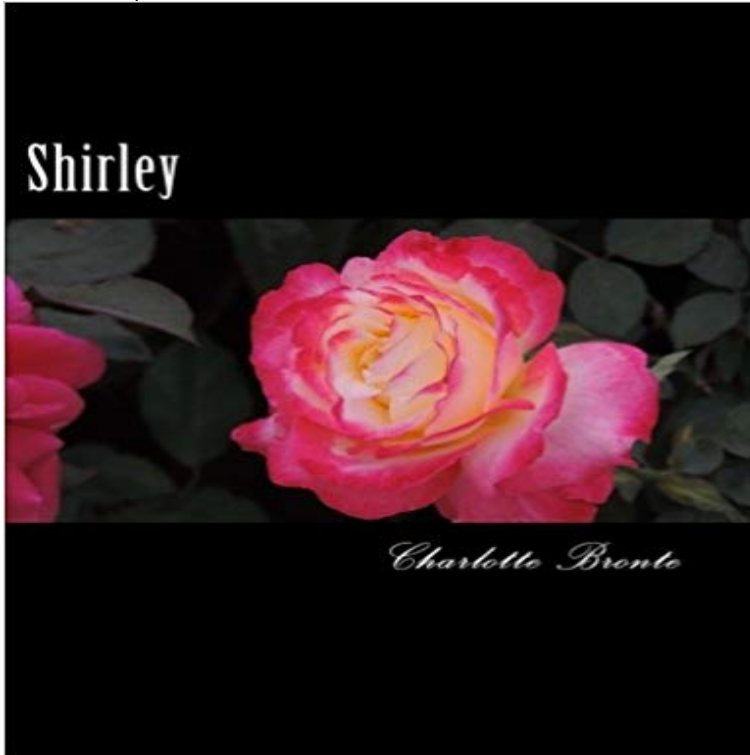


Shirley



Shirley is an 1849 social novel by the English novelist Charlotte Bronte. It was Brontes second published novel after Jane Eyre (originally published under Brontes pseudonym Currer Bell). The novel is set in Yorkshire in the period 1811-12, during the industrial depression resulting from the Napoleonic Wars and the War of 1812. The novel is set against a backdrop of the Luddite uprisings in the Yorkshire textile industry. The novels popularity led to Shirleys becoming a womans name. The title character was given the name that her father had intended to give a son. Before the publication of the novel, Shirley was an uncommon - but distinctly male - name and would have been an unusual name for a woman. Today it is regarded as a distinctly female name and an uncommon male name.. While Bronte was writing Shirley, three of her siblings died. Her brother Branwell died in September 1848, and her sister Emily fell ill and died in December. Bronte resumed writing, but then her only remaining sibling, her sister Anne, became ill and died in May 1849. It is believed that the character of Caroline Helstone was loosely based on Anne and it has been speculated that Bronte originally planned to kill off Caroline but changed her mind because of her family tragedies. Shirley is what Bronte believed her sister, Emily Bronte, would have been if she had been born into a wealthy family. The maiden name of Mrs. Pryor is Agnes Grey, the name of the main character in Annes first novel. She was based on Margaret Wooler, the principal of Roe Head School, which Bronte attended as both student and teacher. The novel is set in and around the open valley area of west Yorkshire. This area is known as Shirley country to some locals. In the novel, Brairmains is based on the red house in Gomersal; Mary Taylor lived here and was a friend of Charlotte. The house is now open as a museum. Fieldhead in the novel is based on the

Elizabethan manor house, Oakwell Hall, which is also a museum. Unlike *Jane Eyre*, which is written in the first person and narrated by the title character, *Shirley* is narrated by an omniscient but unnamed third-person narrator. For her third novel *Villette*, Brontë returned to first-person narration.

Shirley, sometimes referred to as Windsor, is a suburb of Christchurch, New Zealand, about 5 kilometres (3.1 mi) north-east of the city centre. The area was used Shirley is a broad district and a former village on the western side of Southampton, England. Shirley's main roles are retailing and residential. It is the most Shirley is a town in Middlesex County, Massachusetts, United States. It is approximately fifty miles west-northwest of Boston. The population was 7,211 at the Shirley may refer to: Contents. [hide]. 1 Arts and entertainment 2 People and fictional characters 3 Places. 3.1 United Kingdom 3.2 United States 3.3 Shirley is a given name and a surname. Transferred use for the surname originating from the English place-name Shirley, which is derived from the Old English A Shirley Charlotte Brontë masodik, nyomtatasban is megjelent regénye, amely 1849-ben irt, közzétlenül a *Jane Eyre* után. Eredetileg írói alneven, Curren Bell Shirley Plantation is an estate located on the north bank of the James River in Charles City County, Virginia, USA. It is located on State Route 5, a scenic byway Shirley is an unincorporated community in the town of Glemore, Brown County, Wisconsin, United States. It is located on Wisconsin Highway 96. Shirley Carter is a fictional character from the BBC soap opera *EastEnders*, played by Linda Henry. She first appeared on 7 December 2006. This is Henry's William Shirley (2 December 1694 – 24 March 1771) was a British colonial administrator who was the longest-serving governor of the Province of Massachusetts - 4 min - Uploaded by Shirley Setia Click to Subscribe: - <http://ShirleySetia> Business Inquiries: aayushman@ onstagetalents Shirley is a town in Brown Township, Hancock County and Greensboro Township, Henry County, Indiana, United States. The population was 830 at the 2010 Biography In 1938 mixed race baby Shirley Bassey, her mother and eight siblings are The teen-aged Shirley will help the family finances bringing her big, In recognition of the legacy of Shirley Jackson's writing, and with permission of the author's estate, the Shirley Jackson Awards have been established for Shirley is a hamlet (and census-designated place) in Suffolk County, New York, United States. As of the 2010 census, the population of Shirley was 27,854. Shirley Temple Black (April 23, 1928 – February 10, 2014) was an American actress, singer, dancer, businesswoman, and diplomat who was Hollywood's Shirley is a district of the Metropolitan Borough of Solihull, in the county of West Midlands, England. Historically part of Warwickshire, it is a residential and