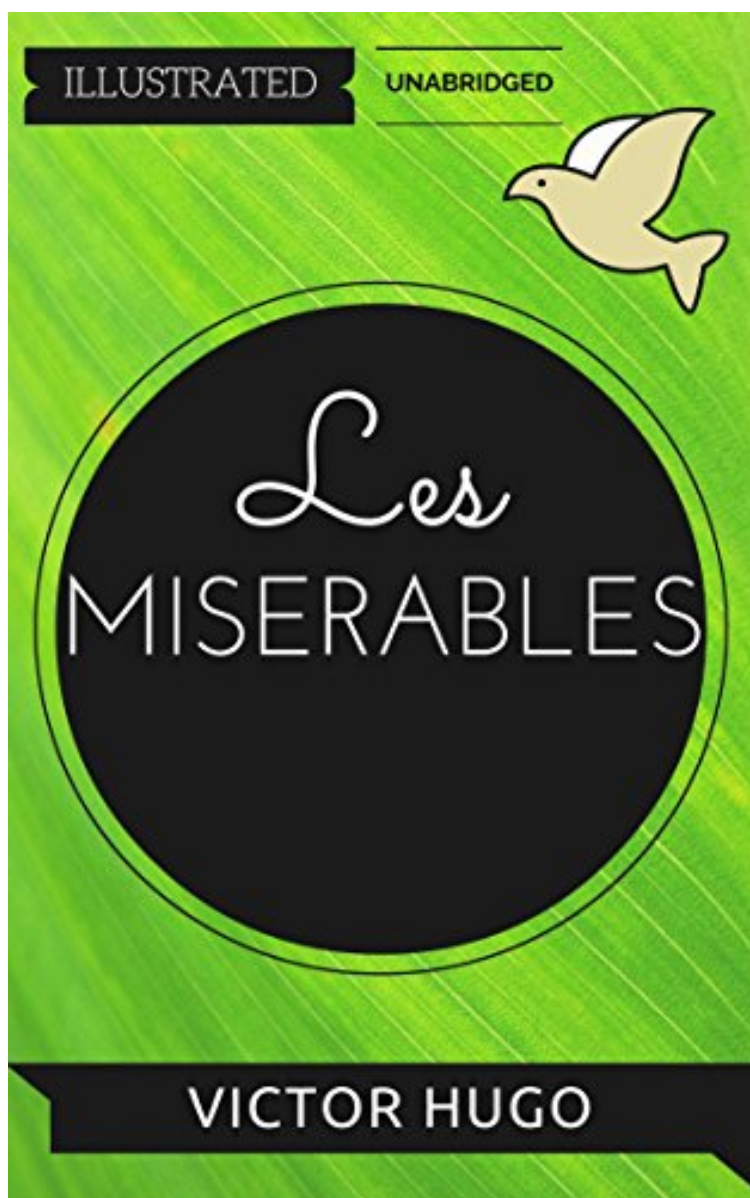


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Biographie de l'auteur Victor Marie Hugo (26 February 1802 22 May 1885) was a French poet, novelist, and dramatist of the Romantic movement. He is considered one of the greatest and best known French writers. In France, Hugo's literary fame comes first from his poetry but also rests upon his novels and his dramatic achievements. Among many volumes of poetry, *Les Contemplations* and *La Légende des siècles* stand particularly high in critical esteem. Outside France, his best-known works are the novels *Les Misrables*, 1862, and *Notre-Dame de Paris*, 1831 (known in English as *The Hunchback of Notre-Dame*). Though a committed royalist when he was young, Hugo's views changed as the decades passed; he became a passionate supporter of republicanism, and his work touches upon most of the political and social issues and artistic trends of his time. He was buried in the Pantheon.