



WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE (1564-1616)





Memorial Theatre in Stratford-on-Avon.

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William Shakespeare, the greatest English poet and dramatist. He was born in April 1564 at Stratford-upon-Avon.

- Stratford – prosperous, self-governing market town.**
- The Avon – a pretty river.**
- Stratford Grammar School.**



Mary Arden, the poet's mother, was a daughter of rich man.

- John Shakespeare, the poet's father, was the town officers and dealer in corn and meat.**





This is the most famous house in England and the most famous house in the world.

Shakespeare was born here.

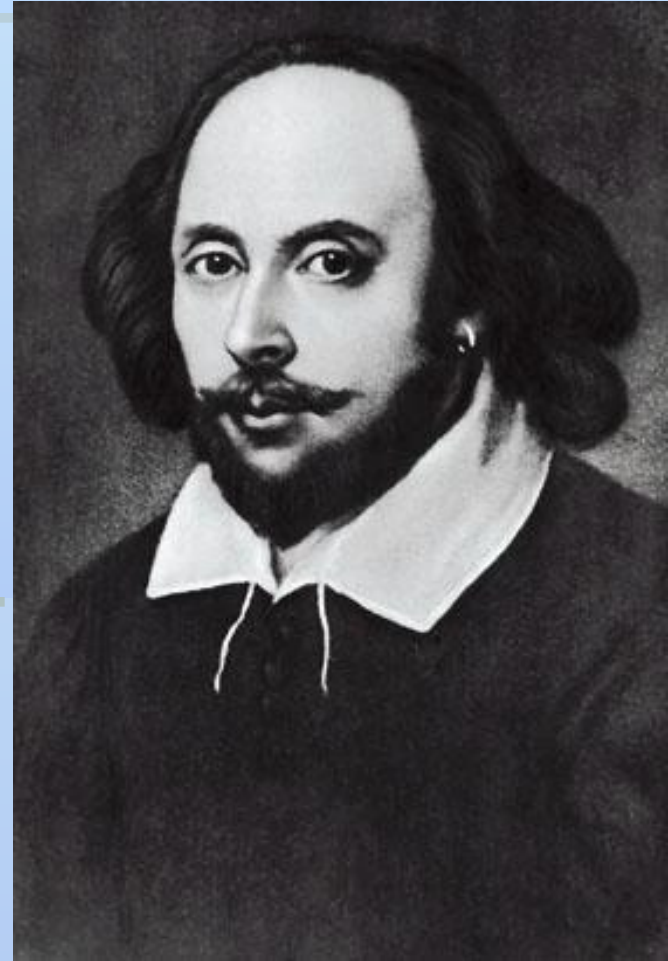
The appearance of the house is the same as it looked at that time.

SHAKESPEARE

WROTE

37

PLAYS.



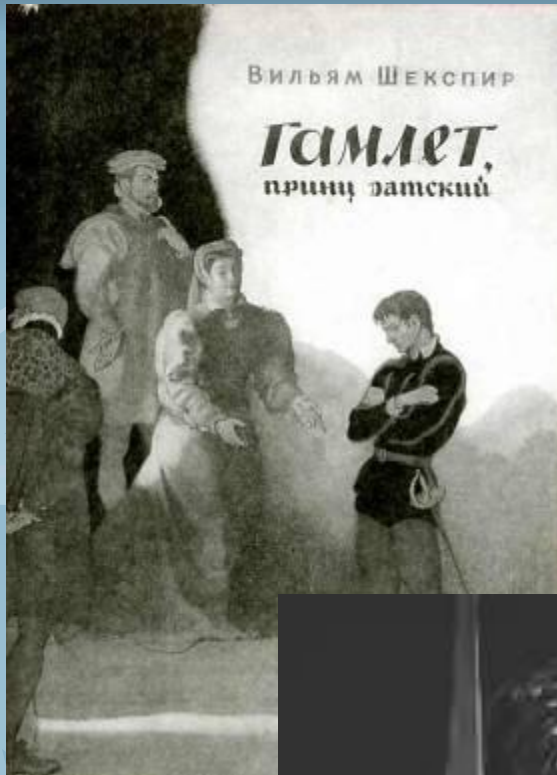
“Romeo and Juliet”- an optimistic tragedy.
Staged in all kinds of theatres.



