

*“’Of course you will,’ confirmed Daisy. ‘In fact……all that sort of thing’” –Page 19*

Another quote suggesting Daisy’s carefree and playful nature; she talks about marrying Nick and Jordan like it were nothing important.

*“The other girl, Daisy, made an attempt to rise……and I laughed too and came forward into the room.” –Page 11*

In this quote, Daisy can be seen as a bubbly, unconceivable happy, carefree girl, who takes life easy and laughs at all her mistakes. This may perhaps be her actual nature.

At the beginning of the book, the character of Daisy is a slightly hazy, but perhaps most thoroughly expressed one; throughout the first chapter of “The Great Gatsby,” we are constantly given ideas about how Daisy’s mind works, and what she thinks about. Nonetheless, these ideas are contradictory in nature; one second, Daisy is all happy and joyful, the next, she is thoughtful and serene. What does this all mean?

*“’Gatsby?’ demanded Daisy. ‘What Gatsby?’” –Page 13*

This quote may or may not suggest that Daisy somehow knows Gatsby; the way she “demands” the answer to her question could suggest that she is sensitive about the topic.

*“’Did I?’ She looked at……and the first thing you know—‘”–Page 20*

Daisy is obviously hiding her talk with Nick from Tom here. This may suggest a rocky relationship between them two, or something deeper happening in her “lighthearted” life.

*“I forgot to ask you something……a girl out West.” –Page 20*

This quote is another that shows how Daisy usually lives her life, just doing whatever she wants, which seems to be quite unlike what we believe a rich person would live like, but rather, very relaxed and easy-going.

*“’That’s true.’ She hesitated. ‘Well……cynical about everything.’” –Page 17*

This is a giant contrast to the way she acts throughout the night; perhaps, this may suggest that there are deeper thoughts milling around in Daisy’s head, that her life isn’t as untroubled as she gives off.

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