

LITERATURE

Premium Edit

Through an analysis of Robert Louis Stevenson's life and social experience, this paper explores the femalenessfemininity in Robert Louis Stevenson's *The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde* by carrying out an in-depth analysis of the author's life and social experience. The paper identifies crucial moments-episodes characterized by of femininity-quality in this male-centric story are identified throughby examining the roles played by female charactrescharacters, for example, of (1) the humble counterpart to the males species in the Victorian society, (2) the source of feminine sexual energy in the gender context, and (3) the object of the eOedipus complex in a familial context. This paper shows that Stevenson incorporated femininity in the male characters and allowed for interchangeability between the two genders. Some can envision theThe novel can be construed as a story offering readers an excellent panoramic view of Stevenson's Victorian female world, his concerns about-around gender issues, and his standpoints-views onof human nature are all very well presented.

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