

Topic: Pages 50-65

Essential ? : What do we learn on pages 50-65 of 451?

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Questions	Notes
Who shows up when Guy is sick?	-Beatty shows up at Montag's house and check on him since he is "sick"
What goes Mildred find hidden under Guy's pillow?	-When tv and radio became more popular books started fading out -Books got shortened further and further until they were just a few sentences
What are funerals like?	-Mildred is fake cleaning while Beatty is there and goes to fluff Guy's pillow and feels the book hidden there -More sports so people don't have to think -Books and writing became very bland because people didn't want anyone to be offended -Beatty says we must all be alike, everyone made equal
What does Beatty reveal about Clarisse and her family?	-All about being "happy" and books can threaten that says Beatty -People are burned up when they die and ashes taken away, no funerals because those are sad
What is the purpose of schools?	-"Fire is bright and fire is clean" says Beatty (57) -Beatty says they have been watching Clarisse's family -Never found books at McClellans -Schools take kids at youngest age possible to try and brainwash them
How long does Guy have with his stolen book?	-Beatty thinks people should be filled with useless data and info then they will feel smart but not ask questions or ask why -Beatty says firemen are important to keep the world happy -Beatty says he has read some books and they are useless and say nothing -Beatty knows Montag has a book and has 24 hours to burn it
Why are there no front porches?	Page60 -No front porches because don't want people sitting and talking -Mildred tells Guy to go for a drive and run things over to feel better like dogs and rabbits
What is behind the ventilator?	-Guy goes to the ventilator and pulls out about 20 hidden books -Mildred starts freaking out so Guy slaps her -Guy starts reading and Mildred is terrified -Guys is reading but not understanding so he starts over again reading
Beatty shows up when Guy claims to be sick. He explains the history of firemen and says every once in a while firemen will get the urge to read. They have 24 hours with the books and then need to burn them. The world is about being happy so there are no funerals. Kids are brainwashed at school to not think. Schools are also a place to put kids parents don't want to deal with. People shouldn't talk so	

they got rid of front porches. Guy pulls down 20+ hidden books from his ventilator and wants to read them.