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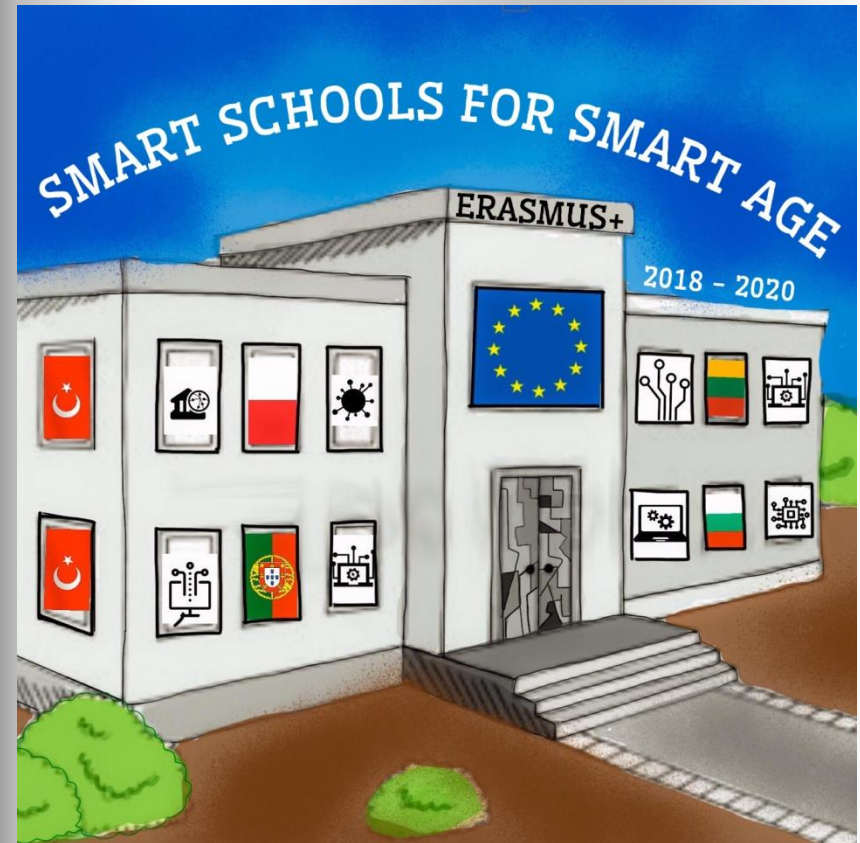
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YORDAN YOVKOV

*born Nov. 9.1880.
Zheravna, Bulgaria
died Oct. 15. 1937.Sofia*



Yordan Stefanov Yovkov was a prominent Bulgarian writer from the interwar period.

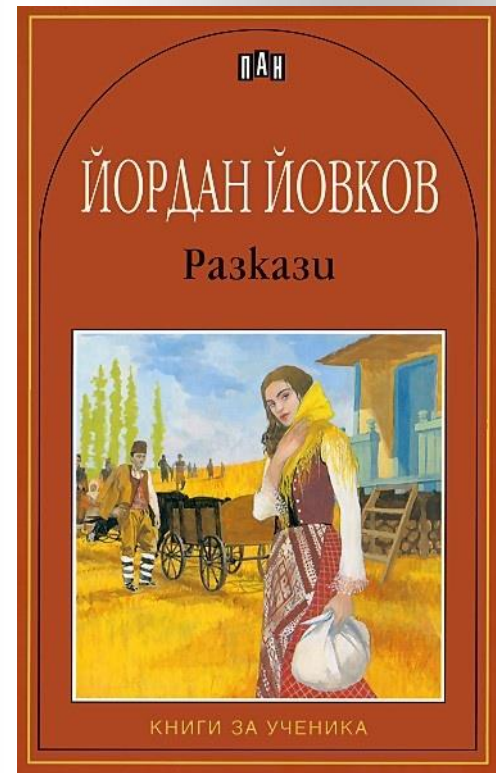
Yovkov born in Zheravna, Bulgaria, grew up in the Dobruja region. Bulgarian short-story writer, novelist, and dramatist whose stories of Balkan peasant life and military experiences show a fine mastery of prose.



