

THE PICTURE OF DORIAN GRAY

The Picture of Dorian Gray is a novel written by Oscar Wilde and published in 1891. It's set in London, and talks about the story of an young, beautiful and innocent aristocratic.

Looking at the picture, Dorian makes a wish, and the story develops dramatically around this particular wish. The novel has unexpected situations like when Dorian realizes what he has done. What stands out most is Dorian's obsession with beauty and how he wants to spend his life, indulging in pleasure and vices.

A positive aspect is that this novel is still current, because the feelings are quite the same even in young people today. If you want to read a supernatural novel which seems realistic, and you are likes thriller stories then the picture of Dorian Gray suits you.

INTERVIEW with SIBYL and BASIL

Sibyl Vane was a young lady, she was only 17 years old when she felt in love with Dorian Gray, She was an actress and she left the theater for stay with Dorian Gray. But he refused her and for this reason she decided to kill herself.

Basil is a painter and he paint The Picture of Dorian Gray, because Dorian is the perfect subject for his pictures. He became an important painter thanks to picture of Dorian.

Sibyl.

1 Why did you decided to kill yourself?

I kill myself, because I was always feeling used by Dorian Gray. I left the theater, hoping that he starts felling something for me, but this didn't happen. I understood that Dorian would never love me, in spite us the strong feelings that I felt for him

I couldn't never live without him, because he was everything for me. I could never be happy without him and I couldn't live continue my life alone, but he decided to broke up with me. The world felt against me, and I became very sad and depressed, so I decide to kill myself. Now I know that I did a very stupid thing, but in that moment the only thing that was important for me, was that I was in love with him and he refused me.

2 What's your role in the story?

My part In the story wasn't very important, because I was the classic girl who felt in love with a charming and intelligent man. I met Dorian for the first time at a party, and Basil, a friend that we had in common, introduced us. When I looked at him I immediately felt in love with him. At first I was embarrassed because he was an important aristocratic and I was just a normal young lady so after he teach me how to ignore that thing.

3 Did you already love Dorian?

Sure, I still love Dorian. After all, until the beginning I thought he was the right man for me. Also if in the end we didn't engaged because I decide to kill myself. I felt a strong feelings for him and I don't know if I would never forget Dorian.

4 Do you regret killing yourself because of love?

Yes, I regret to kill myself, because suicide for love was a really stupid thing, but in that moment looked like the right thing to do, because I thought that he was the right man for me, instead he left me alone, without doubts or second thoughts.

Basil.

1. What do you think about the paint and the connection with the real Dorian Gray?

Well, when I started to painting the picture, I didn't think that the connection between Dorian and it, was so deep. I think that Dorian was one of these aristocrats for who his worth making a perfect picture. I think that the picture of Dorian Gray is the best paint of my life, I worked very hard to finish it.

2. What kind of relations do you have with Dorian?

First of all, I adore him, but I don't love him. For me, he was only the perfect subject for my paint. But I was jealous for the relation with Lord Henry. Dorian, thanks to the painting, became a very seductive man.

3. What do you think about Lord Henry?

In the past, I always hate him for the relation with Dorian Gray, but now we had a good relation, even if I think that Dorian choose him despite me, but for me there isn't a problem.