Caught in a Reverie

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For Vonnegut, then, the actual image of the war hero is very different from that idealized version. He portrays Derby as a war hero who is constrained by his own vision of war heroism and is rejected by those who are not able to accept the war hero as he is. Vonnegut does precisely this, pressing his readers to reconsider what they have been culturally taught to believe about war heroism and to truly think about how to construct our own vision of war heroism. He portrays Derby as a jailing...the one...or two people who acted up, humiliated their families or threatened the town’s view of itself were taken good care of. Certain aspects of the novel’s message were made by us, not given to us.”

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MORRISON’S CRITIQUE OF BLACK NATIONALISM

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