**HOME ASSIGNMENT**

**Dept. of English**

**Dr. B.K.B. College, Puranigudam**

ACADEMIC YEAR: 2024-25

B.A. 4th Semester (FYUGP)

English (Major)

Paper 7: British Poetry: Victorian to Postmodern (ENG040404)

**Last date of Submission: 12/04/2025** **Marks: 20**

**The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.**

1. **Prepare home assignments on any two of the following topics - 10×2=20**
2. Tennyson’s “Ulysses” as a reflection of the Victorian ideal of progress and perseverance.
3. The role of the Duchess in Browning’s “My Last Duchess”.
4. Theme of loss and uncertainty in “Dover Beach”.
5. Tone of melancholy and disillusionment in “Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock”.
6. “Sailing to Byzantium” as a modernist poem with symbolic and metaphysical concerns.
7. “The Thought Fox” as a psychological journey from blankness to expression.
8. Critical appreciation of either “Warming Her Pearls” or “Church Going”.

**N.B.: *Submit the assignments in softcopy through College Website Link (BKB College Automation) and hardcopy to the Department of English on or before 12/04/2025.***

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