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Rain On The Roof

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I

1.) (i) refers to the shadows of the clouds which brought humidity with them and hovered in the sky.

(ii) refers to the top of the earth, where we can see stars.

(iii) refers to the moment of extreme happiness.

(iv) refers to the fancies of dreams that have started coming into the mind of the poet.

(v) refers to the thousands of poet's memories which were their air - threads like a loom.

2.) When it rains, the poet wants to lie on bed in a cottage and listen to pitter-patter sound of the rain.

3.) The poet's mother is the single major memory that comes to his mind. 'Darling Dreamers' refers to the poet's siblings - who too dreamt with the poet in the rain & were darling to their mother.

4.) No, the poet is not a child. His mother is no more. But her memories still haunt him.

II

1.) Yes, when I ~~was~~ ^{was} a young child my mother tucked me in as the poet did. Even now, she does that.

2.) Yes, I like rain so much. I enjoy rainy days, when it rains steadily or heavily as described in the poem, I go out in my balcony and enjoy looking at the greenery and I also enjoy the cold breeze during rains. And the petrichor is the best-thing ever, which I have smelled.

3.) No, I don't think everyone have a cosy bed to lie in when it rains, when I look around, most of the people during rains stay in their houses and other enjoy bathing in the rain. But most animals don't have any option, except for standing in rain. Many enjoy it as a bath or refreshment or something else. But many run for shelter too, which creates a scene of mercy.