Directions: Answer the following questions in complete sentences

Short Stories "On the Sidewalk Bleeding" – Pre-Reading Questions

1. When you form opinions or impressions about people when you first meet, what kinds of things do you consider? (Their looks, clothing, where they are, what they're doing, etc?)

2. What do you think people consider about you when they first meet you and form an impression?

3. Identify a symbol or a sign that you feel could represent your identity.

4. Is there a personal motto, saying, or mantra that you feel represents you and your life? If not, chose or create one now. For example, "Believe" as in the goodness of people, something greater than yourself, everything happens for a reason…

5. Define the following terms **in your own words**:
   a. stereotype:

   b. prejudice: