

## VERB OBJECTS & COMPLEMENTS

*Identify the verb object(s) and complement(s) in the following sentences by underlining and writing DO, IO or OC or PA or PN above the appropriate word. If there are verbals or verbal phrases functioning as verb objects or complements, identify them as noted above. If there is more than one clause in a sentence, identify the verb objects and complements in EACH clause. If dependent clauses (or independent clauses) function as verb objects or complements, identify them appropriately. Stay alert; most of these sentences are tricky. You are in the heart of the examination. 2 pt. each*

### In Memory of Isabel McLaren

- 1) Izzy had given Charlie a distressed look and told him what he needed to do.
- 2) “Are you giving me a warning that I need to heed?” he asked.
- 3) The elderly woman wagged her finger at her oldest friend and began to softly cry.
- 4) Charlie’s demeanor softened when he understood what she meant.
- 5) He knew she was remembering her past and comparing it to the present circumstance.
- 6) Certainly, her youthful experiences were such that anyone in her situation might be damaged.

7) Pausing until she had dabbed her eyes with a tissue, Charlie observed that he understood what she was going through.

8) “The incident in Halifax was a tragedy that none who experienced it can forget.”

9) “You know that I was not in town that day but that was only because I needed to help my father in the winter camp which he had just purchased.”

10) “Charlie,” spoke Izzy, “I know you understand as well as anyone can, but when I remember that day, when I close my eyes, those damn ships keep steaming toward one another and, then, they take my world away, again and again.”