

To Kill a Mockingbird

Chapter 15(p. 144)

Vocabulary: begrudge(v), inaudible(adj), criteria(n), prohibit(v), bristle(v)

1. How does Dill plan to catch Boo Radley?
2. Identify two reasons why men stand outside a person's house in Maycomb.
3. Why does Atticus insist on defending Tom Robinson?
4. Why is Jem asking about gangs and the Klu Klux Klan?* Take a guess.
5. What does Scout notice about Jem that evening?
6. The narrator says, "Shadows became substance as lights revealed solid shapes moving toward the jail door. Atticus remained where he was"(151). Who are the "shadows," and why have they come to Tom Robinson's jail cell?
7. Why is Heck Tate "deep in the woods" while Atticus stands in front of the Maycomb jail?
8. What is Scout's reaction to the burly man grabbing Jem?
9. What does Scout ask while addressing Mr. Cunningham?
10. Mr. Cunningham says, "Let's clear out." Why does he make this command?*