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CREATIVE ENGLISH

DANTE



due to – besides – since
despite – moreover – through
as soon as – beforehand – though – such as

1. In the Divine Comedy, Dante undertakes a journey ..... Hell, down to Lucifer and then up to the mountain of Purgatory and finally up to Paradise.

2. ..... writing, Dante earned his living as a diplomat and a local politician.

3. ..... his enormous feeling towards Beatrice Portinari, he had to marry another girl as his marriage to Donati family's daughter was arranged .....

4. ..... Dante became one of the greatest poets, he was not planning to take poetry as a career path

5 ..... he was accused of corruption, he was charged with a huge fine and exluded from the public office.

6. Dante Alighieri died on the way back to Ravenna from Venice in 1321, at the age of 56. ..... malaria.

7. Divine Comedy became a best seller ..... it was published

8. Through his journey, Dante meets almost 900 characters, ... heroes of antiquity, biblical, fictional and contemporaries.

9. In the book, three animals stand in Dante's way. lynx is a symbol of lust, the lion represents pride and the wolf is a symbol of greed. ....., these animals represent three major sins that hinder the path to salvation.

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