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[Nadine Gordimer and the Rhetoric of Otherness in Post-Apartheid South Africa](#) Mar 09 2022

Nadine Gordimer and the Rhetoric of Otherness in Post-Apartheid South Africa observes and examines several issues that are central to the South African writer's works: the uniqueness of terror in a difficult historical period, the desire to annihilate racial oppression, and, above all, the psychological alienation provoked by racism. The analysis also focuses on literary topics that are specific to Gordimer's post-Apartheid writings, such as the significance of multiculturalism, the status of writers, the banalisation of violence due to mass-media coverage, the reconciliation with a violent past, globalization and loss of cultural and national identity, economic exile, and migration. The book proposes in five chapters a journey into Nadine Gordimer's novels, short stories and non-fiction that presents the reader with a multifaceted Other who is no longer specific to postcolonial and multicultural South Africa but can be identified across the globe as alterity is redefined by globalization.

[Race, Decolonization, and Global Citizenship in South Africa](#) Apr 10 2022 Examines the importance of South Africa's peaceful transition to democracy, especially in light of Nelson Mandela's belief that cosmopolitan dreams are

not only desirable but a binding duty.

**Jump and Other Stories** Dec 26 2020 In this collection of sixteen stories, Gordimer brings unforgettable characters from every corner of society to life: a child refugee fleeing civil war in Mozambique; a black activist's deserted wife longing for better times; a rich safari party indulging themselves while lionesses circle their lodge. *Jump* is a vivid, disturbing and rewarding portrait of life in South Africa under apartheid.

[Living in Hope and History](#) Oct 24 2020 Few writers have so consistently taken stock of the society in which they have lived. In a letter to fellow Nobel Laureate Kenzaburo Oe, Nadine Gordimer describes this impressive volume as 'a modest book of some of the non-fiction pieces I've written, a reflection of how I've looked at this century I've lived in.' It is, in fact, an extraordinary collection of essays, articles, appreciations of fellow writers and addresses delivered over four decades, including her Nobel Prize Lecture of 1991. We may examine here Nadine Gordimer's evidence of the inequities of Apartheid as she saw them in 1959, her shocking account of the bans on literature still in effect in the mid-1970s, through to South Africa's emergence in 1994 as a country free at last, a view from the queue on

that first day blacks and whites voted together plus updates on subsequent events. Gordimer's canvas is global and her themes wide-ranging. She examines the impact of technology on our expanding world-view, the convergence of the moral and the political in fiction and she reassesses the role of the writer in the world today.

**Encyclopedia of the Literature of Empire**

Apr 29 2021 Examines the world's greatest literature about empires and imperialism, including more than 200 entries on writers, classic works, themes, and concepts.

*Word wakker* Jan 19 2023 Paul Bannerman, een milieukundige van midden dertig, vecht hartstochtelijk tegen de aanleg van een stuwdam in Botswana en tegen de bouw van een nucleaire reactor in zijn geboorteland Zuid-Afrika. Op hetzelfde moment is hij echter gedwongen te vechten tegen een harde speling van de natuur: hij heeft kanker en moet radiotherapie ondergaan. Daarvoor dient hij zich te isoleren van zijn vrouw en zoon. Zijn ouders nemen hem onder hun hoede. Tijdens Pauls ziekbed wordt zijn moeder gedwongen haar verleden onder ogen te zien. Als dan ook zijn vader verrassende nieuwe keuzes maakt, komt de van de buitenkant zo gelukkig ogende familie onder grote druk te staan.

**The Pickup** May 31 2021 Set in the new South Africa and in an Arab village in the desert, this is a gripping tale of contemporary anguish and unexpected desire from a Nobel Prize-winning writer.

*Elke dag is voor de dief* Jan 27 2021 Een jonge Nigeriaan die in New York woont, gaat naar Lagos voor een kort bezoek. Bij aankomst treft hij een zowel bekende als vreemde stad aan. Hij ziet de `yahoo yahoos die vanuit internetcafés spam-mails de wereld in sturen, hij verlangt naar een onbekende vrouw die hij in de bus heeft gezien en hij is getuige van het tragische lot van een jongen die op een lokale markt wordt beschuldigd van diefstal. Hij ontmoet er oude vrienden, een ex-vriendin en zijn familie en gaandeweg wordt hij weer onderdeel van het creatieve, tegenstrijdige leven in Lagos. Langzamerhand verzoent hij zich met de grootse veranderingen die in zijn land maar ook in hemzelf hebben plaatsgevonden. In zijn kenmerkende, kristalheldere stijl heeft Teju Cole met *Elke dag is voor de dief* een zeer persoonlijk boek geschreven, over literatuur, het geheugen, kunst en reizen. Teju Cole (1975) groeide op in Nigeria en verhuisde in 1992 naar de Verenigde Staten. Hij is schrijver, fotograaf en kunsthistoricus. Hij debuteerde met *Open stad*, dat werd bekroond met de PEN/Hemingway Award.

