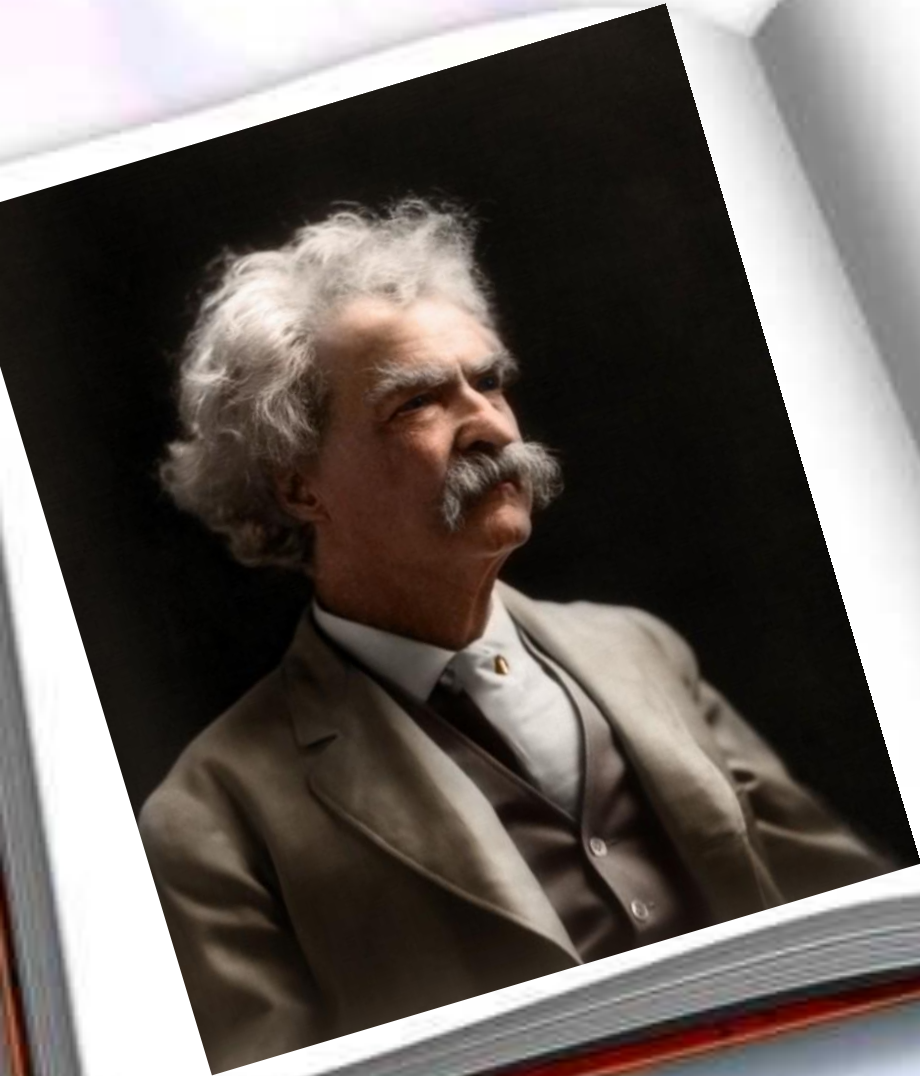
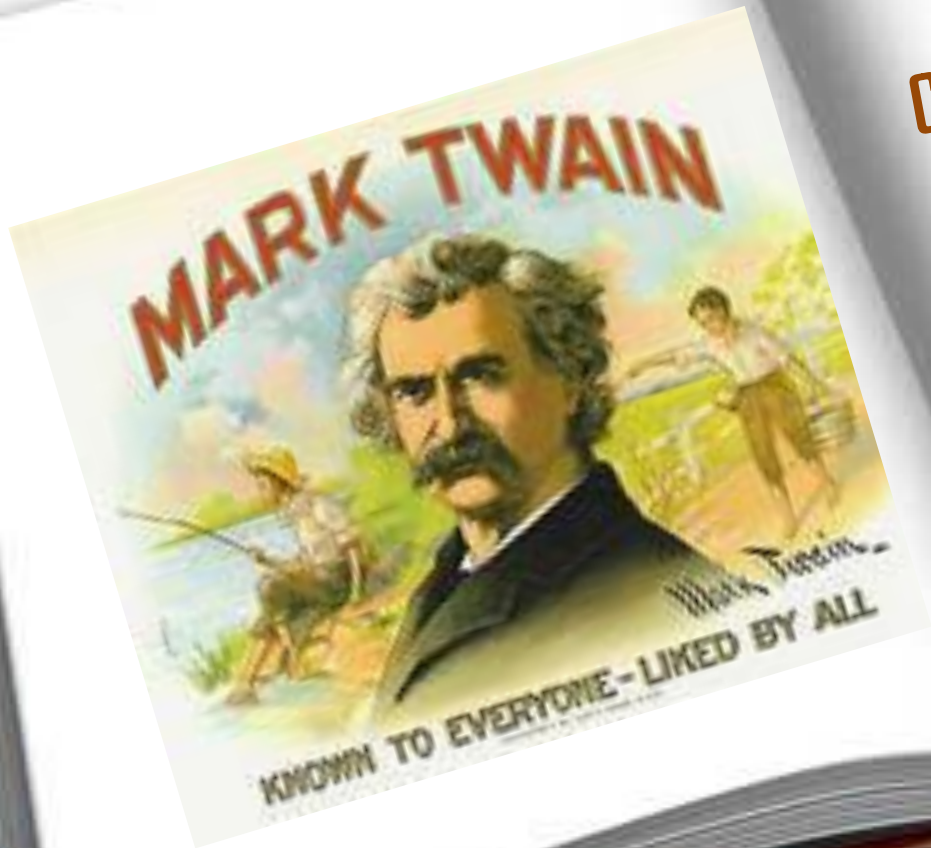


