

The Great Gatsby

F. Scott Fitzgerald

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Set in the 1920s, it is the story of a man, Jay Gatsby, who seems to have it all: money, power, and respect. But when Nick Carraway meets him, he realizes that he has everything except the one thing he truly wants: Daisy Buchanan, the girl he loved before the war, who is now married and has a child. It follows Nick's perspective of Gatsby and the turmoil each character faces with the coming of Gatsby, and who Gatsby really is under the lavish parties.

I can easily say that this became my favorite book after reading it, and while it is an older book and boring for many, I found myself interested in the life of Gatsby and the mystery surrounding him. I would recommend this to teenagers and older.

Recommended Titles

The Sun Also Rises by Ernest Hemingway

The Beautiful and the Damned by F. Scott Fitzgerald