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1850

classic of travel and adventure literature in which the author drew upon his experiences in the south seas to tell of a stranded sailor's attempts to escape an idyllic but stultifying world

Typee

1847

typee in full typee a peep at polynesian life first novel by herman melville published in london in 1846 as narrative of a four months residence among the natives of a valley of the marquesas islands initially regarded as a travel narrative the novel is based on melville's monthlong adventure as a guest captive of the typee people natives of the marquesas islands in present day french polynesia following his desertion from the whaler acushnet along with shipmate richard tobias greene in july 1842 melville injured his leg in the escape from the acushnet and greene was allowed to leave the typees to find melville a doctor but he became sidetracked and never returned shortly thereafter melville was rescued by the australian whaler lucy ann typee is an anthropological study of an exotic and savage native culture that both impressed and frightened melville the typees were allegedly cannibals the protagonist of the novel tom also known as tommo spends four months with his companion toby in a polynesian island paradise as prisoners of the typees tom's opportunities for escape are limited by his disease swollen leg and by his personal jailer servant the devoted kory kory he befriends several natives

notably the beautiful fayaway tom is intrigued by their social and religious customs but he is also disgusted by their indolence and cannibalism ultimately he chooses civilization over idyllic island life

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1979

typee a peep at polynesian life was herman melville s first novel originally published in 1846 typee was partially based

on melville s own experiences as a beachcomber in the south pacific marquesas islands a romanticized travelogue of the pacific island paradise nuku hiva typee is the story of tommy a yankee sailor and his four month stay on the island one of melville s most popular works during his lifetime typee gives the reader a captivating look into the cultures and traditions of the natives living in the islands of the south pacific

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herman melville august 1 1819 september 28 1891 was an american novelist short story writer and poet from the american renaissance period most of his writings were published between 1846 and 1857 best known for his sea adventure typee 1846 and his whaling novel moby dick

1851 he was almost forgotten during the last thirty years of his life melville s writing draws on his experience at sea as a common sailor exploration of literature and philosophy and engagement in the contradictions of american society in a period of rapid change the main characteristic of his style is probably pervasive allusion reflecting his written sources melville s way of adapting what he read for his own new purposes scholar stanley t williams wrote was a transforming power comparable to shakespeare s

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from its publication in 1846 typee herman melville s first book was recognized as a classic of travel and adventure literature based on the author s own experiences as well as oral and written sources in the south seas melville s story of two runaway sailors held captive by the typees is a vivid portrait of polynesian life many readers delighted in its racy scenes but religious fundamentalists saw to it that criticism of missionaries was expurgated from the american text five years later the religious press took revenge on moby dick when melville again displayed his persistent skepticism and irreverence and celebrated cultural relativity as he had done in typee as melville s fame declined after the 1850s readers forgot the old religious denunciations and remembered typee as the best of his books throughout his lifetime melville s most famous and popular character was fayaway this text of typee is an approved text of the center for editions of american authors modern language association of america book jacket

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typee a peep at polynesian life is a mid 19th century novel by author herman melville largely based on his own personal experiences as a beach comber in the south pacific marquesas islands although today moby dick is the most popular title by melville typee was considered during his lifetime to be his most popular work typee a peep at polynesian life is highly recommended for those who enjoy the writings of herman melville and for those who are discovering his writings for the first time

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1972

herman melville s first book partly based on his actual experiences as a captive on nuku hiva which melville spelled as nukuheva in the south pacific marquesas islands

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we begin aboard the dolly a whaling ship in desperate need of land after six months of laborious travel the narrator tommo describes his attempt to escape his employment he partners with his buddy toby and they plan to hide in the island wilderness of nukuheva surviving on the fruit of local trees until a better boat comes for them to work on tommo plans this in spite of their knowledge about the island which is populated by violent cannibals called the typees

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pacific marquesas islands in 1842 liberally supplemented with imaginative reconstruction and adaptation of material from other books the title comes from the valley of taipivai once known as taipi typee was melville s most popular work during his lifetime it made him notorious as the man who lived among the cannibals the book presents itself as a piece of travel adventure but from the beginning there were questions whether the story was true the london edition of the book appeared in the publisher john murray s colonial and home library series accounts of foreigners in exotic places and the slightly suspicious murray required reassurance that melville s experiences was first hand not the work of a professional travel writer and that the author had himself experienced the adventures he described american readers however accepted the story at face value typee is in fact neither literal autobiography nor pure fiction says scholar leon howard melville drew his material from his experiences from his imagination and from a variety of travel books when the memory of his experiences were inadequate 2 he departed from what actually happened in several ways sometimes by extending factual incidents sometimes by fabricating them and sometimes by what one scholar calls outright lies the actual one month stay on which typee is based is presented as four months in the narrative there is no lake on the actual island on which melville might have canoed with the lovely fayaway and the ridge which melville describes climbing after escaping the ship he may actually have seen in an engraving he drew extensively on contemporary accounts by pacific explorers to add to what might otherwise have been a straightforward story of escape capture and re escape most american reviewers accepted the story as authentic though it provoked disbelief among some british readers two years after the novel s publication many of the events described

therein were corroborated by melville s fellow castaway
richard tobias toby greene

Typee : a Peep at Polynesian Life, During a Four Months Residence in a Valley of the Marquesas

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