## **Reflection Questions:**

- 1. Why were there such glaring disparities in that village? Find as many reasons as you can.
- 2. Do you think that the people in that village could live in peace and harmony with one another? Why?
- 3. Could the HAVE-NOTS of that village, left to their own resources, improve their hopeless situation? Why?
- 4. Do you think that the people in that village would be able to live happily and in peace with one another, if the few wealthy persons of that village were generous enough to dole on them lots of charity? Why?
- 5. According to your view, to improve their situation, what should the HAVE NOTS be given first of all? Write serial numbers in front of the items mentioned below according to your priority values. Explain why you have chosen such priorities.

Food

Housing

Lands

Money

Education

Luxuries

Sanitation

Freedom and power to manage their lives.

Is there still something missing? Mention it.

- 8. Do you think that the HAVES would easily agree to share their privileges and their wealth with the HAVE -NOTS? Why? What is your experience?
- 9. Has there ever been such village on earth or is just an invention of the writer of the story?
- 10. What's the real name of that WONDERFUL VILLAGE?
- 11. What is happening in our 'GLOBAL VILLAGE"? Describe the similarities of what went on there in that imaginary village and what is going on here in our earth at large?
- 12. Are the HAVES of the Global village, more just and fair than The HAVES of that forgotten village? What makes you say so?
- 13. Have you realized that the statistical percentages of the socio-economical conditions of that forgotten village, are precisely those obtaining today in our world, yes, in our global Village?