SELECTED SCOTTISH WRITERS

"Ane doolie sessoun to ane cairful dyte Suld correspond, and be equivalent." Robert Henryson 1425–1506





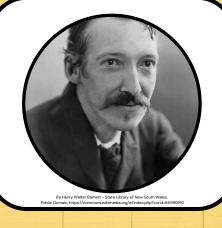
Robert Burns 1759–1796

"Wee, sleeket, cowran, tim'rous beastie, O, what a panic's in thy breastie!"

"Most readers... must have witnessed with delight the joyous burst which attends the dismissing of a village-school on a fine summer evening."

Walter
Scott
1771–1832





Robert L. Stevenson 1850–1894

"To be feared of a thing and yet to do it, is what makes the prettiest kind of a man."

"'Oh tell me what was on yer road, ye roarin' norlan' Wind,

As ye cam' blawin' frae the land that's niver frae my mind?" Violet Jacobs 1863–1946





Nan Shepherd 1893–1981

"When the aromatic savour of the pine goes searching into the deepest recesses of my lungs, I know it is life that is entering. I draw life in through the delicate hairs of my nostrils."

"Friendship is a real boat, Clydebuilt like the best of them, pride and strength in every

rivet and spot weld."

Liz Lochhead 1947–

