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Tolstoy's Utopia

What did you think of the story "Too Dear"?

To what extent is it "Too Easy?"

What are some of the dilemmas surrounding capital punishment and life in prison?

What did you think of the story of Ivan the fool? What do you think this story is about?

Do you see any connections between the Utopians and the people in Ivan's kingdom? What are the differences?

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In your opinion, to what extent is it good/bad to live without labor?

What do you think of the one special custom (last sentence)? How does it relate to life in the 21st century?

What should we take from these stories and what “yeah but’s” do you have for Tolstoy?