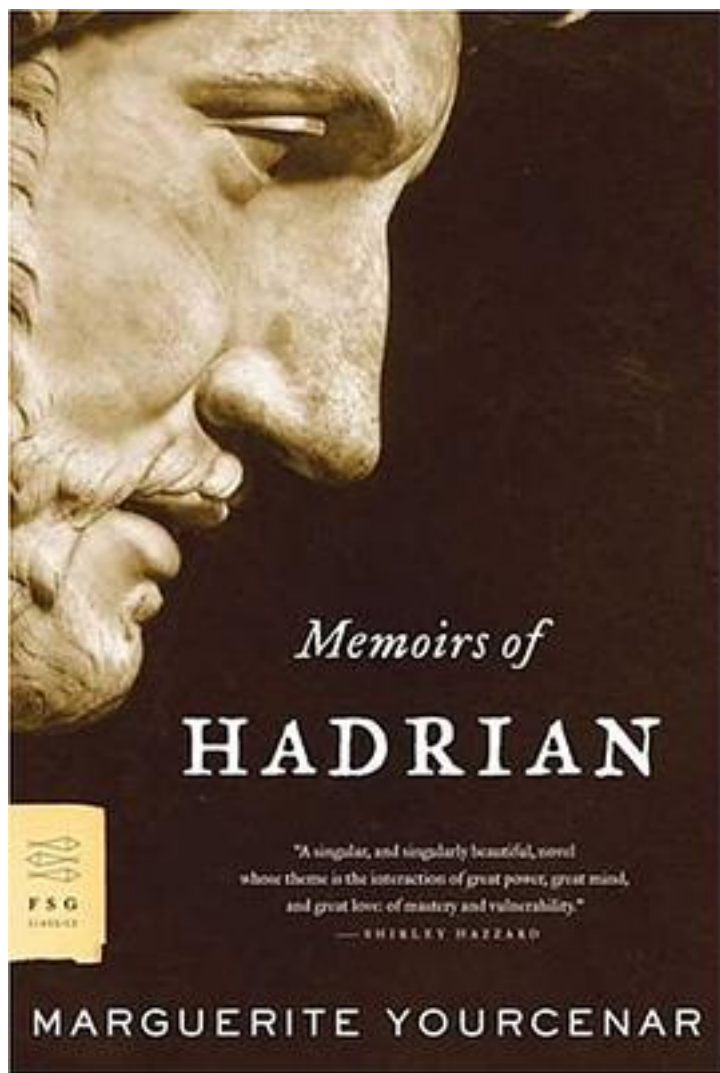


Memoirs of Hadrian



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In her magnificent novel, Marguerite Yourcenor recreates the life and death of one of the great rulers of the ancient world. The Emperor Hadrian, aware his demise is imminent, writes a long valedictory letter to Marcus Aurelius, his future successor. The Emperor meditates on his past, describing his accession, military triumphs, love of poetry and music, and the philosophy that informed his powerful and far-flung rule. A work of superbly detailed research and sustained empathy, *Memoirs of Hadrian* captures the living spirit of the Emperor and of Ancient Rome.

作者介绍:

Marguerite Yourcenar is one of the most acclaimed writers of the twentieth century. Author of over twenty books--of which *Hadrian* is her acknowledged masterpiece--she was the first woman elected to the Academie Française. She died in 1987.

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评论

非常诗意

虽然语言很美，但是真的太絮叨了！完全不能连读20p啊！真的比《苦炼》的第三部分还要啰嗦啊！知道最后开始讨论漂亮的死才有了一点点感受。（我也没有找到某句话。）

一个老人以平静的心态回顾他的一生, there is nothing he would add or take away. 活色生香的罗马世界感官细节编织进行云流水般的哲思框架，无论是肉体还是那个接近灵魂的东西都得到无比满足。完全折服于她下笔的从容和优雅；我觉得她做到捕捉那个古典世界的忧郁了——但更重要的是，那是完完全全人类的时代，在诸神的时代落幕而耶稣还未到来时。With somber elegance and grace Yourcenar captures the pensive gaze we fix on that ebony which might as well be infinity.

Deeply, sincerely and self-consciously in love.

会重读。重读完再写。

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