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**Form three English - End term one examination 2018**

**Name…………………………………………………… Class………Adm. No………………**

**Q1. Read the oral song below and then answer the questions that follow: ( 25 marks )**

After a brief struggle I got my

self a job;

My food was meat and banana

flour

A hundred cents a month and

soon I had some money.

Soon afterwards I bought myself

a beautiful girl

My heart was telling time this

was a fortune,

So, heart you were deceiving

me and I believed you.

On a Saturday morning as I was

leaving work;

I was thinking I was being

awaited at home

But on arrival I couldn’t find

my bride.

Nor was she in her parent’s

home

I ran fast to a river valley;

What I saw gave me a shock –

There was my wife conversing

with her lovers

I sat and silently wept;

People are not trustworthy and

will never be

Girls are not trustworthy

and will never be!

**………………… End ……………**

***Questions***

a) Briefly describe what is happening in the song? (2mks)

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b) Who is the persona of this song? (2mks)

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c) Identify and illustrate three poetic features of style? (6mks)

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d) State and illustrate **two** functions of this song. (2mks)

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e) What is the singer’s attitude towards his subject (s) in this song? (3mks)

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f) Give **two** character traits of the singer. (4mks) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

g) What are the social and economic activities of the community where the song has been taken from? (4mks) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

h) Identify the mood of the singer. Illustrate your answer. (2mks) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Q2. GRAMMAR.**

***a)*** ***Arrange the adjectives in the correct order before the noun. Change ‘a’ to ‘an’ where***

***necessary.*** ***(3mks)***

(i) I bought a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_pullover. [**blue, old**]

(ii) By the time I saw her, she was wearing a\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ dress. (**white, nylon, wet**)

(iii) The carpenter made a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(**rectangular, wooden, huge, beautiful**)

***b) Rewrite the following sentences according to the instructions given after each. Do not change the meaning of the original sentence.***

(i)The show was opened by the Prime Minister. (***Begin: The Prime Minister………..)***

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