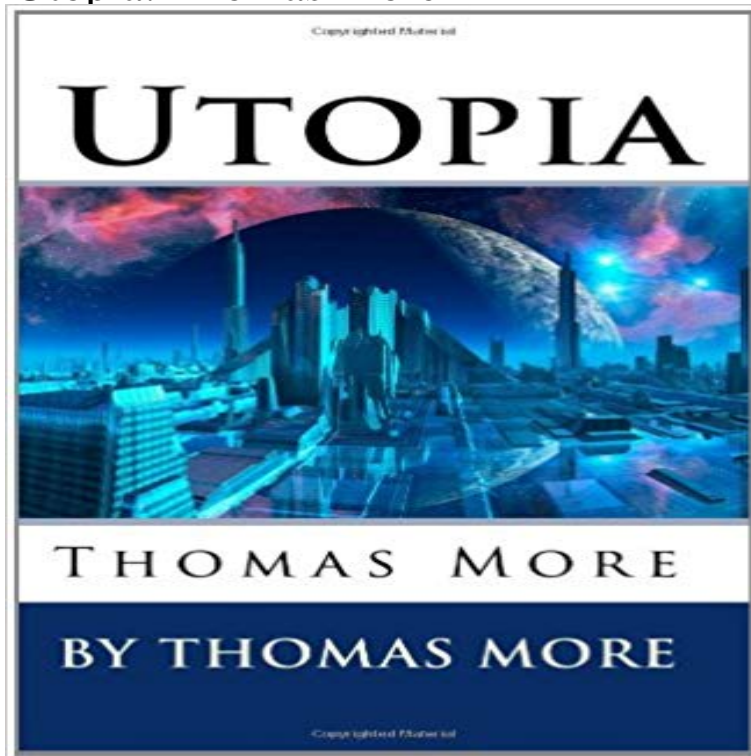


## Utopia: Thomas More



Although there are other Utopia books written before Thomas Mores, it is this book that made its title into a by-word in the English (and other) languages. Utopia was Mores response to Platos Republic, in that it is a framework for a perfect society according to Mores ideas of the time. Originally published in Latin, the first English version appeared in 1551, some 16 years after Mores death. Mores Utopia, which is a brief book (100 pages), portrays a communal, democratic society. It is paradoxically unregulated and tightly regulated. Mores citizens just want to do what is best for their society, and that covers a remarkably narrow range of possibilities. There are, of course, some who break the laws of the land, and More deals with them harshly. Harsh is a relative term, though, and his punishments were hardly harsh in a day when it was a hanging offense to steal a loaf of bread for your starving family. Mores Utopia is also a strongly religious society. Religious tolerance is a matter of law, a novelty by the standards of Mores day and the standard of his own behavior. Tolerance, however, meant tolerance of any monotheism that wasnt too animistic, and certainly didnt tolerate the unreligious. Thomas Mores own life was less than a Utopia. He was executed by Henry VIII (one of his best friends) for, among other trespasses, refusing to uphold the kings divorce from Catherine of Arragon. Before that time More served Henry VIII in many capacities, including Speaker of the House of Commons, Master of Requests, Privy Councillor, and Lord Chancellor. Mores strong integrity and resolute mind caught the attention of scholars, political and church leaders internationally; it was this same integrity that most likely was his undoing, refusing to assent to the Kings divorce and severance of ties binding the English Church with the Roman overlordship of the Pope.

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