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upset when their daughter Pet marries an artist called Gowan, and when their servant and foster daughter Tattycoram is lured away from them to the sinister Miss Wade, an acquaintance of the criminal Rigaud. Miss Wade hates men, and it turns out she is the jilted sweetheart of Gowan. The character Little Dorrit (Amy) was inspired by Mary Ann Cooper (nee Mitton), whom Dickens sometimes visited along with her family, and called by that name. They lived in The Cedars, a house on Hatton Road west of London; its site is now under the east end of London Heathrow Airport.

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father, who is embarrassed to acknowledge his financial position, Little Dorrit avoids mentioning her work outside the prison or his inability to leave. Mr Dorrit assumes the role of Father of the Marshalsea, and is held in great respect by its inhabitants, as if he had chosen to live there. After Arthur tells his mother that he will not continue in the family business, Mrs Clennam chooses her clerk Jeremiah Flintwinch as her partner. When Arthur learns that Mrs Clennam employs Little Dorrit as a seamstress, showing unusual kindness, he wonders whether the young girl might be connected with the mystery of the watch. Arthur follows the girl to the Marshalsea. He tries in vain to enquire about William Dorrit's debt in the Circumlocution Office, assuming the role of benefactor towards Little Dorrit, her father, and her brother. While at the Circumlocution Office he meets the successful inventor Daniel Doyce. Doyce wants a partner and man of business at his factory and Clennam agrees to fill that role. Little Dorrit falls in love with Arthur, but Arthur fails to recognise Little Dorrit's feelings. Arthur is reacquainted with his former fiancée Flora Finching, the reason he was sent away to China, who is now an unattractive widow, and accompanied by the aunt of her late husband. Her father Mr Casby owns many rental properties, and his rent collector is Mr Pancks. The indefatigable Pancks discovers that William Dorrit is the lost heir to a large fortune, enabling him to pay his way out of prison, altering the

status of the entire family.

Flora Finching: the Only Free Woman in "Little Dorrit" by Charles Dickens Dec 14 2021 Seminar paper from the year 2011 in the subject English - Literature, Works, grade: 1,3, University of Freiburg (Englisches Seminar), course: Dickens' Little Dorrit, language: English, abstract: Dickens' Little Dorrit is known as a novel of physical and metaphorical imprisonment. Almost every character and especially all the main characters, such as Amy Dorrit and Arthur Clennam, suffer under some kind of inner or/ and outer imprisonment.¹ Therefore it is hard to find a truly free female character in Little Dorrit. However, in this paper I will argue that Flora Finching is the only free female character in Little Dorrit, who pursues her own longings and needs regardless of conventions or other people's opinions and is therefore not as imprisoned as everyone else.

Little Dorrit Mar 17 2022 Annotations-Charles Dickens Biography-LITTLE DORRIT SUMMARY-Little Dorrit Glossary-Little Dorrit Themes-Little Dorrit Quotes and Analysis-AMY DORRIT TIMELINE AND SUMMARY-Character Analysis ARTHUR CLENNAM-ARTHUR CLENNAM TIMELINE AND SUMMARY-Character Analysis WILLIAM DORRIT-WILLIAM DORRIT TIMELINE AND SUMMARY-Character Analysis -MRS. CLENNAM-Daniel Doyce-Flora Finching &

Mr. F's Aunt-Flintwinch-Henry Gowan-Pet Meagles and Tattycoram-Mr. Meagles-Mr. Merdle-Rigaud / Blandois / Lagnier-Miss WadePublished between1855-57, "Little Dorrit" is a serial novel by Charles Dickens. The book witnesses the shortcomings of the society and the government of the period and is a work of satire.Rigaud is in Marseilles jail serving sentence because of committing a murder. The novel also mentions another character Arthur Clennam who stayed with his father in China for 20 years and now is going to visit his mother in London. His father gave him a watch when he died saying that Arthur should give it to his mother when he meets her. Inside the watch there are words where the word "do not forget" is inscribed which means that Arthur and his mother should not forget that his father loved both of them dearly. William Dorrit is imprisoned in the jails of London and his three children- Fanny, Edward and Amy (Little Dorrit) grow up in the jail. They are free to go outside the jail when they please and come back again. Amy is dedicated in the services to her father. She even supports the family financially through her sewing.When Arthur comes to London, he visits his mother and is acquainted again with his former fiancé and lover Flora Finching. Arthur's mom is paralyzed and has to use a wheelchair, still she manages her family business with the help of her servant. She also provides employment to Little Dorrit and Arthur now thinks that Little Dorrit must be connected

to the mysterious watch in one way or the other. Little Dorrit falls in love with Arthur but Arthur does not accept her love. Later Little Dorrit obtains a huge fortune and her father Mr. Dorrit is now free from the prison. They now being rich decide to tour the whole of Europe and also visits the Alps and Rome. However fate works in mysterious ways. Both Mr. Dorrit and his brother die in Rome and Little Dorrit now returns to London and now stays with her sister Fanny and her husband. Mrs. Clennam is sorry for her behavior with Little Dorrit and asks forgiveness. Being a kind hearted girl Little Dorrit gives her forgiveness. Mrs. Clennam is glad to know that Little Dorrit has secured such a large fortune. Arthur is also now a rich man and he also now feels love for Little Dorrit because of her kind nature. He becomes a gentleman and proposes marriage to Little Dorrit. Little Dorrit is happy because she also loved Arthur from the core of her heart but he was the one who initially refused to marry her. Arthur even asks for Amy's forgiveness. Mrs. Clennam is delighted to know that his son is marrying such a wonderful girl. Arthur and Little Dorrit get married towards the end of the novel and stay happily ever after.

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institution of debtors' prison. Amy Dorrit, referred to as Little Dorrit, is born in and lives much of her life at the Marshalsea prison, where her father is imprisoned for debt. She and her siblings earn meager wages at jobs outside the prison walls, returning nightly to Marshalsea. Little Dorrit works as a seamstress for Mrs. Clennam, whose son Arthur takes an interest in the Dorrit family and eventually

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ability to seek work is denied. Amy Dorrit is the youngest daughter of a man imprisoned for debt and is working as a seamstress for Mrs Clennam when Arthur Clennam crosses her path. Will the sweet natured Amy win Arthur's heart? And will they ever escape the shadow of debtors' prison?

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