**From Dislocation to Redefinition of Home in Nadine Gordimer's *The Pickup* and Ishtiyag Shukri's *The Silent Minaret*** May 11 2022

**The Female Protagonist in Nadine Gordimer's Novels "*Burger's Daughter*" and "*The Pickup*"** Jul 13 2022

**Een tijd als nooit tevoren** Dec 18 2022 De blanke Steve en zwarte Jabulile zijn een droompaar. Ze waren kameraden in de strijd tegen apartheid en zijn nu getrouwd, met twee kinderen en een mooi huis in een buitenwijk van Johannesburg. Maar de dilemma's waar Zuid-Afrika mee kampt, hebben ook hun weerslag op het gelukkige gezinsleven: Jabu komt onder druk te staan wanneer zij als beginnend advocaat slachtoffers van corruptie en verkrachtingen moet verdedigen en Steve neemt na een wild bezoek aan Londen op eigen houtje het besluit om met het gezin naar Australië te emigreren. Is hun liefde bestand tegen de erfenissen uit het verleden?

**The Conservatist** Jul 21 2020 A prize-winning story of the forces and relationships seething in the South Africa of the day.  
The Pickup Feb 20 2023 When Julie Summers' car breaks down in a sleazy street, a young Arab garage mechanic comes to her rescue. Out of this meeting develops a friendship that turns to love. But soon, despite his attempts to make the most of Julie's wealthy connections, Abdu is deported from South Africa and Julie insists on going too - but the couple must marry to make the relationship legitimate in the traditional village which is to be their home. Here, whilst Abdu is dedicated to escaping back to the life he has discovered, Julie finds herself slowly drawn in by the charm of her

surroundings and new family, creating an unexpected gulf between them ... 'As gripping as a thriller and as felt as a love song' IRISH TIMES

**Pickup \*the** Jun 12 2022

*None to Accompany Me* Mar 17 2020 Set in South Africa, this is the story of Vera Stark, a lawyer and an independent mother of two, who works for the Legal Foundation representing blacks trying to reclaim land that was once theirs. As her country lurches towards majority rule, so she discovers a need to reconstruct her own life.

**My Son's Story** Nov 24 2020 A schoolboy playing truant bumps into his revered father coming out of the cinema with a woman. An ordinary mishap; but the father is no ordinary man, and the family, threatened by the affair, is no ordinary family. This is a passionate story; love between a man and two women, between father and son, and something even more demanding - a love of freedom. It is a highly intimate drama of personal conflict and public struggle in the evolutionary events that, at great cost to people like these, have brought about change in South Africa.

*Het meisje met de glazen voeten* Jul 01 2021 Er gebeuren vreemde dingen op de afgelegen, met sneeuw bedekte eilandengroep Sint Hauda's Land. Merkwaardige gevleugelde wezens fladderen boven de bevroren moerassen, albinodieren verbergen zich in de ijzige bossen en in de diepten van de oceaan gloeien kwallen op. En Ida MacLaird verandert langzaam maar

zeker in glas. Maar het idee dat haar gedaanteverwisseling begonnen is tijdens een bezoek aan Sint Hauda's keert ze terug naar het betoverende eiland. Ida gaat op zoek naar de ongrijpbare Henry Fuwa, de enige man die haar misschien kan genezen. Midas Crook is een wereldvreemde fotograaf die altijd al op het eiland heeft gewoond. Wanneer hij Ida ontmoet, begint iets in hem te ontdooien. Terwijl Midas Ida leert haar aandoening te accepteren, weet zij geleidelijk aan zijn hart te winnen. Kan hun liefde de tijd stilzetten? Het meisje met de glazen voeten is een verbluffend fantasierijke en aangrijpende debuutroman, die door de internationale pers vol lof is ontvangen. Een ingenieuze, beeldende roman over de zoektocht van een jong liefdespaar naar genezing van een betovering, bij uitstek geschikt voor de liefhebbers van Alice Hoffman.

