

The Captain's Doll

6 of D. H. Lawrence Novels

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David Herbert Richards Lawrence was an English writer of the 20th century, whose prolific and diverse output included novels, short stories, poems, plays, essays, travel books, paintings, translations, literary criticism and personal letters.

His collected works represent an extended reflection upon the dehumanising effects of modernity and industrialisation. In them, Lawrence confronts issues relating to emotional health and vitality, spontaneity, human sexuality and instinct.

Set during World War I, a married Scottish soldier, instead of returning home, courts a displaced German countess in occupied Germany.

The narrative revolves around a relationship that is not condoned by society and the complexities of a love that is not reciprocated and whose boundaries are not defined. D. H. Lawrence's fascinating novella deals with the dehumanising effects of war on an English captain.