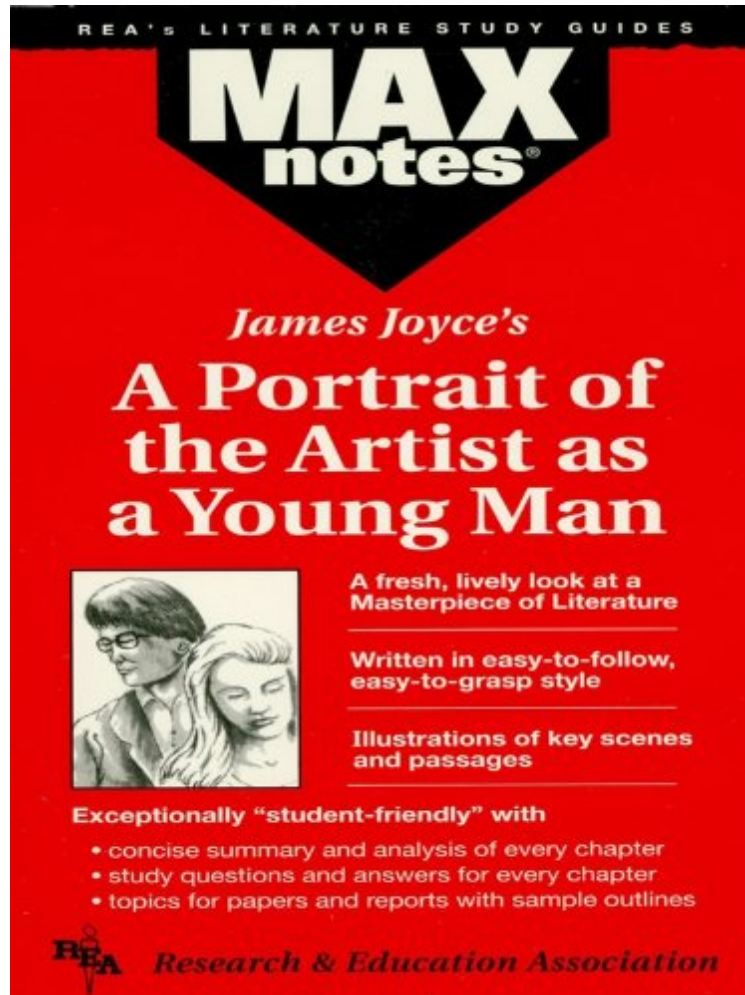


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literarisch ambitionierter Student an einer Universität, befinden sich Sprache und Thematik des Werkes auf einem derart anspruchsvollen Level, dass man die meisten Textstellen mehrmals lesen muss, um sie zu erfassen, vor allem als nicht Muttersprachler. Berühmt geworden ist Stephens Diskurs über sein Kunstverständnis, ein Abriss der Kunst- und Literaturtheorie von der Antike bis in die Neuzeit. Höhepunkt des Romans ist jedoch Stephens "epiphany", sein Erwachen, am Ende von Kapitel 4. Am Strand entlang spazierend, erblickt er ein Mädchen. Von dessen Schönheit so überwältigt, von der Aussicht auf Liebe, Sex und Lebenslust so hingerissen, beschließt er, den gesellschaftlichen Zwängen seiner Heimatstadt Dublin, vor allem Familie, Religion und Nationalismus, zu entfliehen um seinen Lebenstraum zu erfüllen und Schriftsteller in Paris zu werden. Wer beim Lesen Spaß daran hat gefordert zu werden und nicht nur mit platten Stereotypen bedient werden möchte, wird "A Portrait..." lieben. Es ist definitiv eine Herausforderung, wenn auch leichter zugänglich als "Ulysses". Wer sich in naher Zukunft vorgenommen hat Joyce's Hauptwerk anzugehen, sollte vorher unbedingt dieses Buch lesen. Einige Charaktere (vor allem Dedalus) und typisch moderne Erzähltechniken (stream of consciousness) werden hier eingeführt. 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A Hard Read But Well Worth It Von CC If there is anything that Joyce is not, it is easy to read. At times his work is confusing, and at other times it is really confusing, but it is always real - expressing the way we, as people, think and feel. Joyce is a master of literature, and a master of style. Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man is no exception. At times it is confusing - maybe better described as complex - but always it is a work of art. Do not attempt to enjoy this novel if you are only looking for a quick, "light" read. If you want a book that has the potential to change the way you view literature or even life, this book might be it. Give it a chance. 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. In the Stream of Consciousness Von Ein Kunde Irish literature is one of the greatest on earth. Not for the tremendous numbers of works that have been published, but for the power that this literature offers to readers like me. James Joyce is one of the authors that has forever changed my life. A portrait of the Artist as a Young Man is not only an autobiographical book on Joyce, but is also a door to penetrate the stream of consciousness in which Joyce's books are classified. As you will read that book, notice that power with which Joyce describes hell, classes, friends. There is a mystic mood from which we cannot escape. Stephen Dedalus starts a long journey into his own conscience and discovers that art shall be his life. He discovers the lies of religion and governments. Dedalus will now forever have his eyes opened on the truth that life is in his single body. You must read that book to fully understand it. James Joyce is not as known as Stephen King, but he really worths better. Pascal Tremblay

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