

Sherlock Holmes

As you most likely know, Sherlock Holmes is not a real detective. His is character from a fictional story made by Arthur Doyle. But the reason of why I put him in my website was because the stories are more real-like the other detective books and movies. **“Sherlock Holmes, a fictitious character was based on a real man, Dr Joseph Bell, a renown forensic scientist at Edinburgh University whom Conan-Doyle studied under.”** (History) After a few books came out they got a lot more popular. When films came out they made movies and later on TV-shows. **“Conan Doyle wrote four novels and fifty-six short stories that feature Holmes. The first two stories, short novels appeared in Beeton’s Christmas Annual for 1887 and Lippincott’s Monthly Magazine in 1890, respectively. The character grew tremendously in popularity with the beginning of the first series of short stories in The Strand Magazine in 1891... Perhaps one of the quirkiest twenty first-century homages to Holmes belongs to the award-winning American TV series House, which began transmitting in 2004, starring the British actor, Hugh Laurie. Now into his fifth season, Dr Gregory House is in many respects a medical Sherlock Holmes, and series creator, David Shore, has admitted that even Dr House name is meant as a subtle homage.”** Now Sherlock Holmes is known as a TV- show and a famous detective. The house of the author is now opened as a museum. And everyone knows Sherlock Holmes as a famous fictional detective that has been made to entertain readers and movies watchers.



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