

A thing of Beauty

#### Q. What Pleasure Does a Beautiful Thing Give Us? are Beautiful Things Worth Treasuring?

**Ans:** Our joy is surrounded by something lovely. It breathes a beauty that endures forever. It becomes more and more beautiful as time goes on. The pain brought on by negativity melts away with the positive energies from a beautiful object. Yes, everything lovely is unquestionably something to treasure. It is comparable to a cool refuge that gives us peaceful dreams.

#### Q. List the Things of Beauty Mentioned in the Poem.

**Ans:** The poet claims that among God's creations are the Sun, which gives us life, the Moon's beauty, and the trees, which provide us shade. For instance, sheep are among the creatures that sustain life in our globe. For instance, daffodils make everything green. During the sweltering summer, the coolness of flowing water refreshes us. Flowers of the musk rose are everywhere in the woods.

#### Q. List the Things that Cause Suffering and Pain.

Ans: According to the poet, the things that cause sufferings and pain are the inhumanity of cruel people with noble nature and these experiences cause sad and painful moments.

# Q. What Does the Line, 'Therefore are We Wreathing a Flowery Band to Bind Us to Earth' Suggest to You?

**Ans:** This line 'Therefore are we wreathing a flowery band to bind us to earth' mentioned by the poet suggests that beauty binds us to the earth and these beauties fill us with spirit to live. So, it is the beauty created by God that helps us to remove sadness from our lives.

#### Q. What Makes Human Beings Love Life in Spite of Troubles and Sufferings?

**Ans:** Human beings love life despite its daily troubles and sufferings due to the presence of the beauties that surround them. According to the poet, the world is full of greed and hatred. The sadness caused by the negative vibes fades away with positivity provided by the beauties around us.

#### Q. Why is 'Grandeur' Associated with the 'Mighty Dead'?

**Ans:** 'Grandeur' is associated with the 'mighty dead' because it lies in their noble deeds. There are the tales of warriors who laid their lives for their countries or humanity.

## Q. Do We Experience Things of Beauty Only for Short Moments or Do They Make a Lasting Impression on Us?

**Ans:** According to the poet, these are the beauties that stay forever. It never fades away, Instead, it increases with each passing day.



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### Q. What Image Does the Poet Use to Describe the Beautiful Bounty of the Earth?

**Ans:** According to the poet, beauty is the gift from God to us. It is like nectar given by us which is immortal and gives reasons to live on earth.

