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The Tell-Tale Heart Comprehension Questions

Answer the following questions

1. Why does the narrator kill the old man?
2. Summarize the steps of his plan.
3. Why do the police arrive? Why is the narrator acting this way?
4. What drives the narrator to confess his crime?
5. In what way is the narrator careful about the means he uses and carless about whether his act is justified? _____

6. Do you think the narrator feels guilty for his crime? Why or why not?

6. 7. At the end, do you think anyone but the narrator hears the beating of the old mans heart? Explain. ? _____
