

## Character List

<b>Bertram Cates</b>	24 year old science teacher; Based on <b>John Scopes</b>
<b>Matthew Harrison Brady</b>	Three time presidential candidate; Orator; Lawyer; Fundamentalist; <b>Attorney for the Prosecution</b> ; Based on <b>William Jennings Bryan</b>
<b>Henry Drummond</b>	Cates' <b>Defense Attorney</b> ; Hired by the Baltimore Herald; Fights for freedom of thought; Based on <b>Clarence Darrow</b>
<b>E.K. Hornbeck</b>	Reporter from the Baltimore Herald; Based on <b>H.L. Mencken</b>
<b>Reverend Jeremiah Brown</b>	Spiritual leader of Hillsboro
<b>Rachel Brown</b>	Daughter of Rev. Brown; Teaches second grade; good friend to Bertram Cates
<b>Judge</b>	Supposed to be impartial; Shows strong religious beliefs in the beginning, and then shifts
<b>Mrs. Brady</b>	Matthew Harrison Brady's wife; Worries about her husband's health
<b>Meeker</b>	The <b>bailiff</b> at the courthouse; has sympathy for Cates
<b>Melinda Loomis</b>	A twelve year old girl; Believes the fundamentalists
<b>Howard Blair</b>	A student in Cates' class; Testifies against Cates
<b>Mrs. Krebs</b>	An outspoken member of the community; Helps Brady during his stay in Hillsboro
<b>Tommy Stebbins</b>	The twelve year old boy who died by drowning
<b>Mr. Bannister</b>	Resident of Hillsboro; Member of the jury
<b>Elijah</b>	Sells Bibles to townspeople; preaches his beliefs to the crowd
<b>Mayor</b>	Supports Brady and welcomes him to town; Believes Brady will win
<b>Tom Davenport</b>	<b>District Attorney</b> ; Assists Brady during the trial
<b>Harry Y. Esterbrook</b>	A radio man from WGN in Chicago
<b>Jesse H. Dunlap</b>	Farmer and cabinetmaker; Questioned by the attorneys before judge decides he cannot serve on the jury