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**Citizens of Nowhere? Asymmetrical Displacements in Nadine Gordimer's The**

**Pickup** Nov 17 2022 This study discusses the asymmetrical displacements of a white Western woman and a black Eastern man in Nadine Gordimer's *The Pickup*. The characters are analyzed in their process of border crossing between West and East taking into consideration the perspective of globalization.

The findings demonstrate that the white Western woman is a tourist in conflict with her own privileges whereas the black Eastern man is the exiled who struggles in order to release himself from his historical framing - which confirms my hypotheses that displacement is related to social mobility and that it produces social asymmetries between the two main characters.

[The Borderlands: Self, Home and Ambivalent Spaces in Nadine Gordimer's The Pickup](#) Sep 15 2022

[Het eerste jaar van haar huwelijk](#) Mar 29 2021

Eén moment van roekeloosheid, maar het had ingrijpende gevolgen voor hen allemaal en zou hun leven voorgoed veranderen... Margaret en Patrick zijn nog niet zo lang getrouwd en hebben zich recentelijk in Afrika gevestigd, wanneer ze zich enthousiast aansluiten bij hun Britse vrienden voor een expeditie naar de top van Mount Kenya. Tijdens de beklimming gebeurt er een afschuwelijk ongeluk. In de nasleep daarvan worstelt Margaret met de vraag wat er op de berg precies is gebeurd, en in hoeverre niet alleen zichzelf maar ook haar huwelijk daardoor is veranderd. Bij wie ligt de schuld wanneer kleine daden tragische gevolgen hebben? En kan de stem van het geweten ooit echt het zwijgen worden opgelegd? 'Zeg al je afspraken maar af wanneer je aan dit dramatische verhaal begint... Het eerste jaar van haar huwelijk is een boek dat je niet kunt weggelaten.' - Bookpage 'Meeslepend (...) Shreve weet van de eerste tot de laatste

pagina te boeien.' - Booklist

**The House Gun** Oct 12 2019 A successful, respected executive director of an insurance company, Harald, and his doctor wife, Claudia, are faced with something that could never happen to them: their son has committed murder. What kind of loyalty do a mother and a father owe a son who has committed this unimaginable horror?

*A World of Strangers* Nov 12 2019 Toby Hood, a young Englishman, shuns the politics and the causes his liberal parents passionately support. Living in Johannesburg as a representative of his family's publishing company, Toby moves easily, carelessly, between the complacent wealthy white suburbs and the seething, vibrantly alive black townships. His friends include a wide variety of people, from mining directors to black journalists and musicians, and Toby's colonial-style weekends are often interspersed with clandestine evenings spent in black shanty towns. Toby's friendship with Steven Sithole, a dashing, embittered young African, touches him in ways he never thought possible, and when Steven's own sense of independence from the rules of society leads to tragedy, Toby's life is changed forever.

**No Time Like the Present** Dec 06 2021

Nadine Gordimer is one of our most telling contemporary writers. With each new work, she attacks - with a clear-eyed lack of sentimentality, and an understanding of the darkest depths of the human soul - the inextricable link between personal life and

political, communal history. The revelation of this theme in each new work, not only in her homeland South Africa, but the twenty-first century world, is evidence of her literary genius: in the sharpness of her psychological insights, the stark beauty of her language, the complexity of her characters and the difficult choices with which they are faced. In *No Time Like the Present*, Gordimer brings the reader into the lives of Steven Reed and Jabulile Gumede, a 'mixed' couple, both of whom have been combatants in the struggle for freedom against apartheid. Once clandestine lovers under racist law forbidding sexual relations between white and black, they are now in the new South Africa. The place and time where freedom - the 'better life for all' that was fought for and promised - is being created but also challenged by political and racial tensions, while the hangover of moral ambiguities and the vast and growing gap between affluence and mass poverty, continue to haunt the present. No freedom from personal involvement in these or in the personal intimacy of love. The subject is contemporary, but Gordimer's treatment is timeless. In *No Time Like the Present*, she shows herself once again a master novelist, at the height of her prodigious powers. *Transnational Landscapes and Postmodern Poetics* Oct 04 2021 This book moves beyond conventional conceptions of space and place to explore how the spatial imagination has informed our postmodern mapping of literature, culture, history, geography and politics. In this

