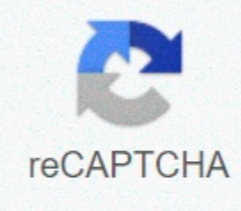




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The rain set early in the night, the sullen wind was soon awake, It tore elm-peaks down despite, And did its worst to vex the lake: I listened with my heart fit to break. When slipped in Porphyria; right She closed the cold outside and the storm, and knelt and made the cheerless grate Blaze up, and the whole cabin warm; As did, she stood up, and from her form Pulled dripping robes and shawls, and laid her dirty gloves by, loosened her hat and let her damp hair fall, and last she sat by my side and called me. When no voice answered: She put my arm around her waist, and made her smooth white shoulder naked, and all her yellow hair staggered, and stooping, made my cheek lie there, and spread, o'er all, her yellow hair, Murmur how she loved me - she too weak, for all her heart's endeavors, To put her struggling passion free From pride , and in vain bond dissever , And give themselves to me forever. But passion sometimes would prevail, nor could the night's gay party hold a sudden thought of such a pale For love for her, and all in vain: So, she had come through wind and rain. Make sure I looked up at her eyes Happy and proud; Finally I knew porfyri worshipped me; Surprise Made my heart swell, and yet it grew while discussing what to do. That moment she was mine, mine, fair, completely clean and good: I found one thing to do, and all her hair in a long yellow string I hurt Three times her little neck around, and strangled her. No pain felt that she; I'm pretty sure she didn't feel pain. Like a closed bud holding a bee, I warily oped her lids: again Loe the blue eyes without a stain. And I ashamed myself next to her neck. her cheek again Blushed light during my fiery kiss: I supported her head up as before, Only this time my shoulder bore her head, which droops on it still: The smiling rosy little head, So glad it has its utmost will, That all that despised at once is fled, and I, its love, is achieved instead! Porphyria's love: she did not guess how her loved one wish would be heard. And thus we sit together now, and all night we have not touched, and yet God has not said a word! More poems by Robert Browning See all poems by this author 1Calculated set early in the night.2 The smoldering wind was soon awake.3It tore the elm peaks down in spite.4 And did its worst to vex the lake:5 I listened with the heart set to break.6When slipped in.6When slipped in.6When slipped in.4 And did its worst to vex the lake:5 I listened with the heart set to break.6When slipped in.6When slipped in.6When slipped in.6 right7 She closed the cold outside and the storm,8And knelt and made cheerless grating 9 Blaze up, and the whole cabin warm:10 As did, she rose, and from her shape11Withdrew dripping robe and shawl.12 And put her dirty gloves off, uleist13 Her hat and let the damp hair fall.14 And last she sat down by my side15 And called me. When no voice answered,16 She put my arm about her waist.17 And made her smooth white shoulder naked,18And all her yellow hair shifted.19 And, stooping, made my cheek lie there,20 And spread, o'er all, her yellow hair,21Murmuring how she loved me - she22 Too weak, for all her heart's endeavors,23To put her struggling passion free24 From pride, and vain bond dissever,25 And give himself to me forever.26But passion sometimes would prevail,27 Neither could to the night Gay party restrain28A suddenly thought of such a pale29 For love for her, and all in vain:30 So, she was come through wind and rain.31Be sure I looked up at her eyes32 Happy and proud; finally I knew 33Porphyria worshipped me; surprise34 Made my heart swell, and yet it grew35 While I was discussing what to do.36The moment she was mine, mine, just,37 Completely clean and good: I found 38A thing to do, and all her hair39 In a long yellow string I hurt 40 Three times her little neck around,41And strangled her. No pain felt that she;42 I'm pretty sure she didn't feel pain.43As a closed bud holding a bee,44 I gently oped her lids: again45 Laughed the blue eyes without a stain.46And I untightened the next tress47 About her throat, her cheek again48Blushed bright during my fiery kiss.49 I propped my head up as before.50 Just, this time my shoulder bar51Her head, which droops on it still:52 The smiling rosy little head,53As glad it has its utmost will,54 That all that despised at once is fled,55 And I, her love, am gained instead!56Porphyria's love: she guessed how57 Her dear one wish would be heard.58And thus we sit together now,59 And all night long we have not touched.60 And yet God has not said a word! Porphyria's Lover' is the first short dramatic monologue of Browning. It is pronounced by a lover who suffocates his beloved to death to perpetuate the moment when she was his - 'absolutely pure and good'. The poem begins by describing the stormy night when Porphyria slipped in and straight / She closed the cold outside and the storm. She lit the fire in the grate and then removed her dripping robe and shawl, she put aside her dirty glove, then the hat loosened and let the fucking hair fall and sat next to the speaker and shouted at him. When no voice responded, she put her arm around her waist and made him rest his cheek on her bare smooth white shoulder and spread o'er all, her yellow hair. She murmured how she loved