CLASS:6

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

POEM: ABOU BEN ADHEM

QUES/ANS

Ques 1- What was angel doing when Abou ben Adhem saw him within the moonlight in his room?

Ans- The angel was writing in a book of gold when Abou saw him within the moonlight in his room.

Ques2- What does the poet mean when he says " May his tribe increase"?

Ans- The poet means that the number of good people like Abou should increase in this world.

Ques3- What did Abou Ben Adhem want to know from the angel?

Ans- Abou Ben Adhem wanted to know whether his name was written in the angel's golden book in the list of those who loved the Lord.

Ques4- What made Abou Ben Adhem's name lead all the rest?

Ans- Abou's name led all the rest because he loved his fellow men.

Ques 5- Answer with reference to context-

The angel wrote and vanished.

The next night, it came again with a great wakening light,

And showed the names whom love of God

had blessed,

And Io! Ben Adhem's name led all the rest.

- a. Name the poet.
- b. Where was Abou's name written amongst those who loved God?
- c. What kind of person was Abou Ben Adhem?
- d. What message does the poet convey to all of us through this poem?

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B .Abou Ben Adhem's name was at the top of the list.

c. Abou Ben Adhem was a pious man who believed in loving God by serving his fellow men.

d. The message the poet conveys to us is that if you want to get God's love, you should love your fellow beings.