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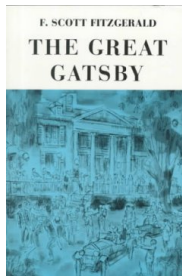

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The Great Gatsby (1925)

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Nick Carraway, a transplanted Midwesterner, buys a house in West Egg, Long Island. Soon he is caught up in a circle of wealthy friends who attend fabulous parties. The friends include his distant cousin Daisy Buchanan, once the object of the attentions of Jay Gatsby. Through the circle of friends, Nick meets Gatsby and becomes fascinated by this man of great wealth and prestige. Then tragedy strikes, interrupting the social swirl Nick and the others had been drawn into.

MAIN CHARACTERS : Nick Carraway, Salesman (bond broker), Daisy Buchanan,

Cousin (distant, of Nick), Jay Gatsby, Wealthy (probable racketeer)

SETTING(S) : New York, Long Island, Atlantic States, East, North America, Northeast, United States

SUBJECT : Wealth

TIME PERIOD : 20th century AD, 1920s (Decade) AD

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