement with reference to "Discovering Tut : the Saga Continues"
8. There is a lot that elders can teach the younger generation. Discuss with special reference to "The Portrait of a Lady" by Khushwant Singh.
9. What concept of ideal education emerges from Khushwant Singh's "The Portrait of a Lady". Do you agree with this concept of education ? Why ? Why Not ?
10. An act of stealing is stealing even if it is for a good purpose. Do you agree ? Discuss with reference to the story "The summer of the Beautiful White Horse"
11. What values was the Garoghlanian family famous for ? Do you think these values are important for all families to uphold ?

12. Do you agree with Khosrove's attitude towards all troubles and difficulties in life – "It is no harm, pay no attention it." Give reasons in support of your answer
13. "We are nothing but our values". Discuss with reference to the story "The Summer of the Beautiful White Horse."
14. Why does the narrator decide to leave Mrs. Dorling a second time in spite of having failed to get her mother's things back in the first instance ? What family and personal values does her decision reveal ?
15. It is not easy to let go of the past memories and possessions. Do you agree ? Discuss with reference to the story, "The Address"
16. What important lessons of life can we learn from the story, "The Address" ?
17. The narrator says, 'I resolved to forget the address. Of all the things I had to forget, that would be the easiest.'
 – What address is the narrator talking about ? Why did she decide to forget it
 – Do you think forgetting the address was as easy for her as she claims? Why not ?