

<b>Title</b>	Five Easy Pieces
<b>Director</b>	Bob Rafelson
<b>Date</b>	1970
<b>Area</b>	19 <sup>th</sup> Century British Philosophy
<b>Theme</b>	Mill - Utilitarianism
<b>Plot Summary</b>	Tells the story of surly oil rig worker Bobby Dupea (Jack Nicholson) who turns out to be a fugitive from a musical career and from his family of classical musicians. When word reaches Bobby that his father is dying, he reluctantly takes his girlfriend Rayette (Karen Black) back home to make peace with his family. He has turned his back on the higher pleasures. Can be used to discuss higher and lower pleasures.
<b>Key Scenes</b>	
<b>Relevant Text</b>	J.S. Mill, Utilitarianism Ch 2