

## ***Wuthering Heights***

by Emily Brontë (1818 – 1848)

Emily Brontë's only novel, published in 1847 under the pseudonym Ellis Bell, tells the tale of the all-encompassing and passionate -- yet thwarted -- love between Heathcliff and Catherine Earnshaw, and how this unresolved passion eventually destroys them and many around them.

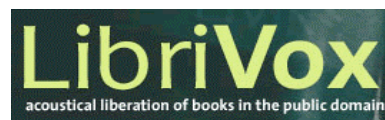
Now considered a classic of English literature, *Wuthering Heights* met with mixed reviews by critics when it first appeared, with many horrified by the stark depictions of mental and physical cruelty. Though Charlotte Brontë's *Jane Eyre* was originally considered the best of the Brontë sisters' works, many subsequent critics of *Wuthering Heights* have argued that its originality and achievement make it superior. (*Wikipedia*)

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