

Ivan Bunin (1870-1953), Russian writer, poet and Nobel Prize for Literature in 1933. Awarded the prize "for the strict artistry with which he develops the traditions of Russian classical prose." In his speech at the award ceremony Bunin noted the courage of the Swedish Academy, which has had the honor of emigrant writer (he emigrated to France in 1920).



**Boris Leonidovich Pasternak (1890-1960), Russian poet  
and Nobel Prize for Literature in 1958.**

**Awarded "for outstanding achievements in contemporary lyrical poetry  
and in the field of the great Russian prose.**

**" Was forced to abandon premium threatened with expulsion from the country.  
The Swedish Academy recognized the failure of the premium  
forced Pasternak and in 1989 was awarded a diploma and a medal to his son**



**MIKHAIL SHOLOKHOV (1905-1984), SOVIET WRITER, NOBEL PRIZE FOR LITERATURE IN 1965.**

**THE PRIZE WAS AWARDED "FOR THE ARTISTIC POWER AND INTEGRITY OF THE EPIC OF THE DON COSSACKS AT A CRUCIAL TIME FOR RUSSIA."**

**IN HIS SPEECH DURING THE AWARDING CEREMONY SHOLOKHOV SAID HIS GOAL WAS "TO ELEVATE THE NATION OF WORKERS, BUILDERS AND HEROES."**



Iosif Aleksandrovich Brodsky  
(1940-1996), poet and Nobel Prize for  
Literature in 1987. The award was given  
"for the multi-dimensional creativity  
marked acuteness of thought and  
deep poetry." In 1972 he was forced to  
emigrate from the Soviet Union, lived in  
the U.S..

