

## **DB-001-010103**

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## B. A. (Sem. I) (CBCS) Examination

March - 2022

CCE - I: English

(Short Story & Glimpses of Life) (Old Course)

Faculty Code: 001

Subject Code: 010103

Time :  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Hours] [Total Marks: 70 **Instructions**: (1) All the questions are compulsory. (2)Figures to the right indicate marks. 1 Write a detailed note on the origin and development of 14 the short story. OR **14** 1 Discuss various types of short stories.  $\mathbf{2}$ Define the short story and discuss its salient features. **14** 2 Discuss in detail nature and scope of short story. **14** Explain the theme of love and sacrifice in 14 3 "The Gift of Magi." OR 3 Comment on the irony in the story 'An Astrologer's Day,'

OR

Character of Motibai as a symbol of supreme self-sacrifice 14

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and selfless love.

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- 4 Critically evaluate the character of Banu in 'Between the Mosque and the Temple.'
- 5 Write short notes: (Any Two) 14
  - (1) Plot structure of the short story
  - (2) Art of characterization in the short story
  - (3) The title 'The Last Salvation'
  - (4) Rural background in 'I Prepare to go to Coimbatore.'