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ASSIGNMENT FOR SEMESTER END EXAMINATION, SPRING 2025

Course Name- BRITISH POETRY I: CHAUCER TO RESTORATION

Course Code- MAEGD / MEG 102

Full Marks= 30

Answer the Following Questions in about 500 words:

15x2=30

1. Define Sonnet. Discuss the salient features of Shakespeare's sonnets and elaborate how it contributed to the literary aspect of the era.
2. What is a metaphysical conceit? Bring out the major characteristics of Metaphysical Poetry with respect to the poetry of John Donne and Andrew Marvell with illustrations from the poems prescribed in your syllabus.

NB: All questions as per instruction are to be mandatorily attempted.
