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THE STRANGE CASE OF DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE

1. Why is Utterson concerned for Dr. Jekyll after reading his will?
2. When Utterson goes to visit Dr. Lanyon, he asks Lanyon why he and Dr. Jekyll were no longer friends. Why does Dr. Lanyon say they haven't spoken in 10 years?
3. What does a maid witness one night concerning Sir Carew?
4. How do they know it was Mr. Hyde?
5. What 2 items were found in Mr. Hyde's room once Utterson and the police arrive?

6. Describe what happens when Enfield and Utterson encounter Jekyll leaning out of his window.

7. List two things that have been happening at Jekyll's house that encouraged Poole to come to Utterson's house for help.

8. What do Poole, Utterson, and Bradshaw find when Poole breaks down the door to Jekyll's laboratory?

9. Why does Utterson leave; what is he going to do?

10. What causes Lanyon to be mortally ill?

11. What led to Dr. Jekyll's "duplicity of life"?

12. Why did Jekyll enjoy being Hyde? What caused him to create an alter ego in the first place?

13. Why does Hyde commit suicide?

14. What morals or lessons can we draw from *The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*?

15. What is Mr. Utterson's relationship to Mr. Enfield?

16. What does Jekyll ask of Utterson at the end of Chapter 3?

17. Why did Jekyll want to reveal his transformation to Dr. Lanyon?

18. Why is Utterson so obsessed with images from Enfield's story about Hyde that he can't sleep?

19. Was Jekyll ever able not to feel guilty for the sins of Hyde? Why or Why not?

20. What are the main reasons Jekyll tries to cast off his Hyde nature forever?

HONORS LITERATURE QUESTIONS:

HONORS 1. Once Utterson confronts Hyde, how does he feel toward him? What reasons does Utterson give for his feelings about Hyde? In Utterson's response to Hyde, what does Stevenson tell us about Hyde?

HONORS 2. How does Jekyll describe Lanyon? What does this suggest about Jekyll's feelings about his own abilities?

HONORS 3. Is there any significance in the fact that although Hyde's specific facial features cannot be recognized, everyone remembers a sense of deformity?

HONORS 4. Why does Utterson mutter “God forgive us” after the incident at the window?

HONORS 5. What does Jekyll mean when he says that man is “truly two” and that “in the agonized womb of consciousness, these polar twins should be continuously struggling”? (Chapter 10)