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Coefficient : 2

I- READING COMPREHENSION (5 points)

Read this text carefully and answer the questions that follow.

TEXT: WHO HAS THE GREATEST LOVE?

A man was once traveling with his three wives when a snake bit him. In a short time, he died in the forest. One wife said: "My husband is dead. I can't live without him." She went to the snake and let it bite her, and she died.

Another wife said: "Since this place is full of wild animals, I had better stay and guard the bodies." She did not rest at all and did not allow even a fly to touch the bodies.

The third wife said: "My husband and my co-wife whom I loved are dead. I will not rest till I find a way to bring them back to life." She went immediately to an old woman and asked her to help. The old woman gave her an enchanted cowtail switch and told her to touch the bodies with it three times. This she did, and the husband and the dead woman came back to life and were just as before, just as if nothing had happened.

Tell me which of these three wives, then, loved her husband most.

QUESTIONS

1. How many wives was the man traveling with?
2. What happened to the man?
3. The man died at home. True or False?
4. How did the third woman bring her husband and her co-wife back to life?
5. Tell who has the greatest love and why.

II- VOCABULARY (4 points)

Fill in the blanks with the appropriate words: *sweeping; ring; off; river; almost; took; fish; snatched.*

One day a child was....1....his father's house and found a ring. He said to himself: "I will take this....2....and wash it only in the River Densu." He went....3....to wash it in the....4....immediately, and he had....5....finished when the river....6....the ring away. But in its place, the river gave him a big....7..... As the child was going off with the fish, a bird....8....it from his hand.

III- LANGUAGE AND USAGE (5 points)

Put the word in brackets at its correct place.

1. I go to my village (*often*).
2. He is late to school (*always*).
3. Sunday was good at football (*quite*).

Use the appropriate comparatives or superlatives to complete these sentences.

4. Prices are getting.....(*more and more high; very high; higher and higher*).
5. It was.....house of the village (*small; smaller; the smallest*).
6. He was a.....footballer at school (*best; better; good*).

Change into direct or indirect speech.

7. The teacher asked Peter to show him his homework.
8. "Don't let your parents suffer for nothing". The teacher told Amadu.

Use WHAT or HOW to fill the blanks in the following exclamations.

9.nice car he bought!
10.beautiful this lady is!

IV- WRITING (6 points)

You went to town for the first time and you couldn't find your way back home.

Write a short composition to say how it happened and how it ended. Not more than 15 lines.