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Class: VIIISubject: English
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Answer the following questions in 30-40 words:

- How did the author help Kabuliwala at the end of the story and why?
- What happened when a person is controlled by other persons?
- Write the central idea of the poem 'Birdsong'.
- What were Mrs. Blake's thoughts, when she saw the man sitting in front of her, take out a knife?
- How will the traveler feel at the end of the journey?
- Why did Rahul write "Are we really living, Papa?" Give any three reasons.

2 Make sentences with the following words:

- initiative
- prattles
- wayfarer
- unprecedented
- obscure

3 Answer the following:

- Does the feeling of 'ourness' exist in this world? why is it important to have that feeling, especially when you go out of school?
- Why do you think that human relationships that are not based on selfish interests, like that of Kabuliwala and Mini, are of great value? Explain what makes such bonds strong and joyful.

4. Read the given extract and answer the following questions:

*"Hey, try to open up your heart
To beauty, go to the woods someday
And weave a wreath of memory there.
And if the tears obscure your way
You'll know how wonderful it is
To be alive."*

- How can one discover the beauty of the world according to the poet?**
 - Write the meaning of the following words 'wreath' and 'obscure'.**
 - Explain: 'and weave a wreath of memory there'.**
 - Which literary device is used in the stanza?**
- Do Grammar practice in B.B.C