

# ***ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON***

Scottish writer and poet, author of adventure novels and tales, the largest representative of English neo-romanticism.

# *Scottish writer...*

**Born:** November 13,  
1850, Edinburgh,  
Scotland, British  
Empire.

**Died:** December 3,  
1894 (44 years),  
Vailima.

**Married to :** Fanny  
Stevenson  
(1880-1894).

**Parents:** Thomas  
Stevenson.



# *Childhood*

Was the only child in the family. Being small, he suffered a serious illness that affected him until the end of his days. Louise was often in a fever, constantly coughing, he was short of air. He had pulmonary tuberculosis or very bad bronchial problems.



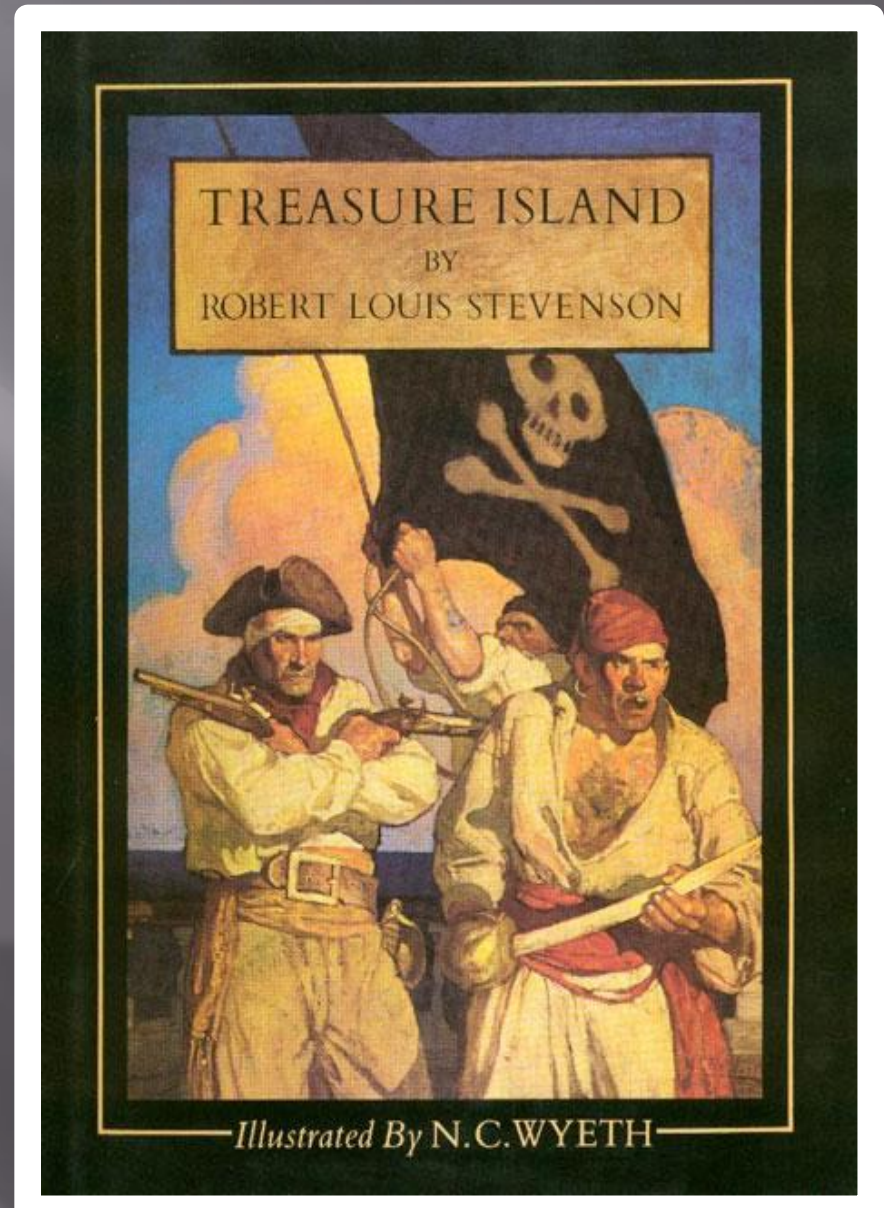
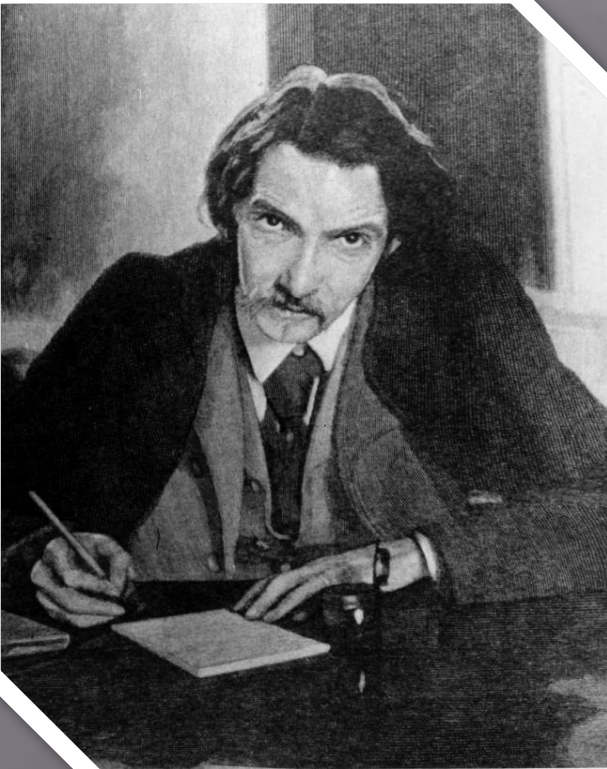
# *Interest in literature*

Engineering and construction of lighthouses are things in which he was interested. Then Lewis makes an application to participate in the competition and presents his poem. He later said he wanted to quit engineering. it was decided that Stevenson would become a lawyer, however, this was only a confirmation that he was actually a writer.



