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Neither she nor Amelia qualifies as a heroine. He seemed more devoted to the fashionable but expensive habits of drinking and gambling that he had acquired at Cambridge, however.

## William Makepeace Thackeray

The unhappy ending was intended to inspire readers to look inward at their own shortcomings.

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New York: Oxford University Press, 1941. Finding that he could get no work done at home, he spent more and more time away until September 1840, when he realised how grave his wife's condition was.

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Later, Major and Lieutenant Colonel Dobbin discreetly does what he can to help support Amelia and her son George. The point of view he adopts, that of the first-person narrator, adds to the illusion. Ethel, like Becky Sharp and Beatrix Esmond, is a complex heroine, one who, through much trial and error, weans herself from the respectable avarice she was reared to accept.

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Dobbin professes his unchanged love to Amelia. This is in contrast to the redemptive power the conflict has on the characters in War and Peace. She advances Rawdon's interests tirelessly, flirting with men such as General Tufto and the Marquis of Steyne to get him promoted.

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Caricature of Thackeray by Thackeray Thackeray then travelled for some time on the continent, visiting Paris and , where he met.

## **Analysis of William Makepeace Thackeray's Novels**

His death at the age of fifty-two was entirely unexpected, and shocked his family, his friends and the reading public. What results is a prescient look at the dogged pursuit of wealth and status---and the need for humility by William Makepeace Thackeray Book 789 editions published between 1800 and 2021 in 19 languages and held by 8,095 WorldCat member libraries worldwide Scorned for her lack of money and breeding, Becky must use all her wit, charm and considerable sex appeal to escape her drab destiny as a governess. This financial disaster forced Thackeray out of idleness and into serious work as a journalist.

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