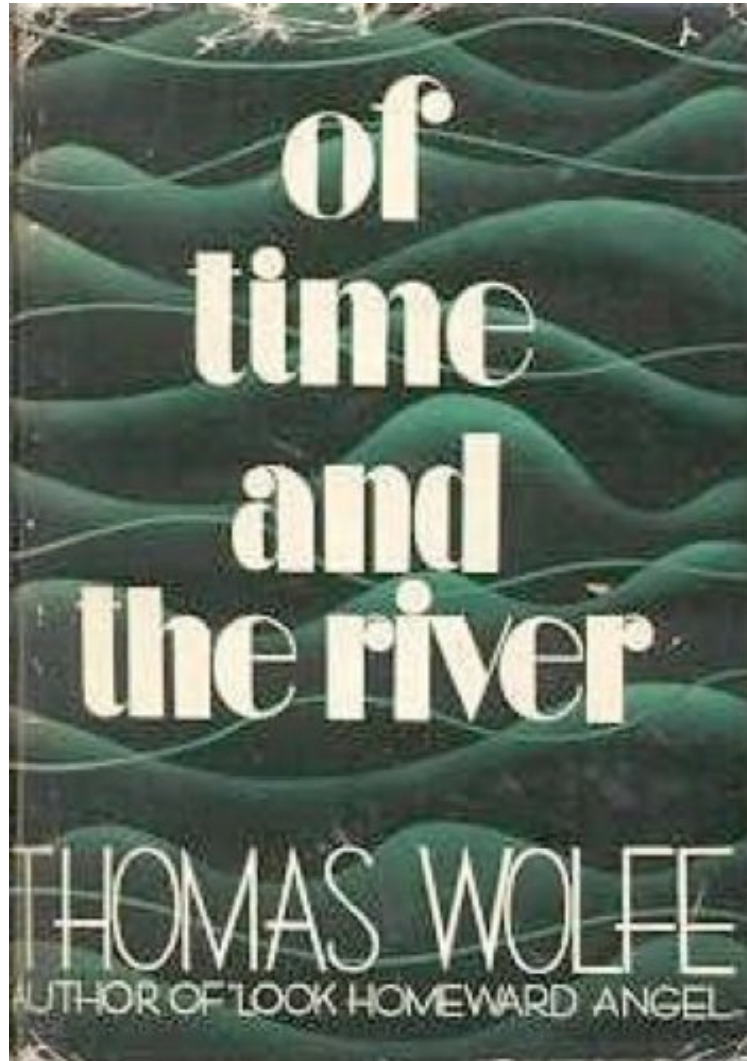


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Homeward Angel," to which it is a sequel, is an intense and panoramic narrative of life in, and a paean to, early 20th Century America from the perspective of a Southern writer gone North. In doing that it foreshadows the experiences of others who came after him like Willie Morris. Wolfe's work artfully evokes much of the era that Ken and Ric Burns seek to capture in their documentaries but from the perspective of a participant and his personal struggles in life. (Wolfe's evocation of New York City in the 20s and 30s in "Of Time and the River" come to mind in this regard). In sum, Wolfe's works are not only top-notch examples of American literature but stand as a monumental and inspiring expression of American culture and of the spirit that animated much of our society during the dawning period of the 20th Century. Wolfe's work is not the tradition of pop culture and has little in common with the work of the current writer of the same name. Thus, reading Wolfe's work can be intellectually challenging. Nevertheless, tackling these books can be a rewarding and enjoyable experience for those seriously interested in American history and culture. The movie "The Razor's Edge" based on a book by Somerset Maugham, one of Wolfe's literary mentors (and to whom Wolfe dedicated "Look Homeward Angel"), written after the latter's untimely death in 1938, depicts in cinematic form to a great degree much of the story and spirit of the age that Wolfe sought to communicate. Wolfe's work, notwithstanding its challenging level of literacy, is very absorbing and will only be found to be boring by more pedestrian readers. 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Patch up? Von christopher charal This is a rather hysterical novel. Chapters of poetic descriptions of seasons and places seem to be indispersed among some sort of narrative. Characters are introduced in great detail and then vanish, sometimes to return later on. Wolfe was a feverish writer used to bursts of inspiration who had to [reluctantly] allow his publisher [Perkins] to edit his voluminous manuscript down to some sort of logical sequence. This shows in both this novel and its preceding volume [LOOK HOMEWARD]. The story is semi-autobiographical. The writing is, in a strange sort of way, unique.

Kurzbeschreibung Of Time and the River (subtitled A Legend of Man's Hunger in his Youth) is a 1935 novel by American novelist Thomas Wolfe. It is a fictionalized autobiography, using the name Eugene Gant for Wolfe's, detailing the protagonist's early and mid-twenties, during which time the character attends Harvard University, moves to New York City and teaches English at a university there, and travels overseas. The novel was published by Scribners and edited by Maxwell Perkins. Excerpt "At that instant he saw, in one blaze of light, an image of unutterable conviction, the reason why the artist works and lives and has his being--the reward he seeks--the only reward he really cares about, without which there is nothing. It is to snare the spirits of mankind in nets of magic, to make his life prevail through his creation, to wreak the vision of his life, the rude and painful substance of his own experience, into the congruence of blazing and enchanted images that are themselves the core of life, the essential pattern whence all other things proceed, the kernel of eternity." Expertly formatted with a linked table of contents. Look for more classic books from Green Light. Visit us at - [GreenLighteBooks.tumblr.com](https://www.greenlightbooks.tumblr.com) Twitter - @GreenLightbooks and [facebook.com/greenlightbooks](https://www.facebook.com/greenlightbooks) Pressestimmen "Ein wuchtiges Werk... Der bersetzerin Irma Wehrli gelingt es eindrucksvoll, das ganz eigene Pathos und den vibrierenden existenziellen Druck auch auf Deutsch zu vermitteln." Maike Albath, Deutschlandradio Kultur Kurzbeschreibung Of Time and the River (subtitled A Legend of Man's Hunger in his Youth) is a 1935 novel by American novelist Thomas Wolfe. It is a fictionalized autobiography, using the name Eugene Gant for Wolfe's, detailing the protagonist's early and mid-twenties, during which time the character attends Harvard University, moves to New York City and teaches English at a university there, and travels overseas. The novel was published by Scribners and edited by Maxwell Perkins. Excerpt "At that instant he saw, in one blaze of light, an image of unutterable conviction, the reason why the artist works and lives and has his being--the reward he seeks--the only reward he really cares about, without which there is nothing. It is to snare the spirits of mankind in nets of magic, to make his life prevail through his creation, to wreak the vision of his life, the rude and painful substance of his own experience, into the congruence of blazing and enchanted images that are themselves the core of life, the essential pattern whence all other things proceed, the kernel of eternity." Expertly formatted with a linked table of contents. Look for more classic books from Green Light. Visit us at - [GreenLighteBooks.tumblr.com](https://www.greenlightbooks.tumblr.com) Twitter - @GreenLightbooks and [facebook.com/greenlightbooks](https://www.facebook.com/greenlightbooks)