

I READ THE TRIAL.

I READ ALL THE SHORT STORIES.

I READ THE STOKER, EVEN

THOUGH IT'S (VERBATIM) THE

1st CHAPTER OF AMERIKA -

BECAUSE I REALLY ENJOYED

AMERIKA.

I READ ALL THE DELETED

STUFF.

ALL THE BLUE OCTAVO NOTEBOOKS.

THE BURROWS AND SO ON.

I SKIMPED ON THE LETTERS.

(DON'T CARE WHO HE WAS OUTSIDE
OF HIS OWN IMAGINATION.)

AND WHEN I WAS FINISHED,

I FELT DONE.

IT WENT BUICK.