him, struggling in her weakness to express her passion, having left behind a gay party to come to him so pale / For love for her. She had come to him, given up pride and in vain bond. The speaker then realized that Porphyria worshipped him and surprise made his heart swollen and he debated what to do. It was a moment's realization that she was his - fair, / Completely clean and good, and he found One Thing to Do. He made a string with her long yellow hair and wounded three times her little neck around and - strangled her! In his crazy delight at having found the means to stop time at a certain perfect moment, he feels sure that she felt no pain. Gently, he opens her eyelids and found that they had no pain, but laughed without stain. When he loosens his hair from around her neck, he finds the color back to her cheeks; 'burning bright under 'his kiss. He 'supported her head like before', but this time it was his shoulder that bore her head. He believes that the smiling little head is glad that everything that stood in the way of her love is fled and she has got him, her love. The speaker feels that Porphyria's one desire, that is, to be with him, has been answered and thus they sit together all night. The last line - 'And yet God has not said a word!' -can be an expression of justification for his terrible act. Analysis of Porphyria's Lover Poem Porphyria's Lover begins with a description of the night's stormy weather as it rained and windy, and the lover waited for Porfyri in a hut in an unnamed place. She's finally coming, and we're told that she's exceeded her class expectations to visit him. She's wet and cold, so she comes close to the fire to dry herself. She leans toward the narrator and professes her love. The lover looks into her face and realizes that she worships him in this moment. Taken by the purity of the moment, he decides to take her hair and strangle her to death with it. He then assures that she died painlessly. After she dies, he relaxes her hair and puts the body out in a graceful pose with her eyes opened and her lifeless head on her shoulder. He justifies his action by saying that he has done the right thing by killing her and ends by noting that God 'has not yet said a word' against him. In Porphyria's Lover. Robert Browning works with an unstable lover of passion who is mentally not stable and eventually kills his beloved to make her her own Like almost all the dramatic monologue in Browning, Porphyria's lover is also an obsessive neurotic character who is self-obsessed and believes that his way of thinking and action is justified in every way. Therefore, we find no sense of remorse in the lover even after he kills his beautiful beloved. Furthermore, he proudly states that he is quite justified in what he has done. The monologue is caused by the fact that he has committed the murder and therefore is at a critical time in his life when he needs to get into a dramatic monologue. He must reassure himself while assuring readers that what he has done is not a crime. Like the Duke of My Last Duchess, the lover here claims his superiority and in that tone asserts his innocence. The interesting fact is that the logic by which he provides his act of murder is that women are transgressive in nature. This idea is nothing new. Patriarchy has always believed that women have always tried to break free from men's claws to discover themselves. Moreover, patriarchy believes that women, as they are of inferior intellect than men, should be under the guidance of men. Many times in human history we have seen that women are treated as inferior citizens just because of their gender. The view that women have the propensity to become infidels, if not checked by men, is taken a step further by the neurotic lover of Porphyria as he decides to end his life in a moment when the beloved shows his allegiance so that the moment of fidelity is resolved forever and she does not get a chance to show her infidelity. The logic of the lover is absurd - but all of Browning's dramatic monologues use this kind of absurd logic when Browning's monologues deal with the absurdity of the passions of abnormal characters. It is this absurdity that makes Browning's dramatic monologues so interesting and exciting. One must bear in mind here that no matter how absurd the lover may sound in his logic; It is based on the patriarchal construction that allows women to be seen as secondary. Therefore, the absurdity lies not only in the part of the lover, but throughout the patriarchy and its ways of gender stereotyping. There is nothing in women that makes them born infidels; there is nothing in them that makes them a secondary and second class. However, patriarchy prefers to think as it is how men can rule over women. In the broader context of world politics, this is what happens when feminist movements around the world question men for their limited thinking. From this point of view, it would be unfair to call Browning a patriarchal male-chauvinist writer as he deliberately portrays this kind of character in his monologues to make readers aware of how with dubious constructs about gender they live their lives without insight and From this point of view, Browning's dramatic monologues are not only beautiful pieces of poetry, but at the same time maintain a social message — to question patriarchal constructs. Constructions.