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Week of November 24

For *Tuesday* November 24

1. Review the little survey of statements which did or did not apply to you. If you've lost or mislaid it, I've added a copy to this week's online website.
2. Check yourself against the Urb Key which I've also posted to the week's online website. Locate the best and worst Urb for you (the ones most and least appealing depending on whether you said the statements did or did not describe you).
3. In Kyle Ezell's book, read *either* the chapter which describes the urb which seems your *best* type or your *worst* type. If you're ambitious, read both...the book is a very easy read.
  - a. Post Industrial Urbs: 75 - 112
  - b. Garden Urbs: 113 - 142
  - c. Eclectic Urbs: 143 - 174
  - d. Blank Canvas Urbs: 175 - 208
4. Either prowl around one of the examples given in Ezell's book, *or* see if you can find a similar place in the city you're investigating. If you do on streetfinder or some other of the snooping tools we've been using, send me the URL by e-mail to the address above. I'll add it to the website and we'll hunt through a few of them.

For *Thursday*, November 26.

Happy Thanksgiving.

Enjoy the Thanksgiving Holiday. When you get tired of talking to Uncle Humphrey or Aunt Irmintrude, spend some time investigating your city. I'll have a website ready for the week of your return and will let you know when it's ready for your perusal.