This wonderful love story is about two lovers Romeo and Juliet. Unfortunately, they died, but they didn't stop loving each other. They stayed young forever!

Высоко-поэтическая пьеса о любви, великом чувстве, связывающем людей на всю жизнь, для которого даже смерть не преграда.

С.Прокофьев «Джульетта-девочка» из балета «Ромео и Джульетта»



“Hamlet” is a great philosophical tragedy. It is the story of a man who loved good and hated evil who loved truth and hated lies.

The character of Hamlet is one of the most difficult in world literature.

This role was played by the best actors of all times and peoples.

John Gielgud was the best in the role of Hamlet in England.

Russian poet and actor Vladimir Vysotsky was brilliant in our country.

“Othello” is a play about love and jealousy, a play about a person who believed the lie and killed his wife whom he loved dearly.





“King Lear” is the story of a man who was so proud so egoistic that he could not understand a world around him. He heard only what he wanted to hear; he saw only what he wanted to see.





HE SET UP HIS OWN THEATRE
«THE GLOBE».

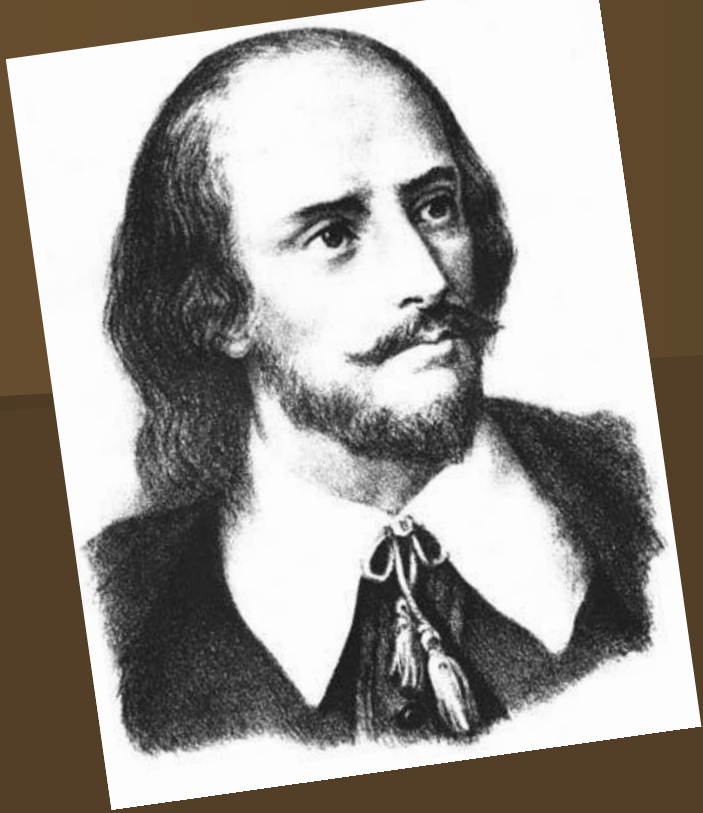
The Globe Theatre.



William Shakespeare wrote most of his plays for the Globe Theatre.

In those days in the 16th and 17th centuries people had neither radio nor a newspaper, that's why the theatre played an important part their lives.

In those days the people of London, young and old, rich and poor, loved the Globe Theatre very much. The poor people could not pay much for the tickets and they stood or sat on the ground in the yard. Rich people and their wives sat on the balconies and aristocrats were allowed to sit on the stage.



HE WROTE
THE SONNETS...



