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## Joseph Andrews

by Henry Fielding (1707-1754)

*Joseph Andrews* was the first published full-length novel of the English author and magistrate Henry Fielding, and indeed among the first novels in the English language. Published in 1742 and defined by Fielding as a 'comic romance,' it is the story of a good-natured footman's adventures on the road home from

London with his friend and mentor, the absent-minded parson Abraham Adams.

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*Portrait of Gainsborough Dupont (detail)*  
by Thomas Gainsborough (c. 1770-5)



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