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## Twisted Thoughts

### Short Answer Key

1. The narrator believes he is not mad because he thinks his senses are extremely sharp.
2. He treats the old man kindly during the day to hide his true intentions and avoid suspicion.
3. He hears a heartbeat that keeps growing louder, making him panic and confess.
4. He is confident and friendly at first, but as the sound grows louder, he becomes nervous and eventually confesses.
5. The heartbeat sound might not have been real—it could have been his own guilt making him imagine it.