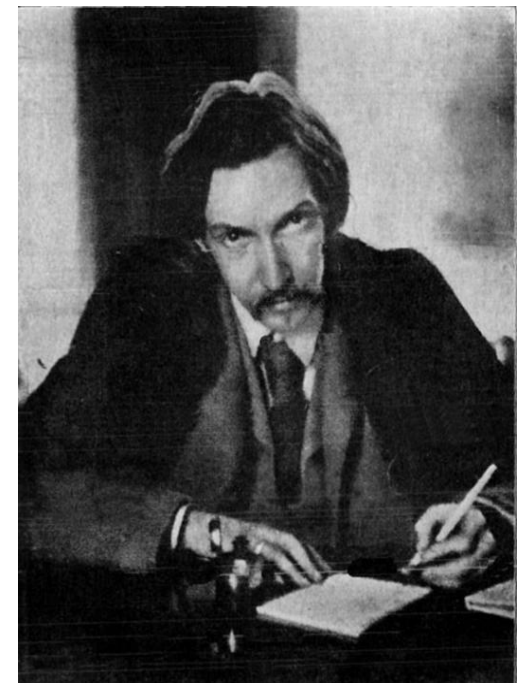
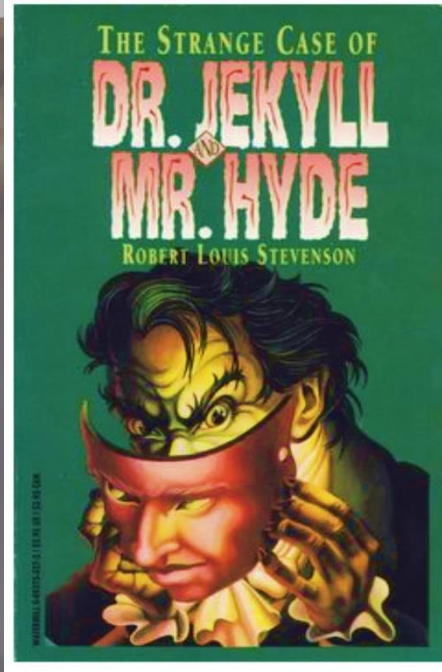
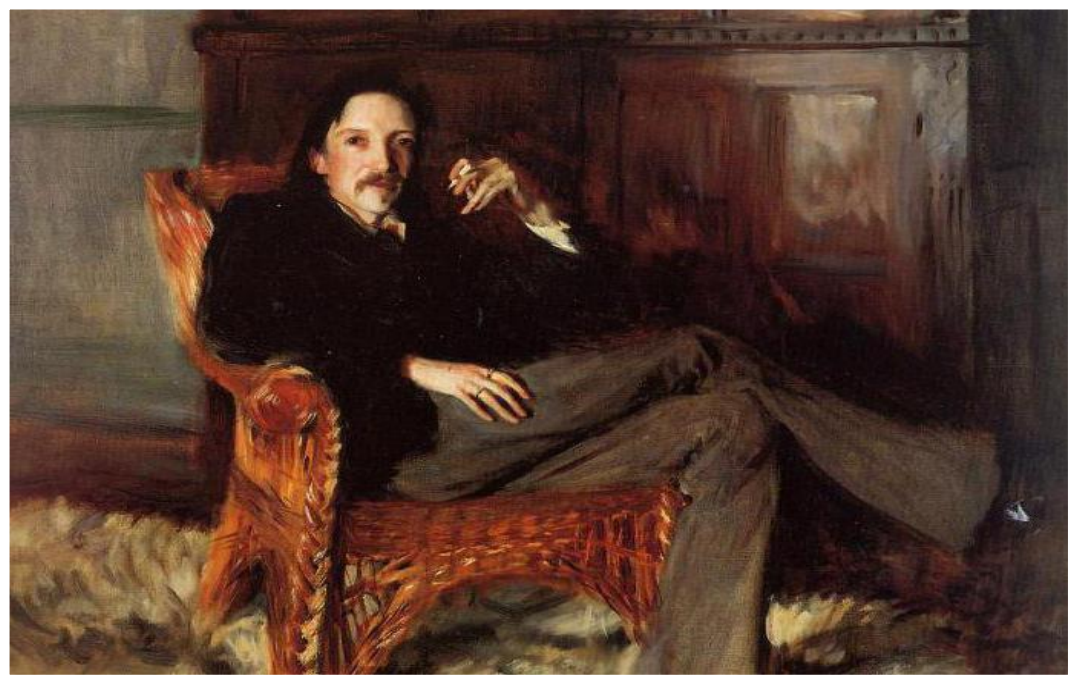
# Biography of the work

One of the most famous writers, who is often considered the author of one book, the novel *Treasure Island*, a romantic and youthful work.



# “The Strange Story of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde”

The impetus for writing the novel was Dostoevsky's novel Crime and Punishment, where the problems of human morality and ethics were presented. The hero of the story - a clever, respectable doctor Jekyll - due to an unsuccessful experiment, splits his personality and brings to light his ugly and evil twin Mr. Hyde. Stephenson raises the problem of the goal of life, the problem of freedom, choice, inner concentration and lightness. Tale caused a general delight.



# The play “The Strange History of Dr. Jekyll” in the Moscow theaters

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