

LIT 205: 19th Century American Literature

This course explores powerful and complex major work from the remarkable period of North American literary maturity, an era often called the "American Renaissance:" Melville's Moby Dick; Twain's Huckleberry Finn; Whitman's Leaves of Grass; Emerson's Essays; Henry Adams' Education; Thoreau's Walden; and Emily Dickinson's elegant poetry, and other texts.

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