

**"WE ARE ALL IN THE  
GUTTER, BUT SOME  
OF US ARE LOOKING  
AT THE STARS."**

**—OSCAR WILDE**

## REQUIESCAT

TREAD lightly, she is near  
Under the snow,  
Speak gently, she can hear  
The daisies grow.

All her bright golden hair  
Tarnished with rust,  
She that was young and fair  
Fallen to dust.

Lily-like, white as snow,  
She hardly knew  
She was a woman, so  
Sweetly she grew.

Coffin-board, heavy stone,  
Lie on her breast,  
I vex my heart alone,  
She is at rest.

Peace, Peace, she cannot hear  
Lyre or sonnet,  
All my life's buried here,  
Heap earth upon it.

AVIGNON

## REQUIESCAT\*

Ступай легко: ведь обитает  
Она под снегом там.  
Шепчи нежней: она внимает  
Лесным цветам.

Заржавела коса золотая,  
Потускла, ах!  
Она - прекрасная, молодая -  
Теперь лишь прах.

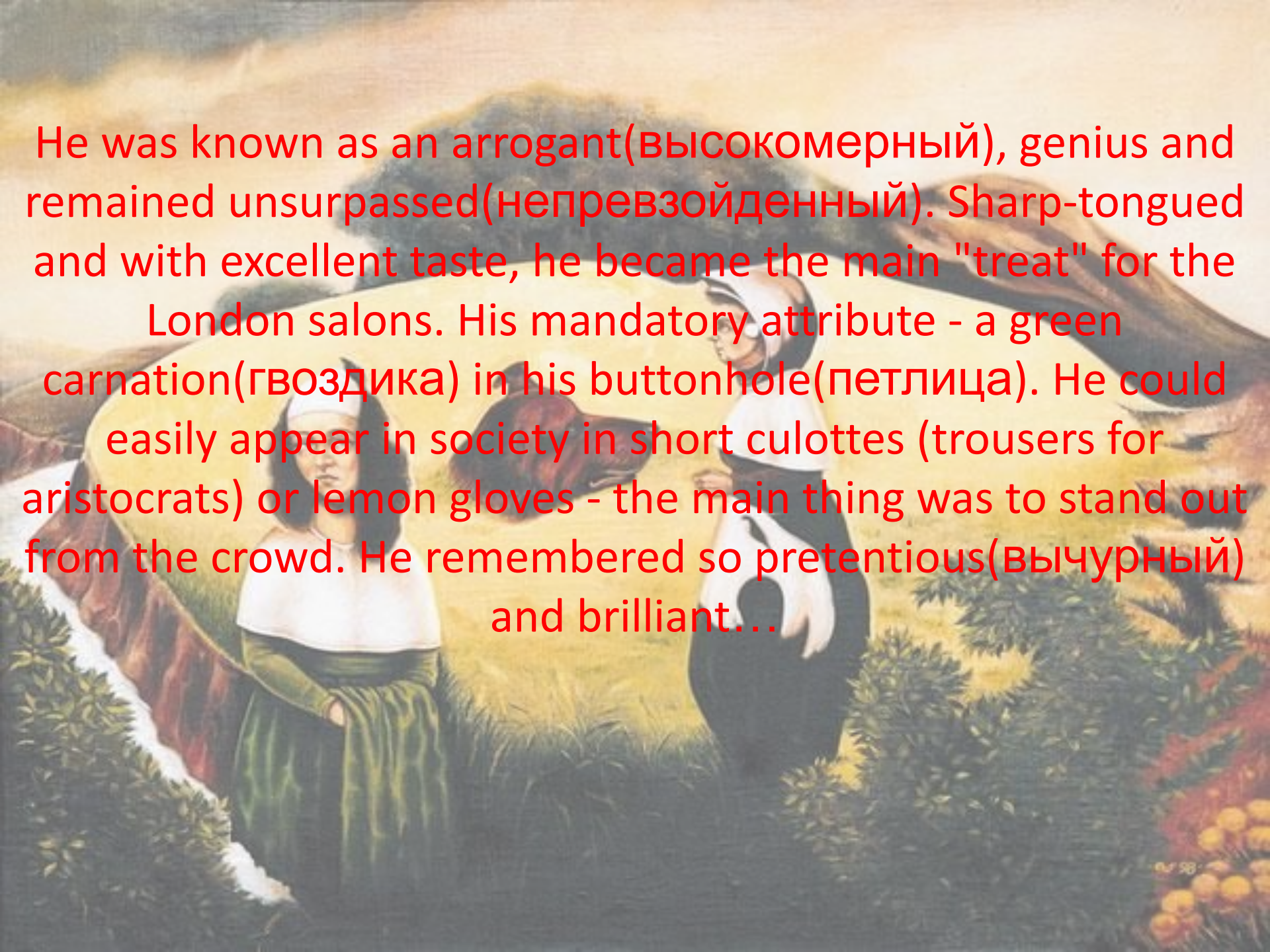
Белее лилии блистала,  
Росла, любя,  
И женщиной едва сознала  
Сама себя.