«Сонет №90»

исп. Алла Пугачева



SONNET 90

- *Then hate me when thou wilt; if ever, now;
Now, while the world is bent my deeds to cross,
Join with the spite of fortune, make me bow,
And do not drop in for an after-loss:
Ah, do not, when my heart hath 'scoped this sorrow,
Come in the rearward of a conquer'd woe;
Give not a windy night a rainy morrow,
To linger out a purposed overthrow.
If thou wilt leave me, do not leave me last,
When other petty griefs have done their spite
But in the onset come; so shall I taste
At first the very worst of fortune's might,
And other strains of woe, which now seem woe,
Compared with loss of thee will not seem so.*

So oft have I invoked thee for my Muse
And found such fair assistance in my verse
As every alien pen hath got my use
And under thee their poesy disperse.
Thine eyes that taught the dumb to sing
And heavy ignorance aloft to fly
Have added feathers to the learned's wing
And given grace a double majesty.
Yet be most proud of that which I compile,
Whose influence is thine and born of thee:
In others' works thou dost but mend the style
And arts with thy sweet graces graced be;
But thou art all my art and dost advance
As high as learning my rude ignorance.

William Shakespear, Sonnet #78

Сонет №78

*Не обручен я с музою моей.
И часто снисходителен твой суд,
Когда тебе поэты наших дней
Красноречиво посвящают суд.
Твой ум изящен, как твои черты,
Гораздо тоньше всех моих похвал.
И поневоле строчек ищешь ты
Новее тех, что я тебе писал.
Я уступить соперникам готов.
Но поле риторических потуг
Яснее станет правда этих слов,
Что пишет просто говорящий друг.
Бескровным краскам яркая нужна,
Твоя же кровь и без того красна.*

Quotations from Shakespeare

YES

NO

There are some common phrases which the English owe to William Shakespeare. They have now become part of the everyday language of Englishmen.

1. "To be or not to be
That is the question"
2. "All the world's a stage, and all
the men and women merely
players".
3. "How sharper than a serpent's
tooth it is to have a thankless
child..."
4. "Something is rotten in the
state of Denmark".
5. "One that loved not wisely but
too well".
6. "Every inch a king".
7. "Lord, what fools these mortals
be".

1. «...острей зубов змеиных
неблагодарность детища!»
2. «Король, король – от головы
до ног!»
3. «Быть или не быть
Вот в чем вопрос».
4. «Весь мир – театр. В нем
женщины, мужчины – все
актеры».
5. «Как безумен род людской!»
6. «Подгнило что-то в датском
королевстве».
7. «...этот человек любил без
меры и благоразумия».

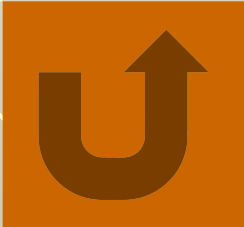
A cartoon mouse with a yellow nose and black whiskers is sitting and holding a large orange speech bubble. The background features a compass rose on the left and abstract yellow lines on a grey background.

**Knowledge
is power.**





Live and
learn.





William Shakespeare was buried here in 1616.

These 4 lines are said to have been written by himself.

**“Good friend, for Jesus' sake,
forbear
To did the dust enclosed here;
Blessed be he that spores these
stones,
And cursed be he that moves my
bones”.**



Shakespeare's monument in Westminster Abbey.

A memorial statue of Shakespeare is set up in Poet's Corner.

ANSWER THE QUESTIONS:

1) When and where was William Shakespeare born?

(He was born on April 1564 at Stratford-on-Avon in England.)

2) What was the name of his theatre?

(The name of his theatre is "The Globe")

3) How many plays did he write?

(He wrote 37 plays.)

4) What plays of William Shakespeare do you know?

(They are "Anthony and Cleopatra", "Hamlet", "King Lear", "Othello", "Macbeeth", "Romeo and Juliet")

5) Where and when was he buried?

(He was buried in the church of Stratford in 1616)



Congratulations!!!