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Letter to Daisy

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It felt as if this was the first time meeting you again. Seeing now that you are going to become married with another man. Oh, how I wish I could see your beautiful smile every single morning when I wake up. I wish you were here by my side. I am in a state of despair, but don’t you worry. I would love to ask you simple questions about your day, but it would only continue my suffering of knowing that I cannot be there for you. I thought we were really in love, that our love was unbreakable. I remember one day; I woke up to get coffee and read the daily newspaper. I was bewildered when I saw that you were marrying that rich, stern Tom Buchanan. We had a life that could never be broken, our love was strong, Daisy. In the end, I truly wish the best for you, Daisy. I hope you could live an amazing life full of happiness that you couldn’t experience with me. I could only love you, Daisy. You will always be remembered in my heart.

Best regards,

Jay Gatsby

In my mind, I believe that this was what Gatsby wrote in that letter to Daisy. Just a simple farewell and a good luck to Daisy to wish her a great life. Furthermore, in the text, Jordan says, “And Daisy ought to have something in her life.” Jordan says this referring to Gatsby. That Daisy is willing to have an affair with Gatsby. Moreover, Jordan found Daisy with “…a bottle of Sauterne in one hand and a letter in the other.” This shows that Daisy was extremely upset that she married an arrogant man. She should’ve married Gatsby and be truly happy in life. Jordan didn’t know that it was Gatsby who wrote the letter to Daisy, but she had clues that connected everything together. For example, Gatsby himself told Jordan of his affair with Daisy.