

# Pauline Sara-Jo Moyes

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# Jojo Moyes (born 4 August 1969)

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- ◉ Jojo is an English journalist
- ◉ Since 2002, a romance novelist and screenwriter.

# The success of her 4th books

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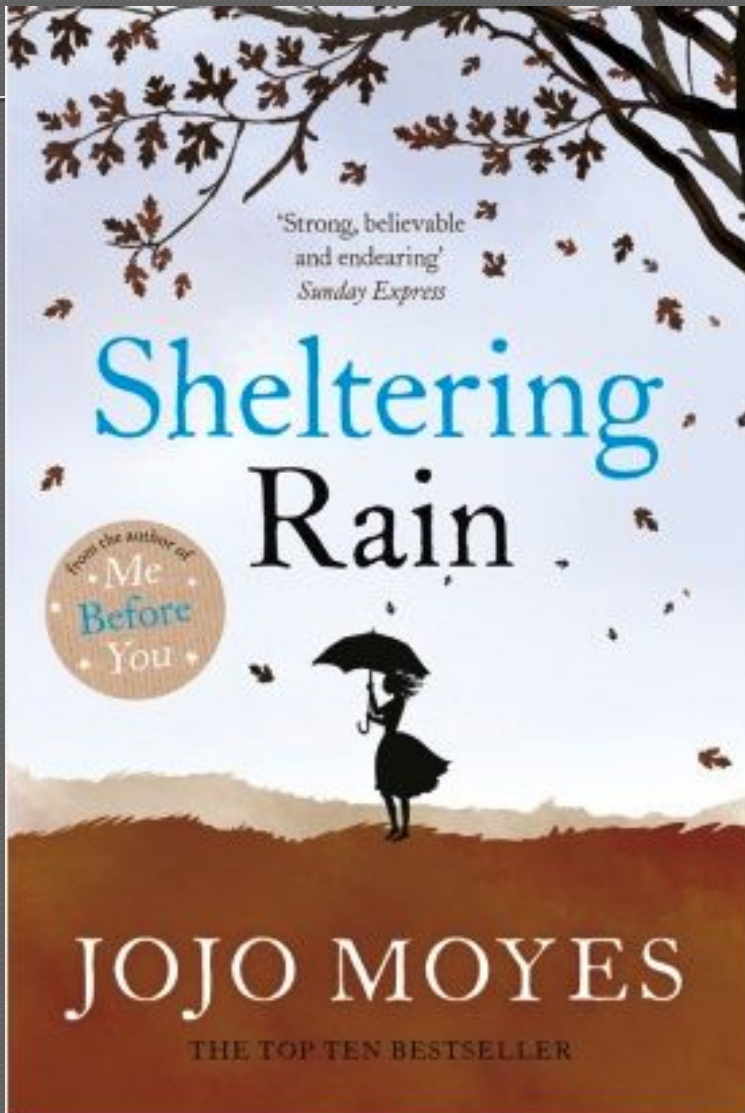
- Three manuscripts – were rejected
- After submitting the first three chapters of her fourth book to various publishers, six of them began a bidding war for the rights.

# Private lives



- Now 44, she has three children
- Also her family has three horses, three cats and a border terrier
- Jojo Moyes adopted a 58kg dog called Nanook in 2016