Mark Twain





Mark Twain
(30.11.1835 –
21.04.1910)
American author.



Samuel Langhorne
Clemens (Mark Twain)
was born on 30
November 1835 in
Florida.

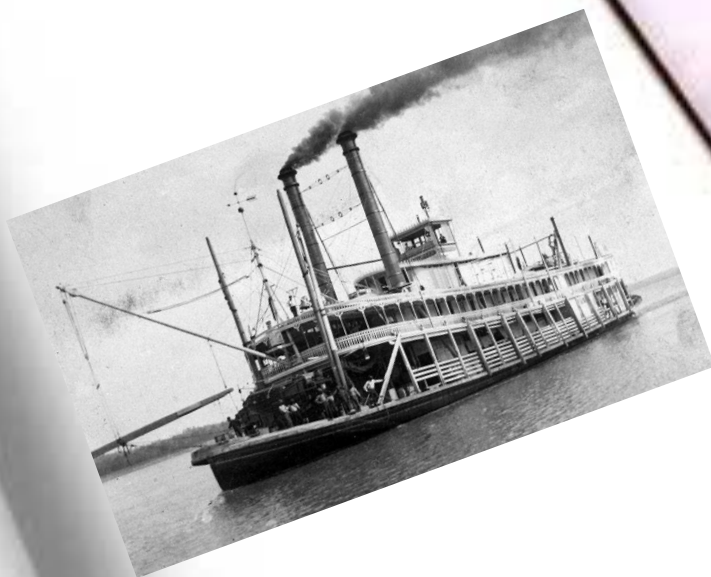
His parents were John and Jane Clemens. After moving to Missouri John met Jane and some years later they married. There were seven children in their family but only four survived: Samuel, Henry, Orion and Pamela. Samuel was the sixth child.



Mark Twain's father was a judge. In 1847 he died when Samuel was eleven. In 1848 Samuel became an assistant of a printer. In three years he started working as a typesetter. At the age of 18 Mark Twain left the town and began to work as a printer. He worked in different cities of the USA.



