

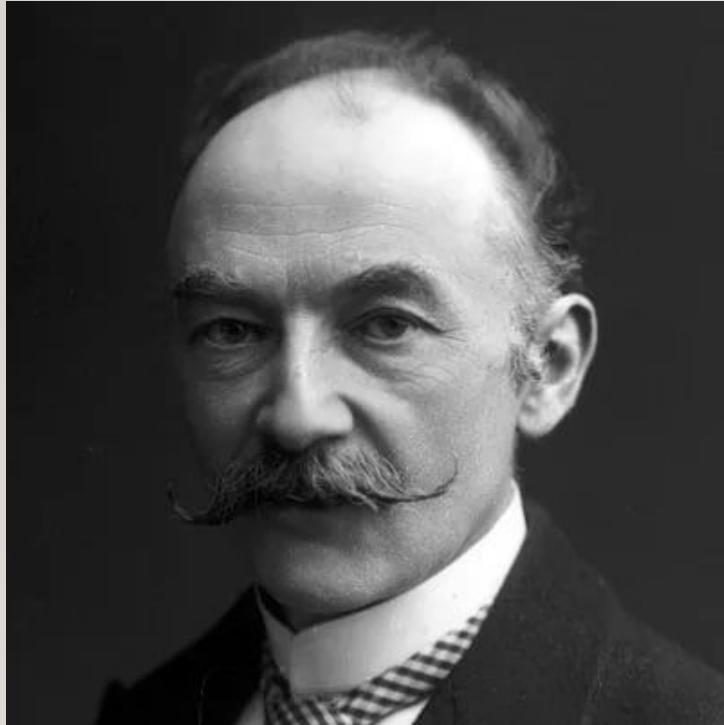
# THOMAS HARDY

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FAMOUS ENGLISH WRITER

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- Date of birth: 1840
- Date of death: 1928
- Place of birth: Dorset, England
- Occupation : poet, novelist
- Famous works: Tess of the d'Urbeivilles (1891) tells the story of a poor young farmer's daughter and the events and misfortunes that shape her life.

# DORSET IS A COUNTY IN ENGLAND

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# Thomas Hardy

- ❑ Born of Thomas and Jemima on June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1840; in Dorset, England.
- ❑ Often ill as a child, he spent most of his time indoors.
- ❑ His mother taught him to read and write before the age of four.
- ❑ After finishing school, Hardy became employed by an architecture company.
- ❑ In 1874, he married Emma Gifford.
- ❑ Began writing novels and poetry, but was unable to become published.



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