

General Discussion Questions on Passion

Can passion ever be entirely positive, or does it inevitably lead to conflict or downfall?

How does forbidden or unfulfilled passion shape a character's destiny?

In what ways do passionate relationships challenge or reinforce traditional gender roles?

Can a lack of passion be just as meaningful as its presence?

How does passion intersect with other themes such as power, freedom, or guilt?

Do you think authors celebrate or warn against passion? Support your view with examples.