In 1859 Mark Twain
got a steamboat pilot
license. Samuel
worked as a
pilot until
1861.



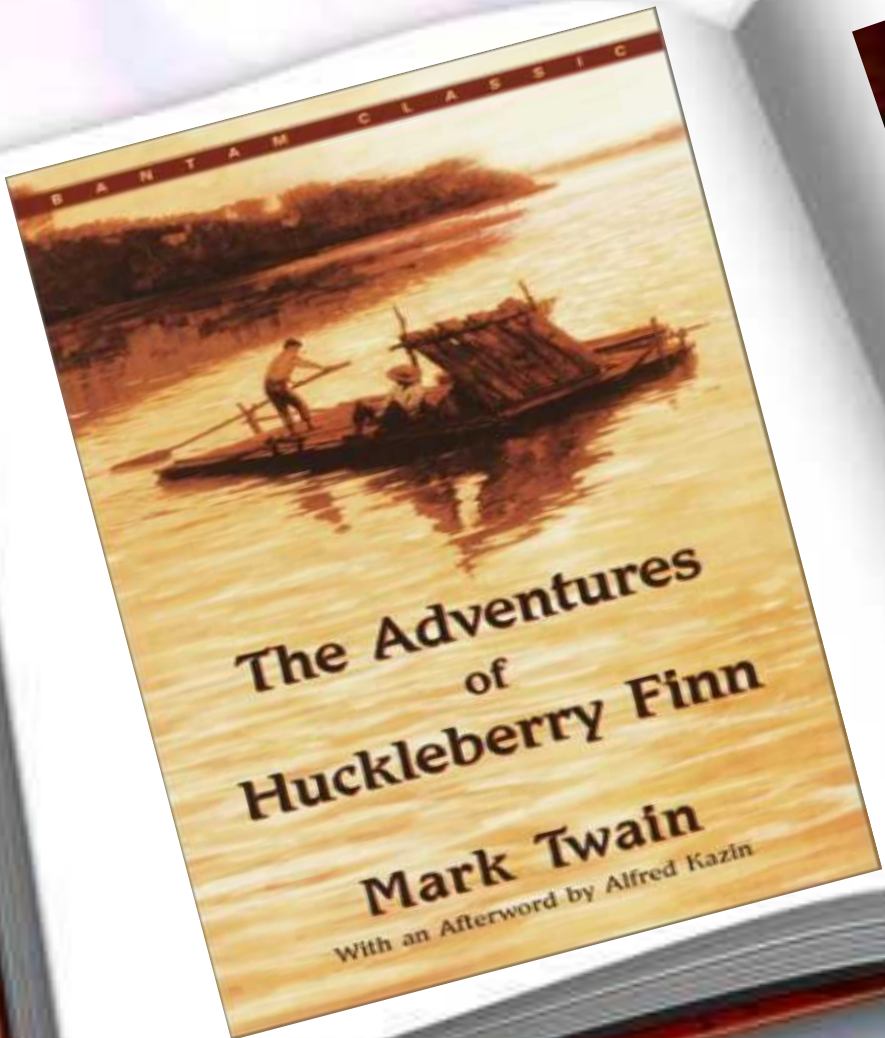


Mark Twain had a wife
Olivia Langdon. They
married in 1870 lived in
Buffalo, New York. He
started working as a writer
and editor in the
newspaper. The married
couple had 3 daughters:
Jean, Clara and Susy.





Mark Twain spent a lot of time in Hartford and at Quarry Farm where he wrote his famous writings including The Adventures of Tom Sawyer, The Prince and the Pauper, Life on the Mississippi, Adventures of Huckleberry Finn etc.





Mark Twain became a famous American author and orator. A lot of critics and peers appreciated his wit.



Mark Twain used
different pen
names that's why
some of his works
are not known.

Mark Twain was born during a visit by Halley's Comet, and he predicted that he would "go out with it". This prophecy was exact. Mark Twain died of a heart attack in 1910. He was interred in Woodlawn Cemetery.

