

Download Why Did Wilson Kill Gatsby

George Wilson kills Gatsby out of revenge for killing his wife. He believes the person responsible for hitting her with the car was her lover and Tom Buchanan informs him that it was Gatsby who was driving the vehicle. Wilson assumed that who ever was driving the yellow car was Myrtle's affair and the one who killed her. He believed Gatsby was the one who did it because Tom told him that Gat...sby was the owner ...However, Wilson doesn't realize that Gatsby wasn't driving; instead, it was Daisy driving, and Gatsby mentions to Nick that he knows Daisy meant to kill Myrtle. Wilson is perhaps one of the most victimised characters in the novel. He's hardly affluent, stuck in a job working for obnoxiously rich folks like Tom in the Valley of Ashes.