# Sheltering Rain

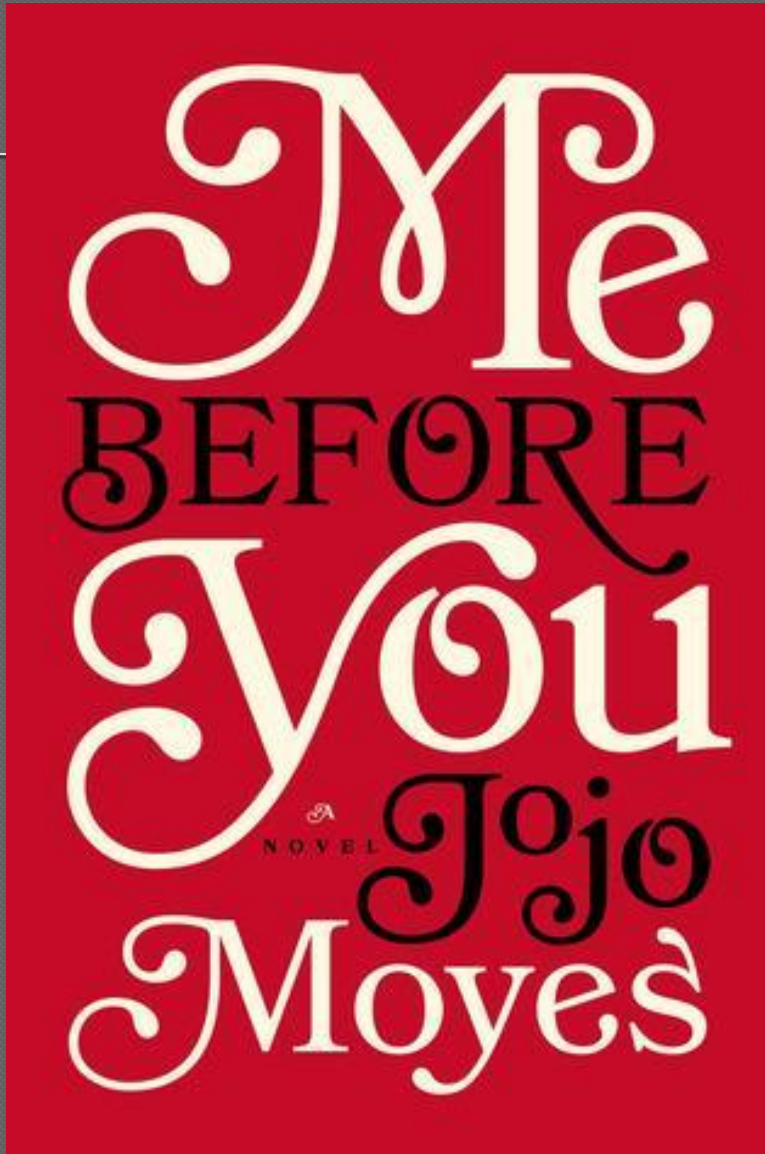


- Jojo has been a full time novelist since 2002, when her first book, “Sheltering Rain” was published.
- Since then she has written eleven novels, all of which have been widely critically acclaimed.

# Awards and achievements



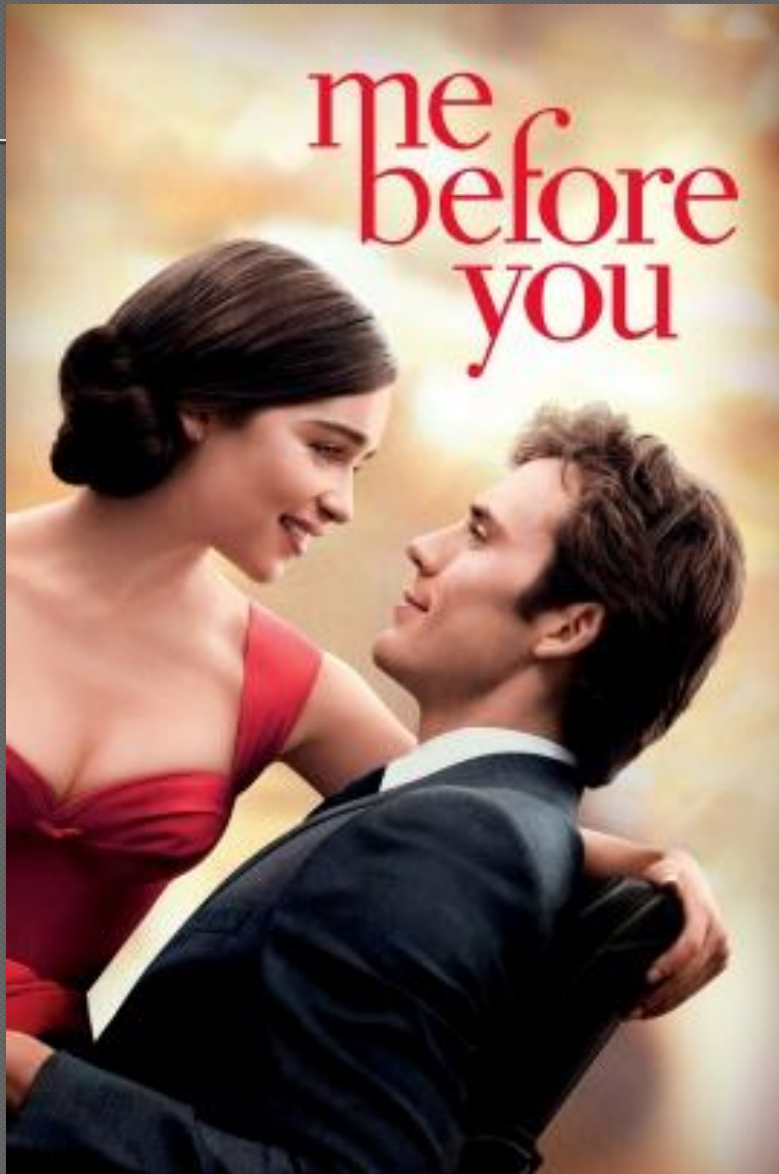
- Moyes first won the Romantic Novelists' Association's Romantic Novel of the Year Award in 2004 for "*Foreign Fruit*" and again in 2011 for "*The Last Letter From Your Lover*"
- She is one of few authors to have received this award twice.
- "*Me Before You*" hit the New York Times bestseller Top Ten chart in 2016 and spent 19 weeks on the chart.
- "*Me Before You*" was nominated for Book of the Year at the UK Galaxy Book Awards



# Me Before You

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- Moyes' publisher did not take up the novel Me Before You and Moyes sold it to Penguin.
- It sold six million copies, went to number one in nine countries
- Now – 8 million copies worldwide



# Me Before You

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- The film adaptation was released and the screenplay was written by Moyes
- The film has grossed over \$200 million worldwide.



