

## ENGLISH COMPREHENSION TEST-2

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- Q.1 The difference between the fear of death of human beings and children's fear of darkness is that in case of humans the horizon of death is increased by the tales they heard about agony of a dying man. On the other hand the kid's fear of darkness is increased by the chronicles they heard about thieves and ghosts.
- Q.2 The religious and sacred view of death is that the humans consider death as a type of punishment for the sins committed by them and also they view death as a medium for entry into another world.
- Q.3 The monks in their books described about the painful experiences they underwent when they inflicted physical tortures upon themselves as a form of self-purification. Thus one might think that the pains of death are ineffable.
- Q.4 Seneca, the Roman philosopher believes that the circumstances and rituals performed on death are more frightening to people than the death itself. For instance, at a person's death, his friends start weeping and his relatives put on mourning clothes.
- Q.5 The facts that make death more horrible are the uttering groans of a dying man. The body is seen undergoing convulsions and the face of a dying man seems to be completely bloodless and pale. His friends begin to weep and his relations put on mourning clothes.