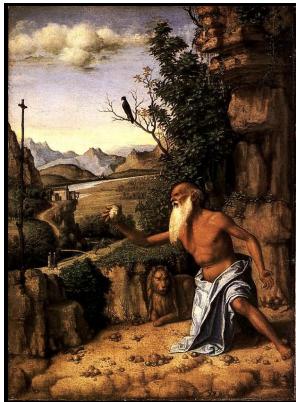


# William Beckford - composing for Mozart

**John Murray - William Beckford: Composing for Mozart by Timothy Mowl**



Description: -

Cyborgs -- Juvenile literature.  
 Islamic Empire -- History -- Early works to 1800.  
 Islamic Empire -- Biography -- Early works to 1800.  
 Romanticism-- England.  
 Authors, English -- 18th century -- Biography.  
 Beckford, William, -- 1760-1844 -- Biography.William Beckford - composing for Mozart  
 -William Beckford - composing for Mozart  
 Notes: Includes bibliographical references and index.  
 This edition was published in 1998



Filesize: 17.79 MB

Tags: #William #Beckford: #Composing #for #Mozart #by #Tim #Mowl

**William Beckford:Composing For Mozart: Composing Mozart by Mowl, Timothy**

He had an obscene amount of money which he blew on self indulgence, idle refusal to pay any attention to his 'business' and massive extravagant building works.

**9780719558290: William Beckford: Composing for Mozart**

Rushed into marriage by an apprehensive mother, he indulged his actual passions both legal and paedophile until a Tory administration staged a sex scandal that exiled him.

**William Beckford : composing for Mozart in SearchWorks catalog**

The dust jacket for hard covers may not be included.

**Timothy Mowl's William Beckford biography casts the famed collector as sexual and architectural**

William Beckford had two lives: one real and sensational, the other an elegant forgery he invented in retirement after the young Disraeli mischievously sent him a homoerotic epic based loosely on Beckford's own career. Beckford spent his declining years in adventures abroad, and built a Gothic masterpiece, Fontwell Abbey, where he bathed in the rain with a sylph-like Albanian footman. The quality of the scholarship is not in question, but it is frequently larded with exaggeration.

**William Beckford: Composing for Mozart by Timothy Mowl**

He was also a chronic liar and rewriter of history, a piece of shit friend who repeatedly did things like ignore dying friends on their deathbeds, a massive hypocrite who wept about animal rights and the liberty of the individual while being a plantation owner, and--it really does feel like he was going for some sort of award here--a paedo.

**William Beckford: Composing for Mozart by Timothy Mowl**

He dabbled in landscape gardening and employed a legion of builders, jewellers and man-servants to realise his whims both large and small.

**William Beckford: Composing for Mozart by Timothy Mowl**

Reared in exotic isolation, Beckford grew up obsessed with dark grottoes, towers and awful images of the living dead.

---

## Related Books

- [Mind and common sense - philosophical essays on commonsense psychology](#)
- [Action for Mental Health](#)
- [Italia pontificia - sive, Repertorium privilegiorum et litterarum a romanis pontificibus ante annum](#)
- [Invidia - tematiche di psicologia individuale e sociale](#)
- [Handbook of forensic mental health](#)