ENGLISH – CLASS 8 MODULE -1 HANDOUT-1

LESSON -9 THE GREAT STONE FACE -1

The Great Stone Face was formed on the side of a mountain by some rocks. A mother and her little boy could see it from the distance and they looked like a human face and alive. Going near, the face turned into a heap of rocks. It was believed that the valley owed much of its fertility to this stone face.

The boy felt fascinated to look at it. He wanted the Great Stone Face to speak. Mother told him a story that she herself had heard in her childhood. She told a prophecy that a great man bearing that stone face would be born some day.

Ernest never forgot that story. He had no teacher, but considered the Great Stone Face as his teacher.