



Olalla

by Robert Louis Stevenson
(1850-1894)

Olalla was a “shilling shocker” written for the Christmas season in 1885, just before the publication of Stevenson’s *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*. The nameless protagonist of this Gothic tale, a wounded soldier, goes to the Spanish countryside to recuperate. He finds himself enthralled by the beautiful Olalla, the daughter of his hostess, whose family conceals a terrible secret.



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