volume, scholars from different academic fields contest new territories for critical expression, venturing into a geocritical discussion of notions of identity, borders, territory, cognitive geographies, glocal cultural mobility, gendered spaces, (post)colonial cartographies, and spaces of resistance. These brilliant discussions of the postmodern dialectics of space and place invite a reappraisal of the value of space in our social, political and historical realities, thus extending the geographical imagination beyond its physical and territorial manifestations and investigating its hitherto uncharted spiritual, psychic, emotional, literary, and symbolic terrains. Bringing together theoretical and critical contributions in the fields of culture, history, politics, and literature, this engaging work invites readers to think geocritically about the significance of space and place in the postmodern age. It represents essential reading for students, critics, and scholars from various academic fields and disciplines, including history, geography, cultural studies, anthropology, political science, literature and critical theory.

*Plofje de olifant* Jan 07 2022 Een olifantje denkt dat hij er heel raar uitziet omdat zijn vel zo ruim om hem heen zit. Prentenboekje met fleurige illustraties. Vanaf ca. 3,5 jaar.

[Conversations with Nadine Gordimer](#) Sep 03 2021 Talks with the prize-winning author of *Beethoven was One-Sixteenth Black* and *Other Stories*, *July's People*, *The Pickup*, and many other book

**Het Franse testament / druk 13** Nov 05 2021 Een jongen groeit op in het barre communistische Rusland van na de Tweede Wereldoorlog onder de hoede van zijn grootmoeder van Franse origine.

**milieubeheerder** Oct 16 2022 Mehring is rijk. Hij beschikt over al de privileges en bezittingen die blank Zuid-Afrika ter beschikking staan, maar verliest stilaan de greep op zijn leven. Zijn vrouw, zoon en minnares verlaten hem, zijn ploegbaas en werknemers worden hoe langer hoe ongevoeliger voor zijn rentmeesterschap, en wanneer eerst droogte en dan een overstroming zijn boerderij vernietigen, lijkt het land zelf in opstand te komen. De onrust in Mehrings omgeving is een metafoor voor de beroering die het hele land treft. Alleen een aardverschuiving in zowel woorden als daden kan verdere vernietiging voorkomen.

*Embracing the Other* Feb 08 2022 In the wake of addressing multiculturalism, transculturalism, racism, and ethnicity, the issue of xenophobia and xenophilia has been somewhat marginalized. The present collection seeks, from a variety of angles, to investigate the relations between Self and Other in the New Literatures in English. How do we register differences and what does an embrace signify for both Self and Other? The contributors deal with a variety of topics, ranging from theoretical reflections on xenophobia, its exploration in terms of intertextuality and New Zealand/Maori historiography, to analyses of migrant and border narratives, and issues of

transitionality, authenticity, and racism in Canada and South Africa. Others negotiate identity and alterity in Nigerian, Malaysian, Australian, Indian, Canadian, and Caribbean texts, or reflect on diaspora and orientalism in Australian-Asian and West Indian contexts.

**July's People** Sep 22 2020 A startling, imaginative novel from the winner of the Nobel Prize in Literature For years, it had been what is called a "deteriorating situation." Now all over South Africa the cities are battlegrounds. The members of the Smales family—liberal whites—are rescued from the terror by their servant, July, who leads them to refuge in his village. What happens to the Smaleses and to July—the shifts in character and relationships—gives us an unforgettable look into the terrifying, tacit understandings and misunderstandings between blacks and whites. "So flawlessly written that every one of its events seems chillingly, ominously possible."—Anne Tyler, *The New York Times* Book Review

