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And his case here is less that all desires are justified, then, perhaps, that the limp platitudes with which the poor are equipped to deal with their lot by religion and conventional moral learning are absolutely inadequate protection against the monstrous desires and abuses of society and its ruling classes. Justine was falsely accused of theft by Harpin and sent to jail expecting execution. The same scene gets repeated so many times that the reader me at least gets frustrated with all that obviousness.

## Justine, or The Misfortunes of Virtue by Marquis de Sade

Sade's use of pornographic devices to create provocative works that subvert the prevailing moral values of his time inspired many other artists in a variety of media. And the language of the eighteenth century is so beautiful! The story is concerned with the titular character, a twelve year old maiden who sets off, to make her way in France, and follows her through age twenty-six in her quest for virtue.

## Justine (Sade novel)

In the search for work and shelter Justine continuously falls prey to a series of scoundrels who subject her to sexual torture and abuse.

## Justine, Or, the Misfortunes of Virtue (Paperback)

Yes, his work is pretty vile-even by today's standards-and yet he also had a lot to say about politics, morals, and religion.

## The misfortunes of virtue

Also, all the men in the book gi Oh my God, this is one of the worst books I've read in my life.

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