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**"Twelfth night" William
Shakespeare**

Hypothesis

Is there a theme of love in the play «Twelfth night» by William Shakespeare?



Plan

- 1) The main characters of the play
- 2) About the play "Twelfth Night"
- 3) The events in the play

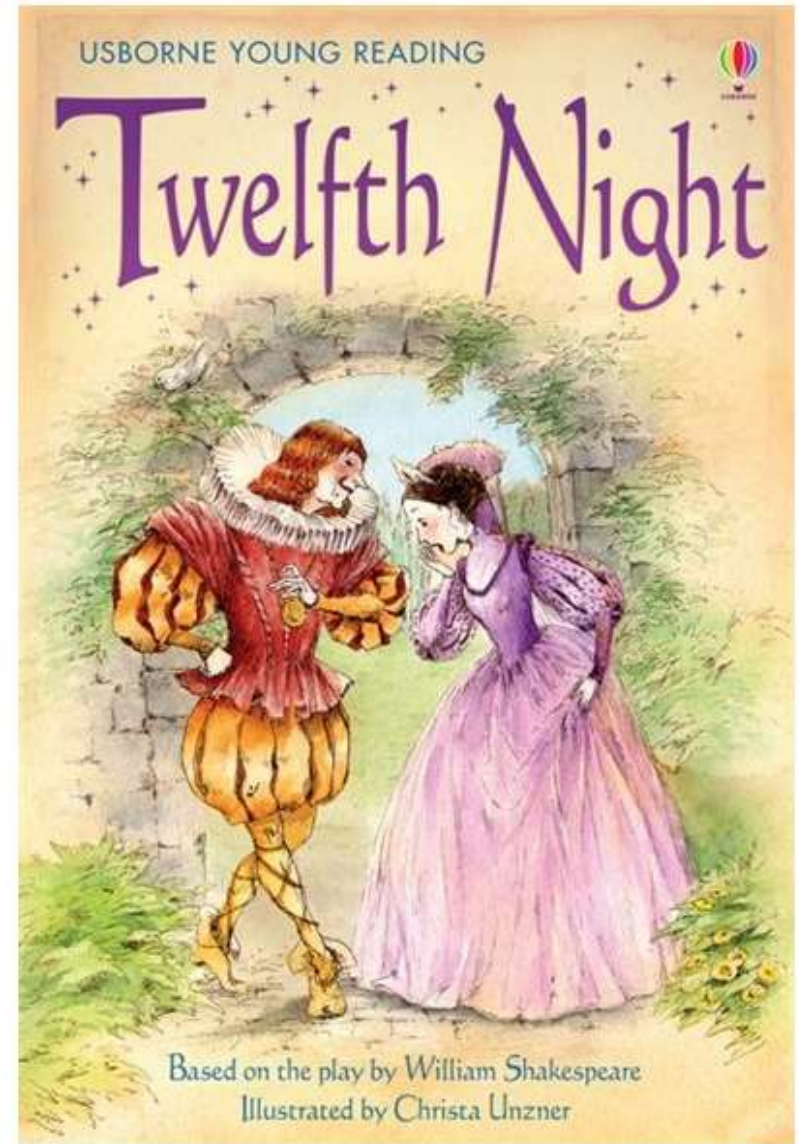


The main characters of the play

1. Viola, the twin sister of Sebastian. Also, Cesario.
2. Orsino, Duke of Illyria
3. Olivia, the Countess
4. Sebastian, brother of Viola, a young nobleman
5. Sir Toby Belch, a blood relative of Olivia, her uncle
6. Sir Andrew Aguecheek, companion of Sir Toby, suitor to Olivia
7. Fest, clown
8. Antonio, captain, friend to Sebastian and Viola
9. The priest

About the play "twelfth night"

Twelfth night — a play, a Comedy by William Shakespeare in five acts, about the complexities of love, cruel love, the hope, is named in honor of the feast of twelfth night in Christmas season.



The events in the play

Near the coast of Illyria the ship was wrecked, on which were Viola and her brother Sebastian. Viola was wearing in men's clothes under the name of Cesario. They went to the Duke Orsino, the court of this country. Viola fell in love with the Duke, but Lord of Illyria already fell in love with the Countess Olivia. The Duke sent his Ambassador Cesario, but Olivia fell in love with a young page passionately. Only the Sebastian's sudden appearance, led to a happy end of the play. Olivia married Sebastian and Orsino married Viola.



My hypothesis was correct. In the play "twelfth night" William Shakespeare has the theme of love.



Resources

- 1) http://lib.ru/SHAKESPEARE/12th_1.txt
- 2) [https://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/Двенадцатая_ночь_\(пьеса\)](https://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/Двенадцатая_ночь_(пьеса))
- 3) <http://fb.ru/article/268366/dvenadtsataya-noch-kratkoe-soderjanie-dvenadtsataya-noch-shekspir-janr-glavnyie-geroi>

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