- Louisa Clark, who unfortunately lost her job and is seeking a new one.

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- Will Traynor, who devastatingly became paralysed after a motorcycle accident. He no longer feels the joy of living.
- The book covers how their relationship develops.



Emilia Clarke as Louisa "Lou" Clark  
Sam Claflin as William "Will"

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# Emilia Clarke and Sam Claflin

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The *New York Times*  
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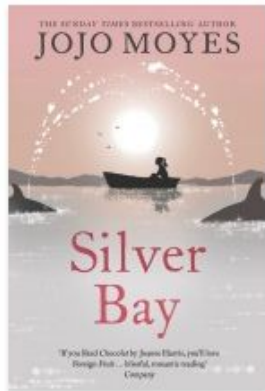


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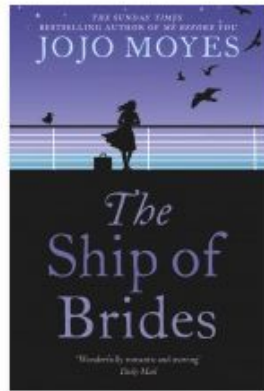
# Sequels

- Moyes would later write two sequels starring Louisa Clark, the protagonist of *Me Before You*:
- *After You* in 2015 and
- *Still Me* in 2018

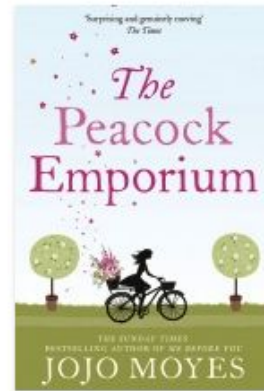
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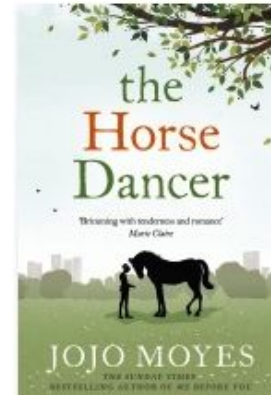
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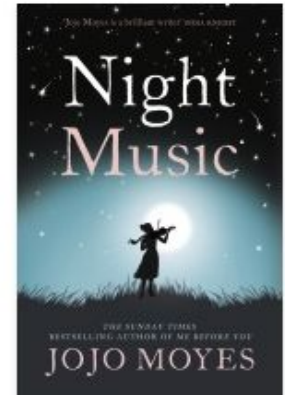
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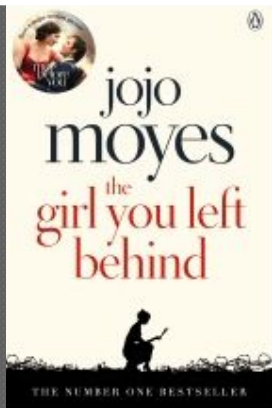
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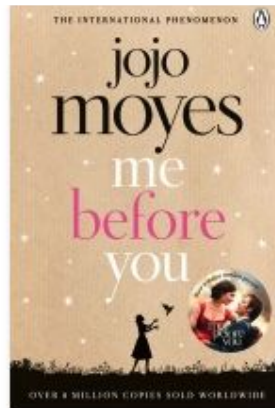
The Horse Dancer



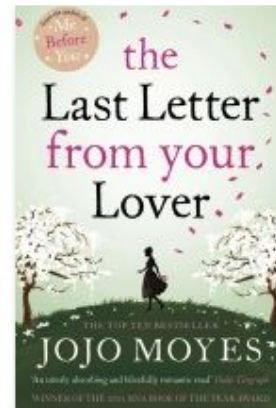
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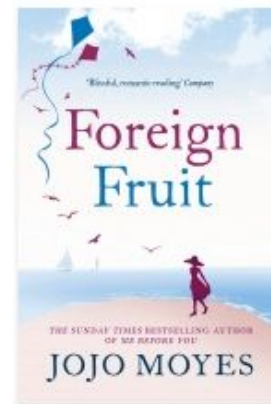
The Girl You Left Behind



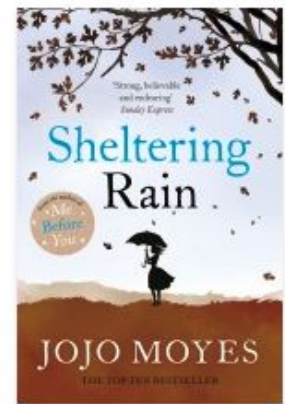
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