

## Father's relationship to Christopher:

- Relationship between Christopher and his father is changing throughout the whole book. At first, they thrust each other very much, but when C. starts to find the truth, the conditions get worse. Soon C. hates his father and runs away from him. Even though father tries to convince him otherwise, C. still sees just facts and the fact that his father murdered the dog.
- C.'s father loves Christopher very much, and he would do anything for him. He tries to protect him from knowing the painful truth. It seems that father forgets that Christopher is an autistic child.
- C. father is undefinable. Sometimes very violent (violent in language, he uses the word 'fuck' quite often) and sometimes kind.
- Many readers have different opinions about the father. Some say that he is a good man struggling in horrible conditions. Again, the other say that he's a psychopath.