SATSANG PRAVES - 1

CENTRE NO. (केंद्र नंबर)

CENTRE NAME (केंद्र का नाम)

EXAMINEE'S SEAT NO. (Write Clearly & Legibly) (परीक्षार्थी का सीट नंबर (लघु लिखित और साफ स्पेक्ट्रा))

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AGE OF EXAMINEE (उम्र)

EDUCATION OF EXAMINEE (परीक्षार्थी का शिक्षण)

Signature Of Exam Supervisor (परीक्षा अधिकारी का चिह्न)

Note (टोल):

1. Figures given on the right hand side indicate the marks for that question. (रchten दाएं ओर दिखाई देने वाले नम्बर उनके प्रश्न के लिए मार्क्स हैं)

2. Follow the instructions while answering. (प्रश्नों का प्रश्न क्रम में उत्तर देने के लिए निर्देशनों का पालन करें)

3. Answers should be clear without cancellations. (उत्तर रचना की स्पष्टता और रीतियों के बिना होनी चाहिए)

7th July, 2002

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Total Marks - 75
SECTION-1: NILKANTH CHARITRA

Q.1 Answer the following, stating who is speaking to whom and when. [6]
1. “My son Vira, my sixty buffaloes and my fields may be immortal.”
   Who ............................................................. To Whom ............................................................
   When ..............................................................................................................................................
2. “I do not need any pot or string.”
   Who ............................................................. To Whom ............................................................
   When ..............................................................................................................................................
3. “Please show me the way to Pulhashram.”
   Who ............................................................. To Whom ............................................................
   When ..............................................................................................................................................

Q.2 Give reasons for the following. (In Two or Three lines.) [6]
1. Nilkanth did not pluck the green tandalja.
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2. Nilkanth at once got up and embraced the pillar.
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3. Nilkanth assumed nine lakh forms.
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Q.3 Write about any ONE of the following. (In approximately 15 lines.) [5]
1. Ungrateful Sevakram.
2. Separate meeting for men and women.
3. Cursed His own words.
Q.4 Answer the following in one sentence. [5]
1. What would Ramanand Swami declare wherever he went?

2. Write the two names given to Nilkanth after diksha.

3. What was the first question asked by Nilkanth to Muktanand Swami?

4. Why did Nilkanth not wait at Narsinh Mehta’s house?

5. How long was Nilkanth’s period of travelling before settling in Loj?

Q.5 Write the correct answers from the given options. [6]
Note: There may be more than one correct option. Marks will be awarded only for all correct options.

1. Ghanshyam appeared in a divine form to:

   Ans: ...................................................................................................................

2. The names of the Brahmins of Sirpur and Kamakshi, whose lives Nilkanth transformed, were:

   Ans: ...................................................................................................................
3. Bhagwandas saw the following signs on the right foot of Nilkanth:
   a. Ashtakon (octagon)  
   b. Meen (fish)  
   c. Ankush (a thin edged weapon to drive/steer elephants)  
   d. Jav (barley)  
   Ans: ..................................................................................................................

Q.6 Fill in the blanks of the following sentences. [4]

1. Ghanshyam left home on Ashadh................................. Samvat 1848.
2. Nilkanth learnt ashtang yoga from .................................
3. Nilkanth redeemed ................................., His friend during His incarnation as Rama.
4. In Bhutpuri, Nilkanth told .................................to restrain from speaking to or touching women.

(SECTION-2: SATSANG READER PART-I)

Q.7 Answer the following, stating who is speaking to whom and when. [6]

1. “Take this sukhdi and clean your mouth.”
   Who ............................................................. To Whom  ...................................................................
   When  ....................................................................................................................................................

2. “Your intellect, knowledge and ability will shine only in saffron clothes.”
   Who ............................................................. To Whom  ...................................................................
   When  ....................................................................................................................................................

3. “I shall be going away to Akshardham tomorrow.”
   Who ............................................................. To Whom  ...................................................................
   When  ....................................................................................................................................................

Q.8 Give reasons for the following. (In Two or Three lines.) [4]

1. Ebhel Khachar rushed to beat Jivuba.
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2. Nirgun Swami placed the blanket at Shastriji Maharaj’s feet.
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Q.9 From the following sentences choose **FIVE** correct sentences.
(Write the sentence numbers only.) [5]

Bhaktaraj Jhinabhai

1. He had conquered his senses. 2. He used to stay in Kariyani. 3. He became like a cow from an ass. 4. He stopped talking with Adiba. 5. Maharaj played raas in Panchala. 6. Maharaj swung in a 12 door swing in Panchala. 7. He did not have any recommendations for Hathisinh. 8. He served as a personal bodyguard to Maharaj. 9. Adiba served Kamalshi Vanza. 10. Shriji Maharaj lifted his bier. 11. He requested that a mandir be built in Panchala.

Sentence no. [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

Q.10 Answer the following in only one sentence. [4]

1. What name did Maharaj give to Devidan after initiation?

2. What of Dabhan would Maharaj remember?

3. Whose life was a symbol of love and unity?

4. What did Ranchhodrai tell Ashabhai when he appeared in his dream?

Q.11 Write about any **ONE** of the following. (In approximately 15 lines.) [5]

1. Brahmanand Swami’s skill of composing poems instantly.
2. Joban Pagi’s transformation.
3. Ashabhai’s services even in adverse conditions.

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Q. 12 State whether the following statements are True or False and correct those that are wrong.  

1. Devanand Swami initiated Dungar Bhakta into the Fellowship. 

2. By Brahmanand Swami’s blessings, Dalpatram became ‘kaveeshwar’. 

3. Jivuba was married to Amara Patgar of Kundala. 

4. Jethabhai was born in Mumbai.
Q.13 Write an essay on any ONE of the following. (In approximately 30 lines.) [15]

1. Nilkanth - Inspirer and promoter of dharma.
2. BAPS - Root of culture for young and old.
3. Pramukh Swami’s intense efforts.

Essay:

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