## The Merchant of Venice

The Merchant of Venice was written in 1987. It is a tragedy. The writer is William Shakespeare but this is an adaptation of Brian Heaton and Michael West.

The book deals with different aspects in the life of an impossible love. It's about Bassanio, a boy, who falls in love with Portia, but he needs money to impress Portia and her family to get married with her. So Antonio, who is Bassanio's best friend and a merchant, tries to help him. However, he hasn't got money either. For that reason, Antonio asked Shylock for money. Finally, Bassanio and Portia get married.

We think the book could have been better if Shakespeare had expelled Nerissa, who is Portia's servant because she isn't a main character.

In our opinion, it is a wonderful book because you read a story which was written by one of the most famous writers in the world. In addition, the story is very interesting.

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