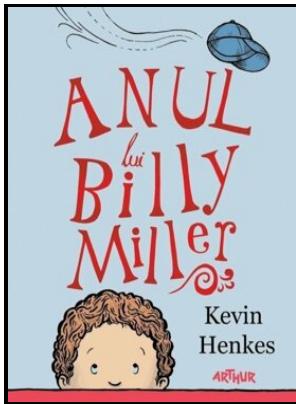


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Cared for by a series of irresponsible and often cruel nannies, she grew up in a crumbling Georgian mansion on a 5,000-acre estate outside Belfast.

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While living through the emotional chaos of his painful disengagement from Elizabeth Hardwick and of Blackwood's acute nervous depression, Lowell wrote the sonnets in The Dolphin.

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Her first husband was the painter Lucian Freud, her second the composer Israel Citkowitz, and her third the poet Robert Lowell.

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This woman was a piece of work. It is always interesting to read lives of people who come from money.

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The leaden definitions of Blackwood's beauty and intellect leave the reader alternating between disbelief and boredom - no mean feat as the overall facts of her life should read like a bohemian epic. This was a car-crash book. I found myself identifying with Caroline Blackwood and desperately wanting to read everything she'd ever written and since reading it I have.

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If she was, the photos in the book do not do that statement any justice. Found this biography and Blackwood's work online-- all out of print and

nothing in the local library.

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Caroline's marriage to Lucian Freud caused a great stir in English society; Evelyn Waugh wrote to Nancy Mitford, 'You know that poor Maureen's daughter made a runaway match with a terrible Yid? Often the one who broke Sifting through the shelves of the labyrinthine Massolit antiquarian bookstore in Kraków, I found this book waiting for me, which would introduce me to the tormented but creative life of Lady Caroline Blackwood 1931—1996. Lady Caroline Blackwood was well-known as a member of the British aristocracy and the Guinness family. Her literary talents were dark and satiric; her ten books of fiction and nonfiction betrayed an extraordinary eye for human physiognomy, attire, and behavior.

Dangerous Muse: The Life of Lady Caroline Blackwood.

Once regarded as the obvious successor to Aaron Copland, Israel Citkowitz had stopped composing long before he met Caroline. She reminds me a little of Patricia Highsmith who I also adore in both her life and her writing. My friend let me borrow the book months ago.

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