**The Grammar of Identity** Dec 14 2019 In our current world, questions of the transnational, location, land, and identity confront us with a particular insistence. *The Grammar of Identity* is a lively and wide-ranging study of twentieth-century fiction that examines how writers across nearly a hundred years have confronted these issues. Circumventing the divisions of conventional categories, the book examines writers from both the colonial and postcolonial, the modern and postmodern eras, putting

together writers who might not normally inhabit the same critical space: Joseph Conrad, Caryl Phillips, Salman Rushdie, Charlotte Brontë, Jean Rhys, Anne Michaels, W. G. Sebald, Nadine Gordimer, and J. M. Coetzee. In this guise, the book itself becomes a journey of discovery, exploring the transnational not so much as a literal crossing of boundaries but as a way of being and seeing. In fictional terms this also means that it concerns a set of related forms: ways of approaching time and space; constructions of the self by way of combination and constellation; versions of navigation that at once have to do with the foundations of language as well as our pathways through the world. From Conrad's waterways of the earth, to Sebald's endless horizons of connection and accountability, to Gordimer's and Coetzee's meditations on the key sites of village, Empire, and desert, the book recovers the centrality of fiction to our understanding of the world. At the heart of it all is the grammar of identity, how we assemble and undertake our versions of self at the core of our forms of being and seeing. *Life Times* Jun 19 2020 Throughout her career the internationally renowned South African writer Nadine Gordimer has built a literary reputation with her incisive short stories as much as with her acclaimed novels. Together with her essays, this highly imaginative and committed body of work won her the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1991. In the opinion of the Academy: 'Through her magnificent epic writing she has - in the words of Alfred Nobel -

been of very great benefit to humanity.' Gordimer has said that while novelists take the reader by the hand developing 'a consistency of relationship that does not and cannot convey the quality of human life, where contact is more like the flash of fireflies, in and out, now here, now there, in darkness. Short-story writers see by the light of the flash; theirs is the only thing one can be sure of - the present moment.' Now, for the first time, the best of her stories are published in one volume.

*The Southern African Impossible Book Quiz* Book Jan 15 2020 The author, a fanatical motor sport enthusiast, has spent seventeen years writing and compiling this work, which confirms Kyalami as synonymous with motor racing in South Africa.

*African Migration Narratives* Aug 22 2020 Examines the representations of migration in African literature, film, and other visual media, with an eye to the stylistic features of these works as well as their contributions to debates on migration

*Divergences Et Convergences* Aug 02 2021

**The Politics of Traumatic Literature** Feb 25 2021 This book is a collection of essays offering an inside view into the inner analysis of traumatic literary studies wherein language is used as a medium of expression so as to interpret man, psyche and memory. By making literature the partner of a dialogue with psychology, in order to better comprehend the psyche, it serves to alter the way of understanding the literary phenomenon.

Featuring relevant coverage on topics such as literary production, psychology in literature, identity, and traumatic studies, this book provides in-depth analysis that is suitable for academicians, students, professionals, and researchers interested in discovering more about the relationship between psychology and literature and their effects on thinking.

Imagining Mass Dictatorships Feb 14 2020 This volume in the series Mass Dictatorship in the Twentieth Century series sees twelve Swedish, Korean and Japanese scholars, theorists, and historians of fiction and non-fiction probe the literary subject of life in 20th century mass dictatorships.

*A Sea for Encounters* Aug 14 2022 The present volume contains general essays on: the relevance of `Commonwealth` literature; the treatment of Dalits in literature and culture; the teaching of African literature in the UK; `sharing places` and Drum magazine in South Africa; black British book covers as primers for cultural contact; Christianity, imperialism, and

conversion; Orang Pendek and Papuans in colonial Indonesia; Carnival and drama in the anglophone Caribbean; issues of choice between the Maltese language and Its Others; and patterns of interaction between married couples in Malta. As well as these, there are essays providing close readings of works by the following authors: Chinua Achebe, André Aciman, Diran Adebayo, Monica Ali, Edward Atiyah, Margaret Atwood, Murray Bail, Peter Carey, Amit Chaudhuri, Austin Clarke, Sara Jeannette Duncan, Amitav Ghosh, Nadine Gordimer, Antjie Krog, Hanif Kureishi, Naguib Mahfouz, David Malouf, V.S. Naipaul, Michael Ondaatje, Tayeb Salih, Zadie Smith, Ahdaf Soueif, Yvonne Vera. Contributors: Jogamaya Bayer, Katrin Berndt, Sabrina Brancato, Monica Bungaro, Judith Lütge Coulli, Robert Cribb, Natasha Distiller, Evelyne Hanquart`Turner, Marie Herbillon, Tuomas Huttunen, Gen`ichiro Itakura, Jacqueline Jondot, Karen King`Aribisala, Ursula Kluwick, Dorothy Lane, Ben Lebdai, Lourdes López`Roper, Amin Malak, Daniel Massa, Concepción

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