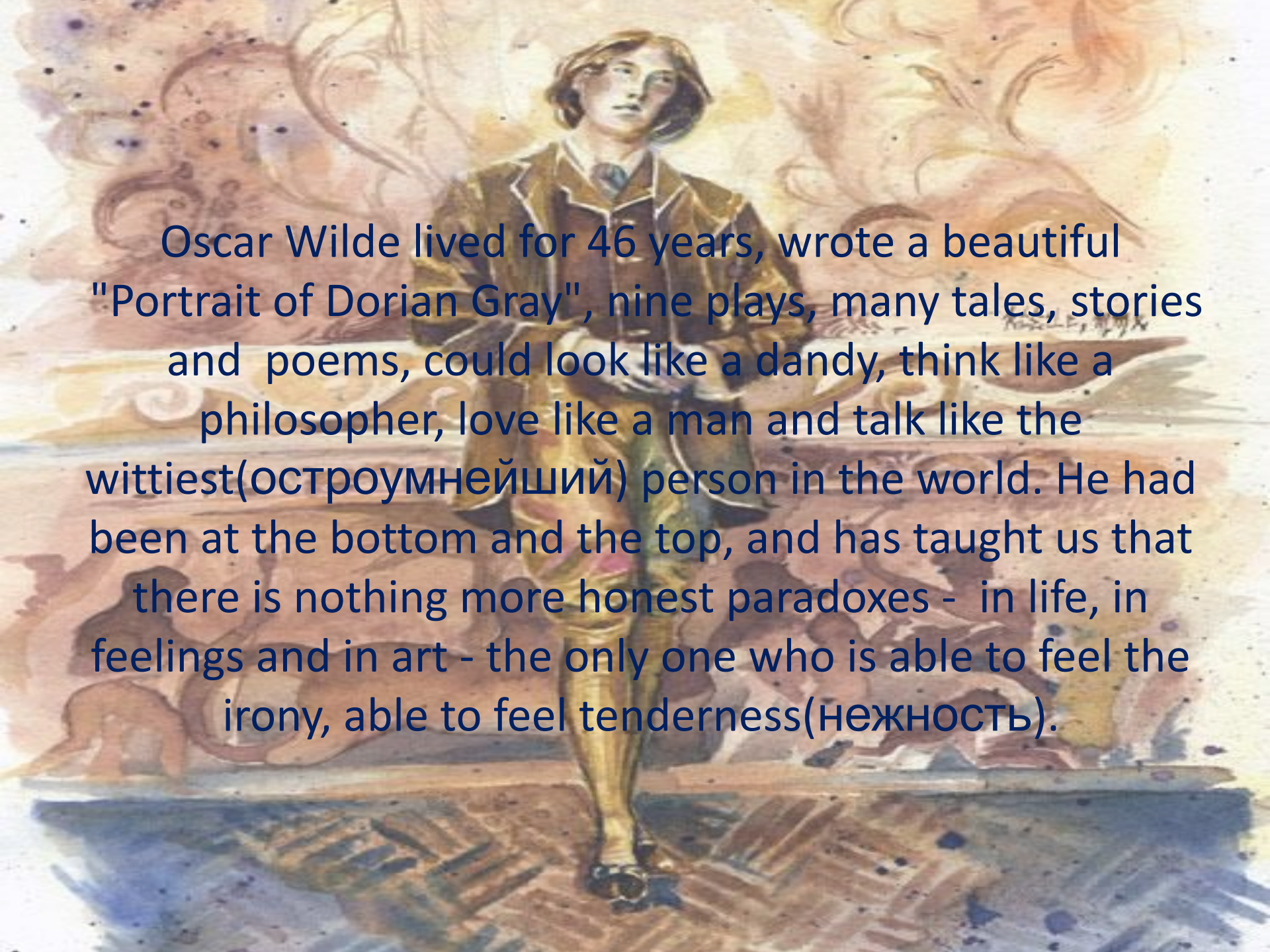
Доска тяжелая и камень  
Легли на грудь.  
Мне мучит сердце жгучий пламень.  
Ей - отдохнуть.

