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### ***The Great Gatsby Chapter 4 Questions***

*Punctilious* adj. precise; careful

1. List 2 rumors told about Gatsby:
  - a. –
  - b. –
2. What does Gatsby say is a “family tradition”?
  - a. Why does Nick think he’s lying?
3. What doesn’t make sense about Gatsby saying he’s from the “Middle West”?
4. What does Nick mean in this paragraph on page 2: *With an effort I managed to restrain my incredulous laughter. The very phrases were worn so threadbare that they evoked no image except that of a turbaned “character” leaking sawdust at every pore as he pursued a tiger through the Bois de Boulogne.*
5. Give 2 piece of evidence for each of these (Gatsby is/NOT telling the truth)
  - a. Gatsby is telling the truth
  - b. Gatsby is NOT telling the truth
6. Explain what happens when Gatsby gets pulled over by a police officer.
7. Who does Nick see after they eat dinner?
  - a. How does Gatsby react to this person?

- 8.** Jordan tells Nick a story (a true story).
- a.** When does this story take place?
  - b.** Where does this story take place?
  - c.** Whose relationship is the story about?
  - d.** How did these people meet? What happened to the relationship?
  - e.** When did Daisy get married?
  - f.** What happened the night before Daisy and Tom's wedding?
  - g.** What information does Jordan give that makes us think that Tom was cheating on her long before he met Myrtle?
  - h.** According to Jordan, how is a person who doesn't drink at an advantage?
- 9.** To what lengths has Gatsby gone to get Daisy back?
- 10.** How are Daisy and Gatsby going to see each other? What's the plan?