Yovkov's native home



The master of the short story is so called the great Bulgarian writer Yordan Yovkov. His 70 books have been translated into more than 25 languages and his own works are over 37, including Arabic, Vietnamese, Chinese, Persian, Polish, Finnish, Hindi, Swedish, Japanese and other languages. Yovkov's works have their own world, their atmosphere.



book with stories by Yovkov

"On the Wire"

Yovkov's artistic world is a world of beauty, wisdom, nobility and love for it, it has an enriching effect on the human soul. This is also the story "On the Wire" in which a human drama comes to life.

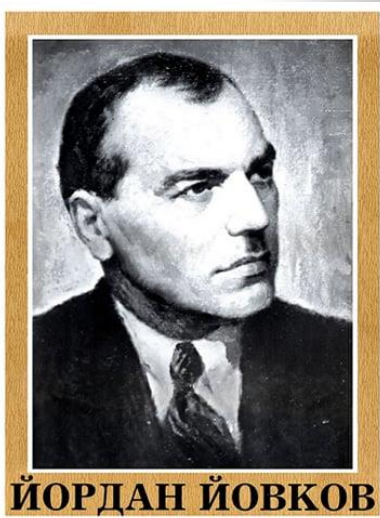
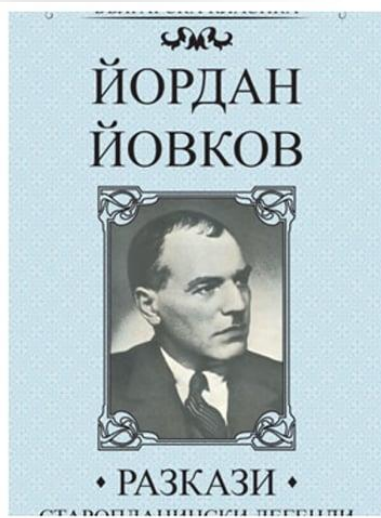
"On the Wire" is a story of suffering and pain, but also about the faith in good and the hope that saves the souls of men.

An occasion to write the Yovkov story is a story from the Kazanlak region in the newspaper where a white swallow appeared.

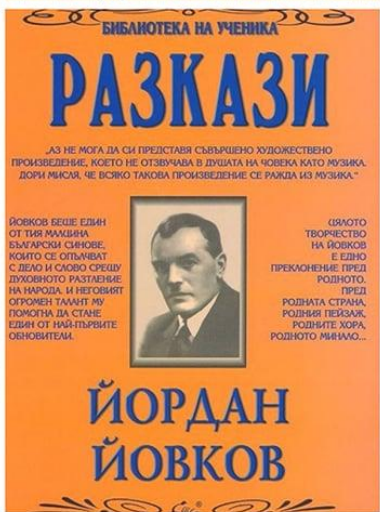
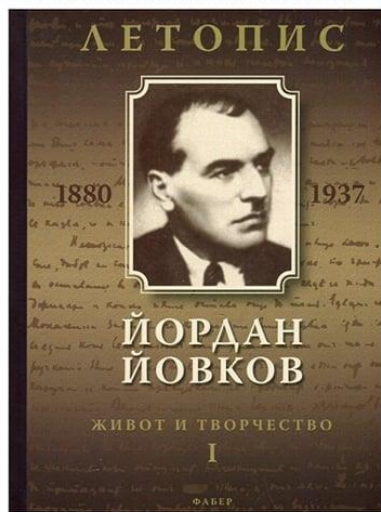


Yovkov's story tells that in the middle of the summer, shepherd Peter McCannina sees a stranger approaching him. The newcomer briefly tells about his poor life: his efforts to feed his family, his parents' tragedy, their lost children, the preserved one named Nonka, yet Nonka is a miserly twenty-year-old girl. She had gone to reap during the summer and had been sick since then. Doctors can not help.

The father said there was only one decision to cure his daughter, and that his only remedy was the appearance of the white swallow and that the sick man saw it healed. On the trembling question of the girl whether they will see her, Mokcanina has no power to tell the truth. So he says a lie: that the white swallow has her that he has seen her that they will see her and they and Nonka will heal.



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