

Reading Questions for the “Gospel of Wealth” by Andrew Carnegie

Paragraph 1

1. What does Carnegie mean by the proper administration of wealth?
2. What “change” is Carnegie talking about?

Paragraph 2

3. What are problems that exist between the rich and the poor?
4. What does Carnegie mean by “mutual ignorance breeds mutual distrust”?

Paragraph 3

5. What risks are involved with giving donations to individuals?

Paragraph 4

6. So, who does Carnegie argue money should be given to?
7. What is the role of a trustee?

Paragraph 5

8. How might the wealthy build peace and good will among people?

Constructed Response

Prompt Question:

Using evidence from “The Gospel of Wealth”, explain Carnegie’s view on wealth. Include specific textual evidence.

Requirements:

Needs to be at least 1 paragraph with a topic sentence and a **minimum of 2 pieces of supporting evidence** (quotes or information) from the “Gospel of Wealth” to support your explanation.