

Lolita

Los adjetivos de escandalosa, inmoral, decadente y ultrajante acompañaron largo tiempo a Lolita, hoy ya considerada una obra maestra de la literatura. La historia de la obsesión de Humbert Humbert, un profesor cuarentón, por la doceañera Lolita es una extraordinaria novela de amor en la que intervienen dos componentes explosivos: la atracción perversa por las niñas y el incesto. Un itinerario a través de la locura y la muerte, que desemboca en una estilizada violencia, narrado, a la vez con autoironía y lirismo desenfadado, por el propio Humbert Humbert. Lolita es también un retrato ácido y visionario de los Estados Unidos, de los horrores suburbanos y de la cultura del plástico y del motel. Una de las novelas más cultas (y también más divertidas) de nuestra época, una exhibición deslumbrante de talento y humor.

Amazon Review

Despite its lascivious reputation, the pleasures of *Lolita* are as much intellectual as erogenous. It is a love story with the power to raise both chuckles and eyebrows. Humbert Humbert is a European intellectual adrift in America, haunted by memories of a lost adolescent love. When he meets his ideal nymphet in the shape of 12-year-old Dolores Haze, he constructs an elaborate plot to seduce her, but first he must get rid of her mother. In spite of his diabolical wit, reality proves to be more slippery than Humbert's feverish fantasies and Lolita refuses to conform to his image of the perfect lover. Playfully perverse in form as well as content, riddled with puns and literary allusions, Nabokov's 1955 novel is a hymn to the Russian-born author's delight in his adopted language. Indeed, readers who want to probe all of its allusive nooks and crannies will need to consult the annotated edition. *Lolita* is undoubtedly, brazenly erotic, but the eroticism springs less from the "frail honey-hued shoulders ... the silky supple bare back" of little Lo than it does from the wantonly gorgeous prose that Humbert uses to recount his forbidden passion: "*She was musical and apple-sweet ... Lola the bobby-soxer, devouring her immemorial fruit, singing through its juice ... and every movement she made, every shuffle and ripple, helped me to conceal and to improve the secret system of tactile correspondence between beast and beauty--between my gagged, bursting beast and the beauty of her dimpled body in its innocent cotton frock.*" Much has been made of *Lolita* as metaphor, perhaps because the love affair at its heart is so troubling. Humbert represents the formal, educated Old World of Europe, while Lolita is America: ripening, beautiful, but not too bright and a little vulgar. Nabokov delights in exploring the intercourse between these cultures and the passages where Humbert describes the suburbs and strip malls and motels of post-war America are filled with both attraction and repulsion: "Those restaurants where the holy spirit of Hunca Dines had descended upon the cute paper napkins and cottage-cheese-crested salads." Yet however tempting the novel's symbolism may be, its chief delight--and power--lies in the character of Humbert Humbert. He, at least as he tells it, is no seedy skulker, no twisted destroyer of innocence. Instead, Nabokov's celebrated mouthpiece is erudite and witty, even at his most depraved. Humbert can't help it--linguistic *jouissance* is as important to him as the satisfaction of his arrested libido. --*Simon Leake*

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From the Inside Flap

With an Introduction by Martin Amis

When it was published in 1955, *Lolita* immediately became a cause celebre because of the freedom and sophistication with which it handled the unusual erotic predilections of its protagonist. But Vladimir Nabokov's wise, ironic, elegant masterpiece owes its stature as one of the twentieth century's novels of record not to the controversy its material aroused but to its author's use of that material to tell a love story almost shocking in its beauty and tenderness.

Awe and exhilaration--along with heartbreak and mordant wit--abound in this account of the aging Humbert Humbert's obsessive, devouring, and doomed passion for the nymphet Dolores Haze. *Lolita* is also the story of a hypercivilized European colliding with the cheerful barbarism of postwar America, but most of all, it is a meditation on love--love as outrage and hallucination, madness and transformation.

Lolita por Vladimir Nabokov fue vendido por £14.53 cada copia.. Regístrese ahora para tener acceso a miles de libros disponibles para su descarga gratuita. El registro fue libre.



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L O L I T A

This is a review of the first three episodes of MGM Televisions new drama, The Handmaid's Tale.!!MILD SPOILER ALERT!! Big things can come from small beginnings.

Lolita (1962)

Directed by Stanley Kubrick. With James Mason, Shelley Winters, Sue Lyon, Gary Cockrell. A middle-aged college professor becomes infatuated with a fourteen-year-old ...

Lolita fashion

Lolita (lolita fashion) is a fashion subculture originating in Japan during the 1990s that is based on Victorian and Edwardian ...

Lolita (1997)

Directed by Adrian Lyne. With Jeremy Irons, Dominique Swain, Melanie Griffith, Frank Langella. A man marries his landlady so he can take advantage of her daughter.

SparkNotes: Lolita

11 romantic movies you should see instead of watching The Notebook for the millionth time

Pantyhose

Long time no post! Yesterday I received my new BJD tights from Lockshop. I love them so so much! :D They look fantastic. I had some mixed reactions from friends, some ...

Everlasting Liquid Lipstick

Shop Kat Von D's Everlasting Liquid Lipstick at Sephora. This high-pigment liquid lipstick imparts a smooth, matte finish that lasts.

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Lolita (subcultuur)

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