

# **Of Botheration**

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## ABSTRACT

Honeymoon couple bother each other to be intimate more. But a mad wife always bothers her husband to verify the veracity of relation or attraction. She always provokes her husband for reciprocation thereby enjoys sadistic pleasure. Thus they are either made for each other or mad for each other or both simultaneously. If this torture originates from suspicion of extra-marital affairs of husband then the situation becomes much grave. If the person is of cool-tempered there occurs no problem. In case of hot-tempered husband the drama continues till a mishap takes place.

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## **INTRODUCTION**

Creative writing is based more on manifestation rather than on expression. It does not inform rather reveals, so it bears no reference. The best creative writing is critical, and the best critical writing is creative. The present article is the outcome of creative writing meant for lay readers. As such free style is the methodology adopted so that the pleasure of reading can be enjoyed by the common mass. As you know well that, Francis Bacon (1561-1626), the immortal writer, wrote many essays, and notably "Of Love", "Of Friendship", "Of Ambition", "Of Studies", etc. The myriadminded genius rightly pointed out that all the words of the dictionary can be the themes of essays one can write. But little has been done, in this regard since his death, in order to finish his unfinished monumental works. In fact Bacon's way of presentation and his unique style kindled imagination and inspired me to write essays, in the light of creative writing, thus to get relief through Catharsis.

# ARTICLE

Bother means to give trouble to someone. It is to disturb. It is to be anxious. It is to worry or trouble oneself. It concerns oneself. There are persons or things that bother or cause worry. It is a minor nuisance. It is to fuss. It is to cause trouble or annoyance to somebody. It is to pester somebody. It is a state of worry especially expressing annoyance or impatience. Bother is to perplex or tease. It is to worry or be concerned. It is to fluster. It is to pester. It is to stir oneself. It is pretty trouble. It implies difficulty. It is perplexity expressing irritation.

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Man does not like botheration but he cannot avoid it. Thus man faces botheration. He has to face botheration. He is bound to face botheration. As such man faces botheration, willy-nilly, infinite times from cradle to grave. For this unwanted situation sometimes he is liable and sometimes misfortune compels to face this awkward situation.

Some persons think that it is their democratic right to bother someone. Simultaneously some generous persons think that people have the right to bother themselves since they have been elected as leaders.

An experienced person advises a novice not to bother over a silly matter thereby be anxious or

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waste time. A prodigal son seldom bothers to take approval from his parents before doing anything or going anywhere.

Botheration appears in different forms and features having varied degrees and dimensions as well.

Someone may say "I, they, etc, cannot be bothered. I, they, etc, consider it too much trouble to do something. I, they, etc, find someone or something annoying with". A gentleman says, "I'm sorry to bother you, but could you tell me the way to station"?

The pain from the operation may bother a patient much. Smoking bothers a passive smoker. A tired person should not bother when he returns back home after doing hard work from dawn to twilight. A cheater always bothers to lend him money. He seldom repays. He is so and such a sincere defaulter.

Someone may ask, "What's bothering you? Don't let his criticism bother you. It bothers me that he can be so insensitive. She didn't seem to be bothered. I'm not really bothered i.e. I don't care, who wins".

Bother is to take the time or trouble to do something. Someone may ask, "Shall I help you with the washing up? Don't bother - I will do it later. Don't bother with the dirty dishes. He didn't even bother to say thank you. I didn't bother asking why. Why bother going to the cinema when you can see so many good films on television"?

Bother is to concern oneself about somebody or something. Someone may say," Don't bother about us – we'll join you later. It's not worth bothering about. Bother this car! It's always breaking down". Bother oneself or one's head about something is to be anxious or worried about something. One may advise, "Don't bother your pretty little head about a thing – leave it all to me"!

Can't be bothered to do something means will not do something because one considers it to be too much trouble. The grass needs cutting but the lazy gardener can't be bothered to do it today. An inattentive student may be capable of producing excellent work but usually he can't be bothered.

Hot and bothered is a phrase of bother. It implies in a state of anxiety or physical discomfort, especially as a result of being pressured. Bother means trouble or fuss. Someone may say, "You seem to be in a spot of bother. Did you have much bother finding the house? 'Thanks for your help!' 'It was no bother'. I'm sorry to have put you to all this bother i.e. to have caused you so much trouble. They went to a lot of bother i.e. took a lot of time or trouble".

A bother implies an annoying thing. What a bother! We have missed the bus. Bother is used to express annoyance. Oh bother! I've left my money at home.

Bother is to bewilder or confuse. It is to take the trouble. It implies trouble or inconvenience oneself. He has no time to bother with trifles. It means something or someone troublesome, burdensome, or annoying. For example: Doing the laundry can be a terrible bother. It implies effort, work, or worry. Gardening takes more bother than it's worth. It means a worried or perplexed state. Don't get into such a bother about small matters. It is used to express mild irritation.

Harass, vex, irritate, molest, disturb are synonymous. Bother, annoy, plague, tease imply persistent interference with one's comfort or peace of mind. Bother suggests causing trouble or weariness or repeatedly interrupting one in the midst of pressing duties. To annoy is to vex or irritate by bothering. Plague is a strong word, connoting unremitting annoyance and harassment. To tease is to pester, as by longcontinued whining and begging.

Botheration is used as an exclamation of vexation or annoyance. It is the act of bothering. It implies the state of being bothered. Bothersome means causing bother. It implies troublesome. It means annoying. It is irksome.

A Good Samaritan may console. "Why do you bother so much about these petty things?" There is nothing to bother about. That little imp is always bothering his elders with silly questions. I won't bother my head any more about your future. Don't bother about making things easier for him. We had a lot of bother finding our way in the dark. I don't want to be a bother to you. Bother the mosquitoes. Those bothersome visitors should be handled with utmost care to avoid further botheration.

Bother is to bewilder. It is to concern or trouble oneself. It is a mild expression of annoyance, etc. It is to worry or trouble annoy, especially with petty annoyances. It is to harass. It is to cause discomfort. Her sore foot bothers her. It is to disturb. It is to interrupt. It is to take the

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time and trouble. Don't bother to reply. It is to make a fuss. It is a cause or condition of worry or irritation. It implies minor trouble. It means worried state.

Bother is a person who gives trouble. Thus botheration is not a good job at all and seldom is exercised by a gentleman. It is the business of evil persons. Unruly neighbours use this weapon to each other and get reciprocation accordingly. The political rivals are best patrons of this weapon and use it widely and untiringly against each other till their objectives are fulfilled. A fool uses this tool bluntly. As such it is caught red-handed. A shrewd uses it intelligently and be successful tactfully.

#### **CONCLUSION**

Someone may bother, someone may not. A whimsical person bothers if he likes. He bothers not if he likes not. All these are the exposures of personality traits men possess and quite unique individually that makes individual difference.

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