STUDY GUIDE QUESTIONS: THE GREAT GATSBY

CHAPTER VI

1. (a) What is Gatsby's real history? Where is he from? Who were his parents? What is his name? At what point did he change his name? (b) What was the truth of Jay Gatsby? (Use Quote) (Page 98)

2. (a) What did Dan Cody do for Gatsby? (b) How is Gatsby like Dan Cody? (c) What is ironic about the fact that Gatsby never gets the inheritance promised him by Cody?

3. (a) What is Daisy's opinion about Gatsby's party? (b) How does that affect him? (Use Quoted Text)

4. (a) What does Gatsby want from Daisy? (b) What is the meaning of the ladder that Gatsby imagines he saw in the blocks of the sidewalk that led to Daisy's home?
5. (a) What does Daisy mean when she says she's giving out green cards? (b) What is the symbolic value of the green cards? (c) What other reference in the novel is there to the color green? (d) In what way are the two symbols related?

6. (a) What does Tom suspect is Gatsby's occupation? (b) To whom is Tom referring to when he says that women run around too much and meet the wrong kind of people? *(c) What is ironic about his statement?