



THE PICTURE OF DORIAN GRAY

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## The Picture of Dorian Gray by Oscar Wilde (1854-1900)

The novel tells of a young man named Dorian Gray, the subject of a painting by artist Basil Hallward. Basil is impressed by Dorian's beauty and becomes infatuated with him, believing his beauty is responsible for a new mode in his art. Dorian meets Lord Henry Wotton, a friend of Basil's, and becomes enthralled by Lord Henry's world-view. Espousing a new hedonism, Lord Henry suggests the only things worth pursuing in life are beauty and fulfillment of the senses. Realizing that one day his beauty will fade, Dorian expresses his desire to sell his soul to ensure the portrait Basil has painted would age rather than himself. Dorian's wish is fulfilled, plunging him into debauched acts. The portrait serves as a reminder of the effect each act has upon his soul, with each sin displayed as a disfigurement of his visage. *(Wikipedia)*

### Cast:

NARRATOR – Martin Geeson  
 Lord Henry Wotton – David Goldfarb  
 Dorian Gray – Algy Pug  
 Basil Hallward – Anthony  
 Sibyl Vane – Miss Avarice  
 James Vane – David Lawrence  
 Duchess of Monmouth – Aville  
 Victor – Martin Geeson  
 Francis – Simon Pride  
 Cab Driver – Simon Pride  
 Parker – Elizabeth Klett  
 Lord Fermor – Anthony  
 Lady Agatha – Sarah  
 Duchess of Harley – Hannah Harris  
 Sir Thomas Burdon – Terence Taylor

Mr. Erskine – Frank Booker  
 Mrs. Vandeleur – Mary-Beth Blackburn  
 Lady Henry – Susanna  
 Mrs. Vane – Arielle Lipshaw  
 Mrs. Leaf – Rebeka Harris  
 Mr. Hubbard – Frank Booker  
 Alan Campbell – Ernst Pattynama  
 Lady Narborough – Elizabeth Klett  
 Lady Ruxton – Mary-Beth Blackburn  
 Adrian Singleton – Joseph Lawler  
 Woman – Lucy Perry  
 Sir Geoffrey Clouston – Mark F. Smith  
 Gamekeeper – Martin Geeson  
 Gardener- Joseph Lawler  
 Young Man – Elizabeth Klett  
 Old Gentleman – Mark F. Smith  
 Constable – Joseph Lawler

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