

## WRITING

Once William Shakespeare said: "All the world's stage, and all the men and women are merely players". Some people think that this phrase is really true and ~~all the world~~ can be used to describe our society, some think this phrase is quite silly. Today I would like to share my point of view regarding this saying.

I personally think that, in a metaphorical sense, world is a stage, but the "play's scenario" isn't written by some higher being, for ~~example~~ example, God.

A lot of people believe that they are the creators of their own fate and that nothing bad will cross their way. I can't agree with that statement, because one should always be looking out for something bad. A climactic tragedy might happen, like ones in the XVIII-XIX century plays,

On the other hand others believe that all of the people in the world are "puppets" and mediums of God. I can't agree with this statement, because, in other aspects of our lives, like economy and money, there might be someone watching from the above, laughing and considering our misfortunes, ~~happily~~, just like in comedies of the earlier times.

All in all, I might agree with certain theses of this saying, but not everything. Times change, and so does society, roles of things like church and government might still be strong, but they are severely weakened since Shakespeare's times, and they no longer can manipulate people like a script.