Мир, мир! Не долетит до слуха  
Живой сонет.  
Зарытому с ней в землю глухо  
Мне жизни нет.

\* Да покоится <с миром> (лат.).

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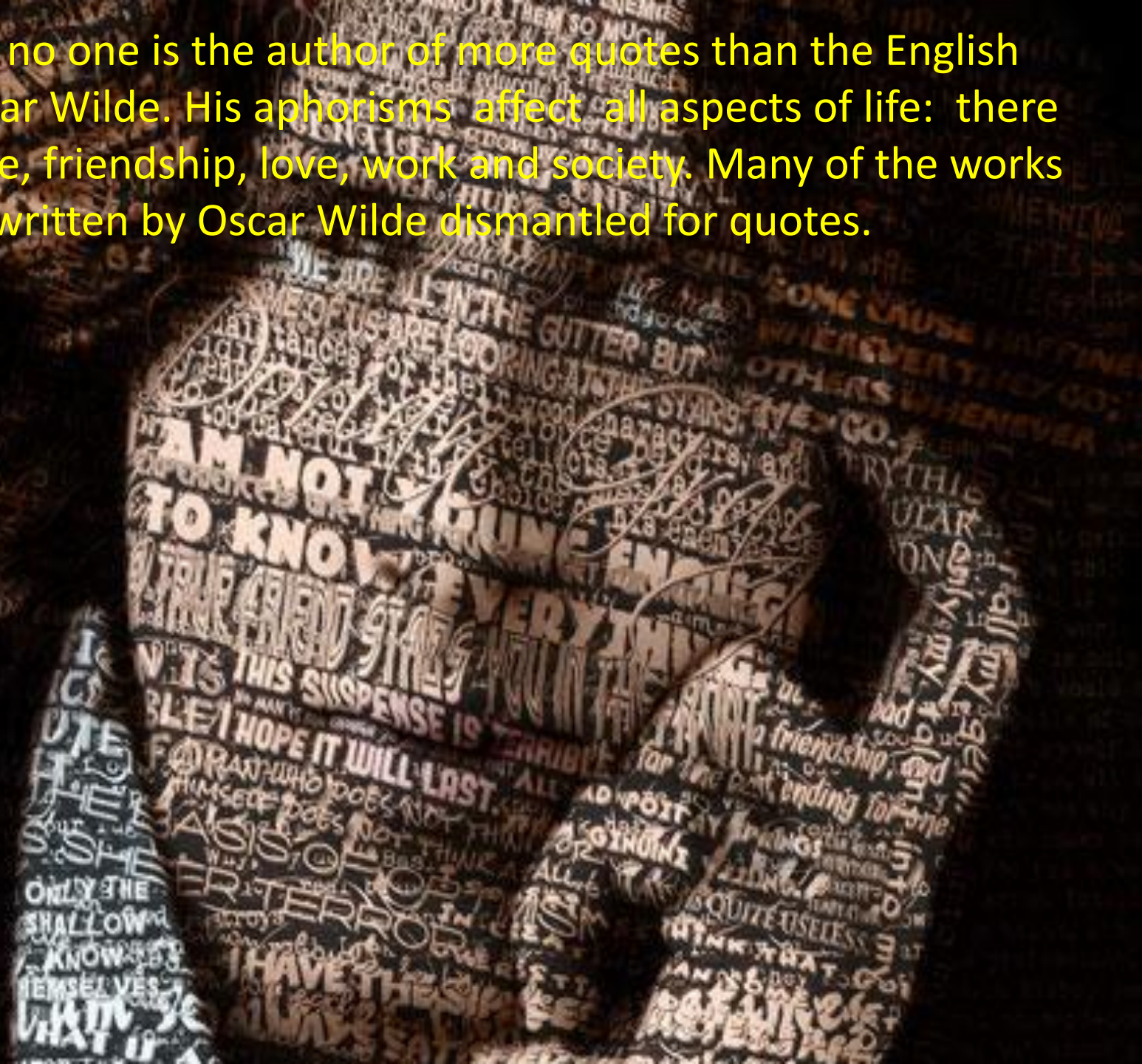
Oscar Wilde lived for 46 years, wrote a beautiful "Portrait of Dorian Gray", nine plays, many tales, stories and poems, could look like a dandy, think like a philosopher, love like a man and talk like the wittiest(остроумнейший) person in the world. He had been at the bottom and the top, and has taught us that there is nothing more honest paradoxes - in life, in feelings and in art - the only one who is able to feel the irony, able to feel tenderness(нежность).

