

Worksheet: Kathmandu (Vikram Seth)

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Q1. Who wrote 'Kathmandu' and from which book is it taken? *[1 mark]*

Q2. Name the two religious sites Seth visited in Kathmandu and what religions they belong to. *[1 mark]*

Q3. Describe the contrast between Pashupatinath Temple and Bodhnath Stupa as Seth experienced them. *[3 marks]*

Q4. What is special about Seth's encounter with the flute-seller? Why does it make a memorable ending? *[3 marks]*

Q5. How does Vikram Seth use the technique of contrast in 'Kathmandu' to convey deeper meanings about religious experience and human universality? *[5 marks]*
