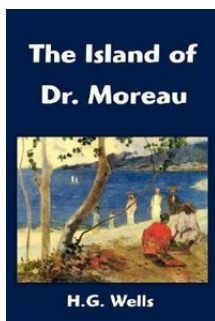


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The ocean rose up around me, hiding that low, dark patch from my eyes. The daylight, the trailing glory of the sun, went streaming out of the sky, was drawn aside like some luminous curtain, and at last I looked into the blue gulf of immensity which the sunshine hides, and saw the floating hosts...

## Reader's Opinions

The Island of Dr Moreau is well and truly firmly rooted in the Victorian / Edwardian tradition of the scientific / Sci-Fi novel and genre of which Wells was very much one of the key founding fathers. This novel was written against a backdrop (at the time the novel was written) of concern regarding vivisection which amounted in some...

H.G. Wells truly could see into the future...this book is truly a foreshadowing of some of the bioethical debates going on right now. But the question to my GR friends is: what is more bestial...beasts who must follow 'The Law' or men who put beasts into that position? It seems to me that is a question that still echoes into our age....