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**“NEVER LOVE  
ANYONE WHO  
TREATS YOU  
LIKE YOU'RE  
ORDINARY.”**

– OSCAR WILDE

Perhaps no one is the author of more quotes than the English writer Oscar Wilde. His aphorisms affect all aspects of life: there is about life, friendship, love, work and society. Many of the works written by Oscar Wilde dismantled for quotes.





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WONDERFUL INSTINCT  
ABOUT THINGS. THEY  
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EVERYTHING EXCEPT  
THE OBVIOUS.**

OSCAR WILDE

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**”RELIGION  
IS LIKE A  
BLIND MAN  
LOOKING IN A  
BLACK ROOM  
FOR A BLACK  
CAT THAT  
ISN’T THERE,  
AND FINDING  
IT.”**

~ OSCAR WILDE

Oscar Wilde  
Most people are other people.  
Their thoughts are someone  
else's opinions, their lives a  
mimicry, their passions a  
quotation.

*Be yourself.*  
EVERYONE ELSE  
IS ALREADY TAKEN.

OSCAR WILDE

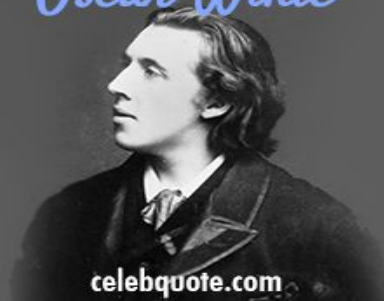
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WRONG.**

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THERE IS PASSION, ENMITY  
WORSHIP, LOVE, BUT NO FRIENDSHIP**

*Oscar Wilde*



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**A MAN CAN BE HAPPY  
WITH ANY WOMAN,  
AS LONG AS HE DOES  
NOT LOVE HER.**

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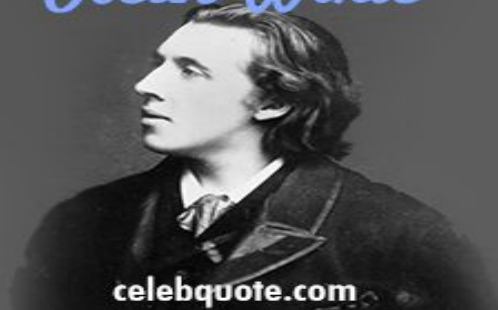
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"I am so clever that  
sometimes I don't  
understand a single  
word of what I am  
saying."

Oscar Wilde



"Man is least himself when he talks in  
his own person. Give him a mask, and he  
will tell you the truth."

—Oscar Wilde



I love to talk about nothing. It's the only thing I know anything **about.**

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**I love talking  
about nothing.**

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THE PICTURE OF  
**DORIAN GRAY**

OSCAR WILDE  
CHAPTER 1

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“You don't love someone for their looks, or their clothes, or for their fancy car, but because they sing a song only you can hear.”

- OSCAR WILDE



