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Stranger: Part II, Chpt. 5

I. Vocabulary: Be able to define the following words and understand them when they appear in the novel. Also, be prepared to be quizzed on these words.

implacable: impossible to comfort

tacit: implied, but not openly expressed

II. Questions: answer the following questions while you read to check your comprehension.

1. Who does Meursault refuse to see?
2. Why does Meursault wish he had read books on executions?
3. What story does Meursault remember his mother telling him?
4. What does Meursault feel is the only thing a man could be interested in?
5. In his imaginings, what new law does Meursault add to the penal code?
6. What about the guillotine bothered Meursault?
7. What does Meursault understand about what happens after his death?
8. What doesn't interest Meursault?
9. What does Meursault say about sin?
10. What does Meursault say he doesn't want to waste his time on?
11. What question did the chaplain ask Meursault that made him mad?
12. Meursault ends by saying that he opened himself to what?