



FRANKENSTEIN
TURNS 200

FRANKENSTEIN EDITIONS

WHO WROTE FRANKENSTEIN?



Frankenstein was written by Mary Shelley when she was only 19 years old. Both the 1869 and the 2003 editions speak of her young age, the fact that she was a woman, and the unique circumstances that lead to the creation of the book.



IS THE TEXT THE SAME?

No matter what edition you pick, the actual story of Frankenstein is the same, as is the preface (by Shelley's husband) and the introduction (by Shelley). Complete and unabridged copies should all contain the same information as the 1869 edition.



WHAT IF I WANT MORE INFO?

BENEFITS OF THE BARNES & NOBLE CLASSIC EDITION

If you would like to dig deeper into the world of Mary Shelley and Frankenstein, pick up the 2003 Barnes & Noble edition. This edition contains additional information like timelines, questions, and more about the author, as well as recommended additional readings.

Follow the story of Frankenstein at 200

<https://frankenstein200.org/>

Questions? Stop be the reference desk today!